

Year Group	Subject	Topic
4	Mathematics	Measurement (Money)

Key Vocabulary

amount

change

combinations

estimate

decimal

pence

penny

pounds

round

value

convert

What does the money unit consist of?

In this unit, pupils will be taught to:

- estimate, compare and calculate different measures, including money in pound and pence.
- solve simple measure and money problems involving fractions and decimals to 2 decimal places.

How you can support your child:

Understanding money is an important life skill and you can help your child apply their learning in real life scenarios by implementing these strategies:

- At the shops ask your child to **estimate** how much 3 or 4 items will cost together.
- Give them small **amounts** of pocket money. For example, give them 50p a week and ask them what they think they can buy with it or, if they want to save for something bigger, how long will it take to reach their goal.
- Talk about the items you buy. Ask them which are more expensive, which are cheaper. Discuss where money comes from and how you earn it.
- Explore quantities by asking them to think about how many ways they can make 50p. For example, how many 10p coins do you need to make 50p? Or try it with £1.
- When you buy something, get your child to hand you the correct money and check the **change** with them afterwards.

UK Coins



£0.01

one
penny coin



£0.02

two
pence coin



£0.05

five
pence coin



£0.10

ten
pence coin



£0.20

twenty
pence coin



£0.50

fifty
pence coin



£1.00

one
pound coin



£2.00

two
pound coin

UK Notes



£5

five pound note



£10

ten pound note



£20

twenty pound note



£50

fifty pound note

Pounds and Pence



£3 and 25 pence

£3.25



£52 and 13 pence

£52.13

463 = £4.63

705p = £7.05

92p = £0.92

Ordering Money

We can compare or order amounts by changing all amounts to either pounds or pence.

£4.82 428p

£4.82 = 482p

482p > 428p

£4.82 > 428p

Order in ascending order:

516p 156p £1.65 £6.51

£1.65 = 165p and £6.51 = 651p

156p, £1.65, 516p, £6.51

Estimating Money



That's about £8.

£7.00 £7.50 £8.00



That's about £4.

£4.00 £5.00

We can use estimates when calculating.

They are about £3 and £7
so will be about £10 in total.



They are about £4 and £3
so will be about £7 in total.
I will have about £3 left.