

Mathematics Curriculum Plan Overview

GCSE plan overview

Students will be at different levels in one mixed ability group.

Term	Topic	Learning	How can parents' best	
			support	
Autumn 1	Basic number Collecting and representing data	Number - Negative numbers, index rules, negative indices, standard form, BIDMAS, Describing factors and multiples, Highest Common Factor Lowest common Multiple, using Venn diagrams to find HCF LCM Statistics - Bar charts and pictograms including	Continued practice with times table supports work on fractions and rational Look at data in the media and how	
	Fractions - 4 operations	dual bar charts. Fractions - simplifying fractions, equivalent fractions, 4 operations with fractions	is used/misused.	
Assessment:	Self assessment and topic tests			
Autumn 2	Basic Algebra Sequences	Algebra - Generating sequences given a rule. continuing a numeric or pictorial sequence given a rule. Linear sequences - term to term and position to term rules. Fibonacci type sequences. Simplifying expressions. Solving algebraic	Encouragement to count in sequences, to identify the counting to a counting sequence. Counting different denominations of money.	
	Rounding	equations	Rounding amounts of money,	
	Coordinates	Rounding - To nearest 10, 100, 1000. Round to 1 and 2 decimal places, whole numbers, given significant places.	prices, etc. to the nearest pound, ten pound, hundred pound, thousand etc.	
		Coordinates - 4 quadrant grid reading.	Practice reading coordinates on a grid.	
Assessment:	Self assessment a	nd topic tests (Mock Exams November)		
• •	Basic Decimals		Exposure to working with decimals.	
Spring 1	Basic Percentages	Number - percentages, basic percentages as proportion of 100, converting percentages to decimals	e.g. shopping item prices. Discussing percentages out of 100. Increasing and decreasing by a	
	Area and Perimeter	Geometry and Measures - area and perimeter of rectangles and squares and compound shapes made with rectilinear shapes, area of quadrilaterals including trapeziums and	percentage. Calculating the area/perimeter of places found around the home	
	Hot Spot - Measures	parallelograms, area of triangles and polygons made from triangles	Use different measurements in real life settings e.g. cooking	
Assessment:	Self assessment and topic tests			
Spring 2	Circumference and area of a circle	Geometry and measures - naming parts of circles, finding circumference and area of circles, area of sectors and segments	Name and identify parts of a circle. Listen to the circle song and google and discuss pi	
	Ratio and Proportion Basic Probability	Ratio and proportion - simplifying ratios finding similar ratios, share in a given ratio, use unitary method for calculating ratios	Practice reading recipes and serving suggestions. (Serves 2 people, calculate how much would we need for 3 people 4 people 5	
	Hot Spot - Time	Probability - calculate the probability of single events happening using fractions/decimals/percentages, calculate the	people?) Discussing the chance of certain events happening. Weather	

		probability of something "Not" happening, use AND and OR rule with probability in tree diagrams, understand mutually exclusive and independent event	forecasts for example. There is a 35% chance of rain today so therefore there must be 65% it won't rain. Look at timetables and practice reading digital and analogues times
Assessment:	Self assessment a	and tonic tests	reading digital and analogues times
Summer 1	Exam Prep Equations Plans and views Scale drawings	Algebra - solve 1 and 2 step linear equations, solve equations with unknowns on both sides, solve equations involving brackets, solve quadratic equations by factorising, using the formula or completing the square. Geometry and Measures - Pythagoras Theorems Geometry and Measures - 2D representation of 3D shapes - plans and views on drawings calculating volume of 3D shapes, nets and volume and surface area - including prisms	Look at past papers and identify areas for revision Visit BBC Bitesize and review content for AQA GCSE Maths https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/examspecs/z8sg6fr
Assessment:	Self assessment a	nd topic tests (Paper 1 examination May)	
Summer 2	Exam Prep	Geometry and Measures - 2D representation of 3D shapes. Plans and views on drawings,	
	Equations 2D Representations of 3D shapes Hot Spot	calculating volume of 3D shapes, nets and volume and surface area - including prisms	Use of a scientific calculator. Answering wordy multi-step maths questions.
	Using a calculator	Exam revision - Practice questions from calculator papers (Paper 2 & 3 examinations May/Ju	ne)