

# MS Beginnings Pacing Calendar 2025-2026

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## Important dates

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## Calendar Key

	Set Up for Success
	Unit 1 - Family
	Unit 2 - Friends
	Unit 3 – Wind of Water

	Unit 4 – The World of Color
	Unit 5 – Shadows and Reflections
	Unit 6 – Things That Grow

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Unit	Week	Concept
Unit 1 Family	1	<b>Numeracy</b> Counter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reciter (to 10)</li> <li>Make groups of 2 or more</li> <li>Count groups of 2 or more</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize the number of objects in small groups (2 or more)</li> </ul>
	2	<b>Numeracy</b> Counter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name the number of objects in a group of 3 or more</li> <li>Make groups of 1 or more</li> <li>Count verbally with understanding groups of 2 or more</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize the number of objects in small groups (3 or more)</li> </ul> <b>Patterns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in simple rhythmic patterns</li> </ul>
	3	<b>Numeracy</b> Counter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make groups up to 5 items</li> <li>Reciter (10) count verbally up to 5 or 10 with understanding</li> </ul>
	4	<b>Geometry</b> Shape Matching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shape matcher (circle and squares)</li> <li>Match congruent shapes</li> </ul> Shape Naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Match the face of 3D shape to its 2D shape</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reciter (10) verbally count to 10</li> </ul>
	5	<b>Geometry</b> Shape Representing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name and build familiar 2D shapes (triangle, rectangle, square)</li> </ul> Shape Naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shape recognizer (non-examples of familiar 2D shapes)</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 4</li> </ul>
Unit 2 Friends	6	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reciter (10)</li> <li>Counter small number (up to 5)</li> <li>Make groups up to 5</li> </ul>

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		<b>Patterns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in simple rhythmic patterns</li> </ul>
	7	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Produce a group of 1-5 objects</li> <li>Create equal groups</li> </ul> Comparing and ordering numbers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Counter comparer to 5</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 5(+)</li> </ul>
	8	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Produce a group of 1-5 objects</li> <li>Create equal groups</li> <li>Count objects to 5</li> </ul> Comparing and ordering numbers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Counter comparer to 5</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 5(+)</li> </ul>
	9	<b>Geometry</b> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name and describe familiar 2D shapes (circle, triangle, rectangle, squares)</li> <li>Shape recognizer (non-examples of familiar 2D shapes)</li> </ul> Shape matching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Match shapes</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Produce small numbers</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 5(+)</li> </ul>
	10	<b>Geometry</b> Shape matching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Match congruent shapes by memory</li> </ul> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name and describe familiar 2D shapes</li> </ul> Shape composing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Shape composer (to create pictures)</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compare small numbers</li> <li>Produce small numbers</li> </ul>

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Unit 3 Wind and Water	11	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count objects up to 5 or 10</li> </ul> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Connect counting to simple addition</li> </ul> Comparing and ordering: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize numerals and quantities they represent</li> <li>Compare small amounts</li> </ul>
	12	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count objects to 10 and beyond</li> </ul> Comparing and ordering: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sort and classify small groups</li> <li>Compare small amounts</li> </ul>
	13	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count objects to 10 and beyond</li> </ul> Comparing and ordering: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order numbers and lengths</li> </ul> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand the plus 1 pattern in the counting sequence</li> </ul> <b>Patterning</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand the plus 1 pattern in the counting sequence</li> </ul>
	14	<b>Geometry</b> Shape Matching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify and match shapes</li> </ul> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find and describe the shape of objects in their environment</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count objects to 10 and beyond</li> </ul>
	15	<b>Geometry</b> Shape matching: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify and match shapes</li> </ul> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Find and describe the shape of objects in their environment</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count forward and backwards from 10</li> </ul> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add and subtract small numbers</li> </ul>
Unit 4 The World of Color	16	<b>Patterns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize, duplicate, and extend repeating patterns</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b>

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		<b>Counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count beyond 10</li> </ul>
	17	<b>Patterns</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize, duplicate, and extend repeating patterns</li> <li>To recognize the core unit of repeating patterns</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <b>Counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To count beyond 10</li> </ul>
	18	<b>Numeracy</b> <b>Object counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name number of objects in a group of 3</li> <li>Counter and producer to (10+)</li> </ul> <b>Subitizing:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Subitizer to 5, 5+, and to 10</li> </ul> <b>Geometry</b> <b>Shape Naming:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize and name a variety of shapes</li> </ul>
	19	<b>Numeracy</b> <b>Counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Counter and producer (10)</li> </ul> <b>Comparing and ordering numbers:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comparer to 10</li> <li>Ordering numbers 6+</li> </ul>
	20	<b>Measurement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compare amounts using words like longer</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <b>Counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count beyond 10</li> </ul> <b>Ordering:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Order numbers and lengths</li> </ul> <b>Subitizing:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 5(+)</li> </ul>
<b>Unit 5 Shadows and Reflections</b>	21	<b>Measurement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comparing lengths by using words like bigger and longer</li> <li>Measure by placing units of length end to end</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <b>Counting:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count to 10 and beyond</li> <li>Ordering</li> <li>Order numbers and lengths</li> </ul> <b>Subitizing:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize objects to 5(+)</li> </ul>

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	22	<b>Measurement</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Measuring by placing units end to end (length)</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <p>Compare and ordering numbers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Comparer to 10</li> <li>Ordering numbers 6+</li> </ul> <p>Counting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Counter and producer (10)</li> </ul>
	23	<b>Geometry</b> <p>Shape Naming:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify and match shapes</li> <li>Identify attribute of shapes</li> </ul> <p>Shape composing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make pictures and designs</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <p>Counting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count to and back from 10</li> </ul> <p>Adding and subtracting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adding and subtracting small numbers</li> </ul> <p>Ordering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ordinal counting 6+</li> </ul>
	24	<b>Geometry</b> <p>Shape naming:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify and match shapes</li> <li>Identify attribute of shapes</li> </ul> <p>Shape composing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make pictures and designs</li> </ul> <b>Numeracy</b> <p>Counting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count to and back from 10</li> </ul> <p>Subitizing/adding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Adding numbers (snap shots, quick images)</li> <li>Recognize the sum of two small groups (sums to 5)</li> </ul>
	25	<b>Numeracy</b> <p>Counting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count to and back from 10</li> <li>Adding and subtracting:</li> <li>Add small number (sums to 5)</li> </ul> <p>Subitizing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize the sum to two small groups</li> </ul> <b>Geometry</b> <p>Picture maker:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make pictures and designs</li> </ul>

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Unit 6 Things That Grow	26	<b>Numeracy</b> Counting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count to and back from 10</li> </ul> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognize the sum of two small groups (sums to 5)</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize the sum of two small groups</li> </ul>
	27	<b>Geometry</b> Shape composer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make pictures and designs</li> <li>Create shapes from parts</li> </ul> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe shapes using attributes</li> </ul>
	28	<b>Geometry</b> Shape composer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make pictures and designs</li> <li>Create shapes from parts</li> </ul> Shape naming: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe shapes using attributes</li> </ul>
	29	<b>Numeracy</b> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finding the sum of two small groups</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize the sum of two small groups</li> </ul> <b>Geometry</b> Shape composing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make new shapes</li> </ul>
	30	<b>Numeracy</b> Adding and subtracting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finding the sum of two small groups</li> </ul> Subitizing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quickly recognize the sum of two small groups</li> </ul> <b>Geometry</b> Shape composing: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Compose shapes to make new shapes</li> </ul>