Curriculum Outline 2023-24

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Year 8

Timing	Unit Title	Key Question	Knowledge	Assessing Understanding
Autumn	Factors and Multiples	Do you know how to use HCF and LCM to solve problems?	 Prime number and prime factorisation HCF and LCM Roots 	 How understanding is assessed by applying the theory to a range of questions and increasingly more complex situations
	Approximation and Estimation	Can you round numbers to different degrees of accuracy?	 Rounding to decimal places Rounding to significant figures Estimation 	 discussion in lessons, sample problems homework and tests
	Algebraic Expressions, Formulae and Proof	Can you use algebraic expressions and formulae to model real world problems?	 Use of letters in algebra Evaluation and simplification of algebraic expressions and formulae Algebraic Expression in real world Factorisation Proof 	Skills understanding of the concepts numerical skills algebraic skills problem solving skills
	Equations and Inequalities	Can you solve worded problems by forming and solving equations?	 Solving equations with brackets and fractions Forming and solving different types of equations in one variable Inequality relationships Solving simple inequalities 	 Assessment Point information classroom tests relevant to topics studied

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Spring	Ratio, Rate and Speed	Do you know how to use ratios to solve problems?	 Integer Ratios including simplifying ratios and sharing in ratios All kinds of ratio problems Scale plans and maps Rate and speed 	 How understanding is assessed by applying the theory to a range of questions and increasingly more complex situations discussion in lessons, sample
	Percentages	Can you use decimal multiplier to solve percentage problems?	 Simple interest and reverse percentages Percentage increase and decrease Repeated percentage changes 	 b discussion in ressolts, sample problems b homework and tests b UKMT Junior Maths Challenge Skills
	Coordinates and Linear Functions	Can you understand the link between a linear function and its graph?	 Cartesian coordinate system Introducing functions Linear functions and their graphs Gradients of linear graphs 	 understanding of the concepts numerical skills algebraic skills problem solving skills
	Number Patterns	Can you find the general term of a sequence?	 Number Patterns and Sequences General term of a sequence 	Assessment Point information classroom tests relevant to topics studied

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Summer	Angles in Quadrilaterals and Polygons Perimeter and Area of Parallelograms and Trapezia	Do you know how to use interior and exterior angles of polygons to solve angle problems? Do you know how to find the area and the perimeter of a parallelogram or a trapezium?	 Angles in quadrilaterals Angles in polygons Area of parallelograms Area of trapezia Perimeter and area of composite shapes 	 How understanding is assessed by applying the theory to a range of questions and increasingly more complex situations discussion in lessons, sample problems homework and tests
	Volume and Surface Area of Prisms and Cylinders Statistical Graphs	Do you know how to find the volume and surface area of different prisms and cylinders? Do you know how to use different graphs and charts	 Views and nets of 3D shapes Volume and surface area of prisms Volume and surface area of cylinders Composite solids Line graphs Pie charts 	Skills understanding of the concepts numerical skills algebraic skills spatial awareness problem solving skills
		to represent data?	 Use and misuse of statistical graphs Scatter graphs 	 Assessment Point information exam relevant to topics studied