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PG Online continues to grow, helping more schools and more departments every year. Thank you for your reciprocal support and I hope that we can continue to support you even more in the future.

Best wishes for 2021
Rob

## Rob Heathcote

Director


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## Unit 4: Decimals - free

This unit builds on the work completed in Unit 1 with integers, by extending into decimal values. Initially place value is explored and decimal numbers compared and ordered. The four mathematical operations are considered in the context of decimals and consolidated through intelligent practice. The impact of multiplying and dividing by powers of 10 is explored and place value is used to solve reasoning problems. Techniques with rounding numbers, significant figures and decimal places are developed and the use of approximations to support problems is considered. Contextualised problems help develop a range of written methods to multiply and divide decimal numbers.


## Unit 1: Integers

This unit covers the building blocks of number, dealing with integer values. With a focus on clarity of explanations and developing mastery, the unit aims to ensure that students are fluent with these critical basics. Integers, both positive and negative, and place value are explored and these concepts are developed and used within reasoning problems. The use of the four mathematical operations are considered and consolidated through intelligent practice. Contextualised problems help develop a range of written methods to multiply and divide numbers and to find a remainder. The relationship between operations is explored and used to solve problems. The hierarchy of operations is also discussed with conventional notation used to support this work


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Priority of operations
Unit assessment

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Fergal Moane. Assistant Headteacher, Sandringham School

## Unit 2: Primes, factors and multiples

This unit focuses on the properties of number. The unit begins with an investigation leading to square numbers. Roots and negative roots are then explored. The work on index numbers continues; recognising and recalling the squares and cubes, square and cube roots of key integers. The laws of indices are developed in the context of number and used to simplify index numbers. With a strong emphasis on the use of imagery and pictorial representations to encourage mastery, this unit develops understanding of factors and multiples of numbers, prime numbers and expressing a number as a product of its prime factors. It explores how to find the highest common factor and the lowest common multiple of a set of numbers and applies this knowledge to solving problems in context.


|  | Lesson 1 | Square numbers |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| FREE LESSON | Lesson 2 | Index notation |
|  | Lesson 3 | Laws of indices |
|  | Lesson 4 | Prime numbers |
|  | Lesson 5 | Factors |
|  | Lesson 6 | Multiples and LCM |
|  | Lesson 7 | Factors and HCF |
|  | Unit assessment |  |

## Unit 3: Algebraic expressions

This unit returns to the basics of algebra to ensure fluency in the bedrock of algebraic techniques. Algebraic notation is considered in the representation of an unknown by a letter, the four operations in algebra and index numbers. Algebraic expressions are introduced and used to represent information given in a context. The substitution of numbers into algebraic expressions is dealt with, including into known and given scientific formula. Algebraic expressions are manipulated and simplified by collecting like terms, cancelling terms, multiplying and dividing terms, expanding brackets and factorising. Algebraic terms involving indices and surds are met and manipulated using the laws of indices. The unit ensures students understand key terminology relating to algebra such as expression, equation and formulae, and continues to deal with the formation and solving of simple equations.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Brackets and common factors
Lesson 7 Powers and roots

Unit assessment

## Unit 5: Measures

This unit deals with measures used in mathematics, including scales, 2D representations, perimeter, area and volume. At the start of the unit estimation is considered in context, with rounding and sensible degrees of accuracy revisited (from Unit 4) and the use of inequalities to express error bounds for rounded and truncated numbers is developed. With elegant graphics to support the learning, students learn about scale drawings and bearings, using reasoning to solve contextualised problems. Plans and elevations are met, focusing on the skills needed to draw and interpret 2D representations of 3D objects. The unit then moves on to shapes; finding the perimeter, area and volume of shapes such as triangles, trapezium, parallelogram, cuboids, prisms and composites of these shapes. Standard formulae for area and volume are introduced and used, and these skills are applied through graded questions, reasoning and problem-solving tasks.


Lesson 1 Estimation
Lesson 2 Scale diagrams
Lesson 3 Bearings
Lesson 4 Plans and elevations
Lesson 5 Perimeter
Lesson 6 Area of simple shapes Lesson $7 \quad$ Volume of simple shapes Unit assessment

The worksheet relating to each part of the unit are excellent for consolidation.
Fiona Peers, Head of Mathematics
Akeley Wood School

## Unit 6: Fractions

This fourth number unit in the foundation series is dedicated to considering all key aspects of fractions. The unit begins by looking at equivalent fractions, simplifying fractions and being able to compare and order fractions. Associated terminology is introduced and used. There is a strong emphasis on the use of images to represent fractions and their equivalents in order to support mastery of this key area of mathematics. The unit continues to look at mixed fractions and students develop skills to convert between mixed and improper fractions. Skills in applying the four operations with fractions are developed, including finding the reciprocal of a fraction to support further work on dividing fractions. Graded questions are tackled in context.

## Unit 7: Straight line graphs

This unit considers the properties and uses of straight line graphs With an emphasis on developing mastery, the unit begins by revisiting coordinates; reading and plotting values and finding the mid-point between two points. Equations of horizontal and vertical lines are explored and developed. Linear graphs are constructed from tables and an understanding of the form $\boldsymbol{y}=\boldsymbol{m} \boldsymbol{x}+\boldsymbol{c}$ is developed and used to solve problems. The gradient and $y$-intercept of a straight line graph are explored, and skills developed so that students can plot a straight line without a table of values, from the gradient and y-intercept. Using context, the unit continues to develop skills in finding the equation of a line between two given points and a line with a given gradient passing through a single given point. Reasoning problems are presented to support the development of students' ability to apply their knowledge


Lesson $1 \quad$ Working with coordinates
Lesson 2 Equations of lines
Lesson $3 \quad$ Plotting graphs 1
Lesson 4 Plotting graphs 2
Lesson $5 \quad$ Gradients of straight lines
Lesson 6 Equation of a straight line 1
Lesson $7 \quad$ Equation of a straight line 2
Unit assessment

## Unit 8: Fractions, decimals and percentages

This unit focuses on the properties and applications of fractions, decimals and percentages. Decimals and fractions are considered first with an emphasis on developing mastery on these dual concepts. From here, percentages are introduced; expressing an amount as a percentage, converting between fractions decimals and percentages, and comparing two quantities using percentages. In context, percentages are interpreted as operators, percentages of amounts are found and reasoning tasks involving percentages are posed. Fluency with percentages grows as the unit moves onto consider percentage increase and decrease; using a decimal multiplier to represent the percentage change and to work in reverse. Problems in context involving percentage change are posed and solved

PG Online resources are very well planned and easy to use.
Gillian Broadhead. ACTL Creative and Technical Studies Ridgewood High School


The stretch and challenge provided for was outstanding.
Tim Baguley. Head of Mathematics Queen Elizabeth's School

## Unit 9: Probability

This unit focuses on developing mastery in the basic and developing concepts of probability. The probability scale is explored; assigning values using fraction, decimals, percentages and words to describe the likelihood of an event. Students are encouraged to be systematic when listing outcomes of single or combined events and to use appropriate forms to display outcomes such as two-way tables. Procedural variation in questioning is used to good effect to underpin the learning. Probability experiments are explored practically with relative frequencies calculated and compared to theoretical probabilities. Theoretical probabilities are found from models and used to solve problems. The unit is rounded off by a consideration of mutually exclusive events and associated calculations including adding simple probabilities and finding the probability of successive events.

## Lesson 1

## FREE LESSON

## Unit 10: Ratio

With a strong emphasis on using techniques from bar modelling to develop mastery, this unit focuses on developing skills with ratio. Starting from the basics, the concept of ratio, its notation and the connection with fractions is developed. Simplifying ratio, dividing in a given ratio and solving ratio problems in context are explored using procedural variation to support learning. Direct proportion is linked to ratio and students recognise, represent and use direct proportion to solve graded questions. Ratio as a linear function is presented graphically, and students interpret the gradient and use reasoning to solve questions in context. The unit closes with a Lesson on scale factors and maps where the fluency of the earlier ratio work supports this application of ratio in a real-life context.


## Unit 11: Shapes and transformations

This unit focuses on the properties of angles and shapes. Beautifully illustrated to support learning and with a balance of clarity and challenge, this unit provides a valuable resource for the development of understanding within this area of mathematics. Angle properties in lines and shapes are explored, developed and used to solve problems. Names and properties of 2D shapes are met and classification is explored. The values of interior and exterior angles of polygons are considered and skills developed and applied to reasoning challenges. All four transformations of shapes are considered both singly and as combinations. The work on enlargements is then developed into considering similarity of shapes and their properties, considering initially integer scale factors. This work is then further developed to encompass fractional scale factors and finding and using centres of enlargement.


Lesson 2 Angle properties of shapes
Lesson 3 Translations and rotations
Lesson 4 Transformations and reflections
Lesson 5 Enlargements and similarity
Lesson 6 Further enlargements
Unit assessment

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## Unit 12: Sequences

This unit considers sequences and inequalities; developing the fundamentals of the maths behind sequences and extending into more complex sequences. Starting with the concept of sequences, the unit considers linear sequences; recognising, describing and finding the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term. Triangular number sequences, the Fibonacci sequence and other known sequences are explored whilst arithmetic and geometric sequences are identified and distinguished. Quadratic sequences are introduced and their $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term is used to generate a sequence. Relevance to real-life context is used to enhance learning and to facilitate the application of skills developed with sequences. The unit closes by considering inequalities; solving linear inequalities using a number line and algebraic techniques, and applying this knowledge to tackle reasoning problems.

## Unit 13: Proportion

Proportion now represents a more significant aspect of the reformed GCSE specification and this unit is an excellent resource to support and deepen the learning in this important area of mathematics. With much of the learning contextualised, this unit develops students' understanding of proportion in the context of currency conversions, best buy problems and conversion between a range of units, including metric and imperial units. It uses graphical representations of proportion to develop understanding and encourage mastery, and uses ratio to convert between measures. The unit closes by considering a range of contextualised reasoning problems to deepen understanding.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5 Metric and imperial conversions
Lesson 6 Direct proportion problems
Unit assessment

## Unit 14: Data

This unit tackles the basics of handling data; clearly illustrated and with an emphasis on clarity and deepening understanding, this unit provides an excellent basis for work on statistics, which is continued in Unit 21. The unit starts by considering types of data, methods of collection and display. Continuous data is met, grouped using appropriate notation and used to construct statistical diagrams. Mean, mode, median and range are found and interpreted from data and estimated from grouped data. Consideration is given to which type of measure is more useful in different circumstances. Stem and leaf diagrams are explored and used. The unit ends by considering how to compare populations; using a range of statistical charts, graphs, diagrams and measures.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4 Mean, mode, median and range
Lesson 5 Estimating averages
Lesson 6 Statistical diagrams and tables
Lesson 7 Comparing populations

Unit assessment

## Unit 15: Properties of shapes

This unit continues the work from Unit 11 on the properties of angles and shapes. The unit starts by considering the names and properties of quadrilaterals and the classification of each by property. Tessellations of shapes are explored, and the interior angles of polygons are considered in this context. Geometrical reasoning problems are considered, and students are supported in the development of a solution and encouraged to use appropriate language. Circle area and circumference are met and applied. The unit ends by considering the properties of 3D shapes including their nets, symmetries and associated geometric terms.


FREE LESSON Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6
Lesson 7

Quadrilaterals
Tessellations
Solving geometrical problems Circumference

Circle areas
3D shapes
Planes of symmetry and nets

## Unit assessment

## Unit 16: Applications of number

This unit starts with two Lessons focusing on the application of mathematics to household financial matters including the calculation of VAT, profit and loss, tax and simple interest. Rates are explored in the context of pay along with the calculation of income tax. Compound measures including speed and density are explored and used, tackling the conversion between these compound units. Standard form is used to express numbers. Converting between both forms and calculations with numbers in standard form are considered in a real-life context. The use of a calculator is supported.


## Unit 17: Further graphs

This unit continues the earlier work on graphs to develop into a wider range of graphs including quadratic, cubic, reciprocal and real-life graphs. Graphs of real-life situations are explored; drawing these, interpreting the line in context and solving associated reasoning problems. Quadratic graphs are explored; plotting from values, identifying roots, intercepts and turning points, and interpreting quadratic graphs of real-life problems. Simple cubic and reciprocal graphs are recognised, sketched and interpreted. The unit closes by developing skills to solve simultaneous linear equations graphically, developing the learning from within a context.


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## Unit 18: Geometry

This unit builds on earlier geometry units to consider constructions with straight line and compass which are then used to solve loci problems. Questions have an emphasis on developing reasoning skills. Congruency of shapes is explored and congruence criteria for triangles are developed and associated problems solved. Similarity is explored, and its understanding developed so that students can solve problems in missing lengths and angles with an emphasis on reasoning. The relationship between the side lengths of right angled triangles is explored. Pythagoras' theorem is used to find missing sides and to solve more complex reasoning problems set in real-life contexts. The unit closes by developing understanding of how to pose a simple proof set in a geometric context; using symmetry and side and angle properties developed so far.


## FREE LESSON

Lesson 1 Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5 Pythagoras' Theorem
Lesson 6 Geometric proofs
Unit assessment

## Unit 19: Equations and identities

This unit builds on the earlier algebra units, starting with a wellpaced recap of necessary prior knowledge. Solving linear equations including those with variables on both sides, brackets and more complicated expressions are tackled. Students move on by expanding double brackets and factorising quadratic expressions, with an emphasis on a mastery approach and application of skills through reasoning problems. Identities; understanding what they are and using them is considered next. Mathematical reasoning is used to show equivalence of expressions and 'show that' questions are developed with concepts being strongly supported through mathematical representations. Algebraic problems are posed from geometric context and reasoning skills are developed to support the solving of such problems.


## Unit 20: Trigonometry

This geometry unit focuses fully on developing mastery of this important area of mathematics. At the start of the unit, students consider similar shapes and the impact of similarity on the ratio of side lengths. With carefully chosen illustrations to illuminate the learning, the unit introduces the trigonometric ratios and develops these into the more formal methods of use when finding missing sides or angles in right-angled triangles. The trigonometric ratios for special triangles are devised and applied, and the angles of elevation and depression met and used in context to solve trigonometry problems and reasoning challenges.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Trigonometry problems

Unit assessment

This is such a steep learning curve, but PG Online materials have been great and really support me and my students.
Mrs Julia Vale. Assistant Head Teacher Court Moor School

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## Unit 21: Statistics

This statistics unit builds on Unit 14: Data - and begins with a well-paced revision of the prior knowledge required for this unit. Types of data, including primary and secondary data, are considered and the collection of these explored. Sampling of data is examined along with understanding bias and how to avoid it to produce representative samples from a population. Times series are studied next; constructing tables for data and producing and interpreting appropriate graphs of this data. The unit is completed by a thorough consideration of scatter graphs in a real-life context; interpreting the line of best fit and using it to predict values where appropriate, understanding correlation and its relationship to causation.


Lesson 1 Knowledge check
Lesson 2 Types of data
Lesson 3 Sampling
Lesson 4 Time series
Lesson 5 Scatter graphs
Lesson 6 Correlation
Unit assessment

## Unit 22: Probability diagrams

This unit builds on the earlier probability in Unit 9 to develop understanding of the use of diagrams, charts and tables in solving probability problems. The unit begins with a consideration of the impact of sample size on the relative frequency obtained. Graphs are used to support understanding. Tree diagrams are used to represent the outcome of dependent and independent events and to calculate the probabilities of these outcomes. Venn diagrams are also introduced to represent outcomes and to support the calculation of probabilities from real-life contexts and with an emphasis on developing reasoning skills. Two-way tables are then considered and the unit closes by exploring probability problems linked with other areas of mathematics such as algebra and data handing


|  | Lesson 1 | Sample size |
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| FREE LESSON | Lesson 2 | Tree diagrams |
|  | Lesson 3 | Venn diagrams |
|  | Lesson 4 | Using tables and diagrams |
|  | Lesson 5 | Dependent events |
|  | Lesson 6 | Solving probability problems |
|  | Unit assessment |  |

## Unit 23: Mensuration

This unit on mensuration begins with an introduction to vectors, their key properties and uses. With an emphasis on developing mastery, students learn how to carry out simple arithmetic processes with vectors and understand the geometric interpretations of these. Circle facts from Unit 15 are built on, developing skills for calculations involving arcs and sectors of circles, dealing with composite circle shapes and solving problems in relation to these. The unit moves on to look at 3D shapes, specially finding the surface area and volume of 3D shapes. Formulae are developed and presented and students' skills in applying these formulae to find missing values are supported. Contextualised problems including the use of reasoning skills are developed.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
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Arcs and sectors
Lesson 5 Composite circle shapes
Lesson $6 \quad$ Volume of complex shapes
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## Unit 24: Applications of ratio

This unit builds on earlier Units 10 and 13, developing further the mastery of this area of mathematics through the use of context and reasoning skills. Density and pressure are explored and calculated following a recap of prior learning of fractions, decimal and percentages. Ratios of the lengths, areas and volumes of similar shapes are explored and used to solve problems in context, with units being converted as appropriate. Velocity time graphs are drawn and their gradients and the area under the graph are interpreted in context. Directly and inversely proportional relationships are recognised and interpreted and, where appropriate, represented algebraically. Compound interest is explored and students set up, solve and interpret real-life problems. The unit closes by considering growth and decay problems in context; setting up and solving problems through repeated calculations (rather than using a formula) and interpreting the solutions.


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Lesson 6
Lesson 7
Unit assessment

## Unit 25: Further equations

This final unit of the series develops the algebraic strand by considering a wide range of more complex equations and solving them. Solving linear equations is revisited, followed by solving quadratic equations by factorising. Simultaneous equations are derived from questions in context and solved algebraically, both by substitution and elimination. A wide range of types of problems are presented and reasoning skills are developed through the setting up and solving of these problems; including solving a range of types of equations and of inequalities. At the close of the unit, degrees of accuracy are explored along with the impact of accuracy levels on calculations.

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This Edexcel GCSE Foundation Student book provides a fresh new approach to traditional textbooks. It is comprehensive in its coverage of the full Edexcel GCSE Maths Foundation specification, but this student book is a resource which can be used either to complement the teaching and learning materials produced by PG Online for this specification or as a stand-alone student book. For the classroom or revision, it comprises 25 sections, each focusing on aspects from one of the strands of the specification. Each section is further divided into six or seven chapters; one chapter representing the learning from approximately one lesson.


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Lesson 1
Lesson 2 Calculating with decimal numbers
Lesson 3 Rounding and decimal places
Lesson 4 Significant figures
Lesson 5 Error intervals
Lesson 6

Unit assessment

## Unit 1: Integers

This unit covers the building blocks of number; dealing with integer values. With a focus on the clarity of explanations and developing mastery, the unit aims to ensure that students are fluent with these critical basics. Integers, both positive and negative, and place value are explored and these concepts developed and used within reasoning problems. The use of the four mathematical operations are considered and consolidated through intelligent practice. Contextualised problems help develop a range of written methods to multiply and divide numbers and to find a remainder. The relationship between operations is explored and used to solve problems. The hierarchy of operations is discussed with conventional notation used to support this work.

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Fergal Moane. Assistant Headteacher, Sandringham School

# Unit 2: Primes, factors and multiples 

This unit focuses on the properties of number. The unit begins with an investigation leading to square numbers. Roots are explored. The work on index numbers continues; recognising and recalling the squares and cubes, and the square and cube roots of key integers. The laws of indices are developed in the context of number and used to simplify index numbers. With a strong emphasis on the use of imagery and pictorial representations to encourage mastery, this unit develops understanding of factors and multiples of numbers, prime numbers, expressing a number as a product of its prime factors and working out the root of a number when expressed in this form. It explores how to find the highest common factor and the lowest common multiple of a set of numbers and applies this knowledge to solving problems in context.


Lesson 1
FREE LESSON
Lesson 2

Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Multiples and LCM
Lesson $7 \quad$ Factors and HCF
Unit assessment

## Unit 3: Algebraic expressions

This unit returns to the basics of algebra to ensure fluency in the bedrock of algebraic techniques. Algebraic notation is considered; the representation of an unknown by a letter, the four operations in algebra and index numbers. Algebraic expressions are introduced and used to represent information given in a context. The substitution of numbers into algebraic expressions is dealt with, including into known and given scientific formula. Algebraic expressions are manipulated and simplified by collecting like terms, cancelling terms, multiplying and dividing terms, expanding brackets and factorising. Algebraic terms involving indices and surds are met and manipulated using the laws of indices. The unit ensures students understand key terminology relating to algebra such as expression, equation and formulae, and continues to deal with the formation and solving of simple equations. Rearranging of simple formulae is considered including changing the subject of a formula involving indices.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Algebraic expression
Lesson 4 Simple equations
Lesson 5 Simple formula
Lesson 6 Brackets and common factors
Lesson 7 Powers and roots
Unit assessment

## Unit 5: Measures

This unit deals with measures used in mathematics, including scales, 2D representations, perimeter, area and volume. At the start of the unit, estimation is considered in context, with sensible degrees of accuracy discussed and the use of approximations to estimate the value of a calculation explored. With elegant graphics to support the learning, students discover scale drawings and bearings, using reasoning to solve contextualised problems. Plans and elevations are met, focusing on the skills needed to draw and interpret 2D representations of 3D objects, including the use of isometric drawings. The unit then moves on to shapes; finding the perimeter, area and volume of shapes such as triangles, trapezium, parallelogram, cuboids, prisms and composites of these shapes. Standard formulae for area and volume are introduced and used, and these skills are applied through graded questions with reasoning and problem-solving.


Lesson 1 Estimation
Lesson 2 Scale diagrams
Lesson 3 Bearings
Lesson 4 Plans and elevations
Lesson 5 Perimeter
FREE LESSON
Lesson 6 Area of simple shapes Lesson $7 \quad$ Volume of simple shapes Unit assessment

The worksheet relating to each part of the unit are excellent for consolidation.
Fiona Peers, Head of Mathematics
Akeley Wood School

## Unit 6: Fractions

This fourth number unit in the foundation series is dedicated to considering all key aspects of fractions. The unit begins by looking at equivalent fractions, simplifying fractions and being able to compare and order fractions. Associated terminology is introduced and used. There is a strong emphasis on the use of images to represent fractions and their equivalents in order to support mastery of this key area of mathematics. The unit continues to look at mixed fractions and students develop skills to convert between mixed and improper fractions. Skills in applying the four operations with fractions are developed. Graded questions are tackled in context.


|  | Lesson 1 | Equivalent fractions |
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| Lesson 2 | Proper and improper fractions |  |
| Lesson 3 | Adding and subtracting fractions |  |
| Lesson 4 | Mixed numbers |  |
| FREE LESSON | Lesson 5 | Multiplying fractions |
| Lesson 6 | Dividing fractions |  |
| Unit assessment |  |  |

## Unit 7: Straight line graphs

This unit considers the properties and uses of straight line graphs. With an emphasis on developing mastery, the unit begins by revisiting coordinates; reading and plotting values and finding the mid-point between two points. Equations of horizontal and vertical lines are explored and developed. Linear graphs are constructed from tables and an understanding of the form $y=$ $m x+c$ is developed and used to solve problems. The gradient and $y$-intercept of a straight line graph are explored, and skills developed so that students can plot a straight line without a table of values, from the gradient and $y$-intercept. Using context, the unit continues to develop skills in finding the equation of a line between two given points and a line with a given gradient that passes through a single given point. Reasoning problems are presented to support the development of students' ability to apply their knowledge.


|  | Lesson 1 | Working with coordinates |
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| FREE LESSON | Lesson 2 | Equations of lines |
|  | Lesson 3 | Plotting graphs 1 |
|  | Lesson 4 | Plotting graphs 2 |
|  | Lesson 5 | Gradients of straight lines |
|  | Lesson 6 | Equation of a straight line 1 |
|  | Lesson 7 | Equation of a straight line 2 |
|  | Unit assessment |  |

## Unit 8: Fractions, decimals and percentages

This unit focuses on the properties and applications of fractions, decimals and percentages. Decimal and fractions are considered first with an emphasis on developing a mastery of these dual concepts. From here, percentages are introduced; expressing an amount as a percentage, converting between fractions, decimals and percentages and comparing two quantities using percentages. In context, percentages are interpreted as operators, percentages of amounts are found and reasoning tasks involving percentages are posed. Fluency with percentages grows as the unit moves on to consider percentage increase and decrease; using a decimal multiplier to represent the percentage change and to work in reverse. Problems in context involving percentage change are posed and solved.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5 Problems involving percentages
Lesson 6 Percentage increase
Lesson 7 Percentage decrease
Unit assessment

PG Online resources are very well planned and easy to use.


The stretch and challenge provided for was outstanding.

## Unit 9: Probability

This unit focuses on developing mastery in the basic and developing concepts of probability. The probability scale is explored; assigning values using fractions, decimals and percentages to the likelihood of an event. Students are encouraged to be systematic when listing outcomes of single or combined events and to use appropriate forms to display outcomes such as two-way tables. Procedural variation in questioning is used to good effect to underpin the learning. Probability experiments are explored practically with relative frequencies calculated and compared to theoretical probabilities. Theoretical probabilities are found from models and used to solve problems. The unit is rounded off by a consideration of mutually exclusive events and associated calculations including adding simple probabilities and finding the probability of successive events.


## Lesson 1

FREE LESSON ,

Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6
Lesson 7
Unit assessment

## Unit 10: Ratio

With a strong emphasis on using techniques from bar modelling to develop mastery, this unit focuses on developing skills with ratio. Starting from the basics, the concept of ratio, its notation and the connection to fractions is developed. Simplifying ratio, dividing in a given ratio and solving ratio problems in context are explored and procedural variation is used to support this learning. Direct proportion is linked to ratio and students recognise, represent and use direct proportion to solve graded questions. Ratio as a linear function is presented graphically, and students interpret the gradient and use reasoning to solve questions in context. The unit closes with a lesson on scale factors and maps where the fluency of the earlier ratio work supports this application of ratio in a real-life context.

## Unit 11: Shapes and transformations

This unit focuses on the properties of angles and shapes. Beautifully illustrated to support learning and with a balance of clarity and challenge, this unit provides a valuable resource for the development of understanding within this area of mathematics. Angle properties in lines and shapes are explored, developed and used to solve problems. Names and properties of 2D shapes are met and classification is explored. The values of interior and exterior angles of polygons are considered and skills developed and applied to reasoning challenges. All four transformations of shapes are considered both singly and as combinations. The work on enlargements is then developed into considering similarity of shapes and their properties, initially considering integer scale factors. This work is then further developed to encompass fractional scale factors and finding and using centres of enlargement.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6
Angle properties of lines
Angle properties of shapes
Translations and rotations Transformations and reflections Enlargements and similarity

Unit assessment

We decided that (rather than going on courses) it would be far more beneficial to buy in resources for the same price or less. We have looked into (several resources) which would fulfil the curriculum...
We have decided to go with PG Online as this offered the best resources for the cheapest price.

## Unit 12: Sequences

This unit considers sequences and inequalities; developing the fundamentals of the maths behind sequences and extending into more complex sequences. With graphics which enhance learning and a focus on developing mastery, this unit provides an excellent platform to learn about this area of mathematics. Starting with the concept of sequences, the unit considers linear sequences; recognising, describing and finding the $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term. Triangular number sequences, Fibonacci sequence and other known sequences are explored whilst arithmetic and geometric sequences are identified and distinguished. Quadratic sequences are met and their $\mathrm{n}^{\text {th }}$ term is used to generate a sequence. Relevance to real-life context is used to enhance learning and facilitate the application of skills developed with sequences. The unit closes by considering inequalities; solving linear inequalities using a number line and algebraic techniques and applying this knowledge to tackle reasoning problems.

## Unit 13: Proportion

Proportion now represents a more significant aspect of the reformed GCSE specification and this unit is an excellent resource to support and deepen the learning in this important area of mathematics. With much of the learning contextualised, this unit develops students' understanding of proportion in the context of currency conversions, best buy problems and conversion between a range of units, including metric and imperial units. It uses graphical representations of proportion to develop understanding and encourage mastery and uses ratio to convert between measures. The unit closes by considering a range of contextualised reasoning problems to deepen understanding.


## Unit 14: Data

This unit tackles the basics of handling data; well-illustrated and with an emphasis on clarity and deepening understanding, this unit provides an excellent basis for work on statistics, which is continued in Unit 21. The unit starts by considering types of data, methods of collection and display. Continuous data is met, grouped using appropriate notation and used to construct statistical diagrams. Mean, mode, median and range are found and interpreted from data and estimated from grouped data. Consideration is given to which type of measure is more useful in different circumstances. The unit ends by considering how to compare populations using a range of statistical charts, graphs, diagrams and measures.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Statistical diagrams and tables
Lesson 7 Comparing populations
Unit assessment

## Unit 15: Properties of shapes

This unit continues the work from Unit 11 on the properties of angles and shapes. The unit starts by considering quadrilaterals; their names and properties and the classification of each by property. Rotational and reflective symmetry of shapes are explored, and the interior angles of polygons are considered in this context. Geometrical reasoning problems are considered, and students are supported in the development of a solution and encouraged to use appropriate language. Circle area and circumference are met and applied. The unit ends by considering the properties of 3D shapes, the difference between prisms and pyramids and work on the shape of nets of 3D shapes.


FREE LESSON Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6
Lesson 7

Quadrilaterals
Symmetry
Solving geometrical problems
Circumference
Circle areas
3D shapes
Nets of 3D shapes

Unit assessment

## Unit 16: Applications of number

The unit starts with two lessons focusing on the application of mathematics to household financial matters including the calculation of VAT, profit and loss, tax and simple interest. Rates are explored in the context of rates of pay along with the calculation of income tax. Compound measures including speed and density are explored, calculated and applied before conversion between compound units is tackled. Standard form is used to express numbers; converting between both forms, and calculations with numbers in standard form are considered in a real-life context. The use of a calculator is supported.


Lesson 1 Dealing with money
FREELESSON Lesson 2 Financial mathematics
Lesson 3 Speed
Lesson 4 Compound measures
Lesson 5 Standard form
Lesson 6 Calculating with standard form
Unit assessment

## Unit 17: Further graphs

This unit continues the earlier work on graphs to develop into a wider range; quadratic, cubic, reciprocal and real-life graphs. Graphs of real-life situations are explored; drawing these, interpreting the line in context and solving associated reasoning problems. Quadratic graphs are met; plotting from values, identifying roots, intercepts and turning points and interpreting quadratic graphs of real-life problems. Simple cubic and reciprocal graphs are recognised, sketched and interpreted. The unit closes by developing skills to solve simultaneous linear equations graphically, developing the learning from within a context.


Lesson 1
Lesson 2
Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Solving simultaneous equations graphically

Unit assessment

We just wanted to say a massive thank you to you and your team for the units we purchased. They have made such a difference to the staff. The teacher now has more time for revision sessions during the busy exam period, has a proper break during the day and the students are more engaged with their learning.

## Unit 18: Geometry

This unit builds on earlier geometry units, initially to consider constructions with straight line and compass, which are then used to solve loci problems, with an emphasis on developing problem solving skills. Congruency of shapes is explored and congruence criteria for triangles are developed and associated problems solved. Similarity is explored, and its understanding developed so that students can solve problems in missing lengths and angles through reasoning. The relationship between the side lengths of right angled triangles is explored and Pythagoras' Theorem reached and used to find missing sides and solve more complex reasoning problems set in a real-life context. The unit closes by developing understanding of how to pose a simple proof set in a geometric context; using symmetry, and the side and angle properties developed so far.



## Unit 19: Equations and identities

This unit builds on the earlier algebra units, starting with a well-paced recap of the necessary prior knowledge. Solving linear equations including those with variables on both sides, brackets and more complicated expressions are tackled. Students move on to expanding double brackets and factorising quadratic expressions, with an emphasis on a mastery approach and the application of skills through reasoning problems. Identities; understanding what they are and using them is considered next. Mathematical reasoning is used to show equivalence of expressions and 'show that' questions are developed with concepts being strongly supported through mathematical representations. Algebraic problems are posed from geometric contexts and reasoning skills are developed to support the solving of such problems.


| Lesson 1 | Knowledge check |
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| Lesson 2 | Harder linear equations |
| Lesson 3 | Product of two binomials |
| Lesson 4 | Factorising quadratics |
| Lesson 5 | Identities |
| Lesson 6 | Proving identities |
| Lesson 7 | Solving algebraic problems |
| Unit assessment |  |

## Unit 20: Trigonometry

This geometry unit fully focuses on developing mastery of this important area of mathematics. At the start of the unit, students consider similar shapes and the impact of similarity on the ratio of side lengths. With carefully chosen illustrations to illuminate the learning, the unit continues on to introduce the trigonometric ratios and develop these into the more formal methods of use when finding missing sides or angles in right angle triangles. The trigonometric ratios for special triangles are devised and used. The unit concludes by considering how to set up and solve trigonometry problems in context.


| Lesson 1 | Ratio in similar shapes |
| :--- | :--- |
| Lesson 2 | Trigonometric ratios |
| Lesson 3 | Using trigonometric ratios |
| Lesson 4 | Trigonometry in context |
| Lesson 5 | Special angles |
| Lesson 6 | Trigonometry problems |
| Unit assessment |  |

This is such a steep learning curve, but PG Online materials have been great and really support me and my students.
Mrs Julia Vale. Assistant Head Teacher Court Moor School

## Unit 21: Statistics

This Statistics unit builds on Unit 14: Data, and begins with a well-paced revision of the prior knowledge required for this unit. Types of data, including primary and secondary data, are considered and the collection of these explored. Sampling of data is examined along with understanding bias and how to avoid it to produce representative samples from a population. Times series are studied next; constructing tables for data and producing and interpreting appropriate graphs of this data. The unit is completed by a thorough consideration of scatter graphs in a real-life context; interpreting the line of best fit and using it to predict values where appropriate, understanding correlation and its relationship to causation.


Lesson 1 Knowledge check
Lesson 2 Types of data
Lesson 3 Sampling
Lesson 4 Time series
Lesson 5 Scatter graphs
Lesson 6 Correlation
Unit assessment

## Unit 22: Probability diagrams

This unit builds on the earlier Unit 9: Probability, to develop understanding of the use of diagrams, charts and tables in solving probability problems. The unit begins with a consideration of the impact of sample size on the relative frequency obtained. Graphs are used to support understanding. Tree diagrams are used to represent the outcome of dependent and independent events and to calculate the probabilities of these outcomes. Venn diagrams are introduced to represent outcomes and to support the calculation of probabilities from real-life context and with an emphasis on developing reasoning skills. Two-way tables are also considered, and the unit closes by exploring probability problems linked with other areas of mathematics such as algebra and data handing.


Lesson 1
FREE LESSON
Lesson 2

Lesson 3
Lesson 4
Lesson 5
Lesson 6 Solving probability problems

Unit assessment

## Unit 23: Mensuration

This unit on mensuration begins with an introduction to vectors, their key properties and uses. With an emphasis on developing mastery, students learn how to carry out simple arithmetic processes with vectors and understand the geometric interpretations of these. Circle facts from Unit 15 are built on, developing skills for calculations involving arcs and sectors of circles, and dealing with composite circle shapes and solving problems in relation to these. The unit moves on to look at 3D shapes; specially finding the surface area and volume of 3D shapes. Formulae are developed and presented and students' skills in applying these formulae to find missing values are supported. Contextualised problems including the use of reasoning skills are developed.


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Christine Mrozek. Teacher
St Michaels Catholic Grammar School

## Unit 24: Applications of ratio

This unit builds on earlier areas further developing the mastery of this important area of mathematics through excellent use of context and reasoning skills. Density and pressure are explored and calculated. Ratios of the lengths, areas and volumes of similar shapes are explored and used to solve problems in context, with units being converted as appropriate. Velocity time graphs are drawn and their gradients and the area under the graph are interpreted in context. Direct and inverse proportion relationships are recognised and interpreted, and where appropriate represented algebraically. Compound interest is explored and students set up, solve and interpret real-life problems. The unit concludes by considering growth and decay problems in context; setting up and solving problems through repeated calculations (rather than using a formula) and interpreting the solutions.

## Unit 25: Further equations

This final unit of the series develops the algebraic strand to learning by considering a wide range of more complex equations and solving them. Solving linear equations is recapped, followed by solving quadratic equations by factorising. Simultaneous equations are derived from questions in context and solved algebraically both by substitution and elimination. A wide range of types of problems are presented and reasoning skills are developed through the setting up and solving of these problems; including solving a range of types of equations. At the end of the unit, degrees of accuracy are explored along with the impact of accuracy levels on calculations.


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