





VIRTUAL UNDERSTANDING THE MAJOR WORK OF THE K-2 GRADE BAND: A STORY OF UNITS®

Session Objectives:

Participants will understand

- explore the big idea of the unit and work with unit language,
- study the four components of the number core and their relationship to addition and subtraction,
- investigate the three levels of problem solving for addition and subtraction,
- review the progression of strategies for composition and decomposition and their relationship to place value, and
- practice with physical and written representations of the standard algorithms for addition and subtraction.

TIME AGENDA	DESCRIPTION
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Zoom	
Session	1
2 hours	

Number Core

Three Levels of Problem Solving for Addition

Progression of Strategies for Addition

Standard Algorithim for Addition

During the first virtual PD session, participants will

- deepen their understanding of the four aspects of the number core and their relationship to addition,
- use the make ten addition strategy and the skills it requires,
- study concrete and pictorial representations that build conceptual understanding of addition, and
- relate physical and written representations of the standard algorithms for addition.

Interim Work and Lunch Break 2 hours

Professional Reading

Grade Level Problems

To prepare for the second virtual PD session, participants will

- read the Progression Document Appendix,
 "Methods Used for Solving Single-Digit Addition and Subtraction Problems,"
- reflect on the relationship between addition and subtraction, and
- apply strategies from session 1 to grade level problems.

Zoom Session 2 2 hours

Three Levels of Problem Solving for Subtraction

Progression of Strategies for Subtraction

Standard Algorithm for Subtraction

Summary of Session

During the second virtual PD session, participants will

- use take from ten subtraction strategies and the skills they require,
- study concrete and pictorial representations that build conceptual understanding of subtraction,
- relate physical and written representations of the standard algorithms for subtraction, and
- synthesize the learning of the day through problem solving.