## Growing patterns

How can I
explain
Growing patterns?

## You can express it as an equation:

| Input | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Output | $4+3=6$ | $4+(3 \times 2)$ <br> $=10$ | $4+(3 \times 3)$ <br> $=13$ | $4+(3 \times 4)$ <br> $=16$ |

> A simple way is using drawings (such as colour blocks....some blocks always stay the same and others may include a rule

| Head |
| :--- |
| always |
| stays the |
| same, the |
| legs are two |
| more than |
| the back |

Example

