

GCSE Revision Webinar (2) for Mathematics

Effective preparations and revision techniques for GCSE mathematics 2022
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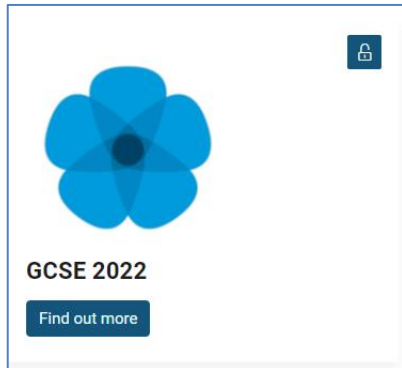
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HIAS Maths Moodle

Open resources







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GCSE 2022

Find out more

-  [Edexcel Foundation Exam aid formula sheet 2022](#)
-  [Edexcel Higher Exam aid formula sheet 2022](#)
-  [GCSE Mathematics - Advance Information Guidance 2022](#)
-  [OCR Advance Information for Summer 2022](#)
-  [Edexcel GCSE Mathematics Advance Information](#)
-  [AQA Advance Information for Summer 2022](#)



Material covered in the last meeting

(available in the GCSE 2022 folder in open resources on the HIAS maths moodle)

- Advance information on exam content from (AQA, Edexcel, OCR)
- A quick look at the formula sheets (F and H)
- Cognitive Psychology: six strategies for effective learning and remembering
- Brief discussion around exam preparation and revision



Agenda

- All info in Open Resources
- Cognitive strategies for learning and remembering
- Flash cards
- Mind-maps
- Variation using a past question
- Low stakes testing resources
- Task design for access and success
- Other resources
- Final discussion and sharing



This webinar is to support your thinking around how best to prepare your students for GCSE maths 2022:

GCSE exams are being adapted this year by Ofqual (the exams regulator) and the DfE

Part of a larger 'safety net' to reduce the impact of lost learning due to the coronavirus

The adaptations for GCSE maths for 2022 are:

- A formula sheet which will be available in the exam
- Advance notice of certain topics that will appear on the exam papers
- **If you haven't done so already, go to your exam board's website and download this information**
- Make sure your students are familiar with the formula sheet and can select and use the information appropriately
- They will get a new copy in each exam, so fine to give everyone their own copy and encourage them to make notes/write on this version as required.



Perimeter, Area and Volume

Where a and b are the lengths of the parallel sides and h is their perpendicular separation:

$$\text{Area of a trapezium} = \frac{1}{2}(a + b)h$$

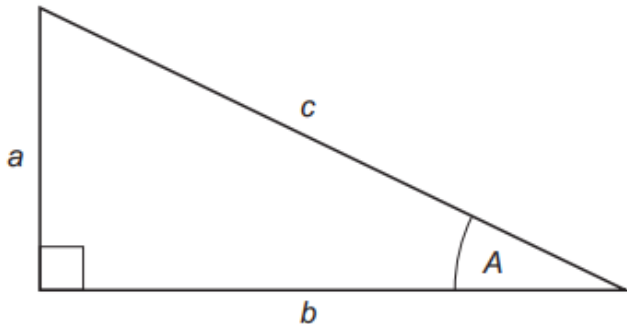
Volume of a prism = area of cross section \times length

Where r is the radius and d is the diameter:

$$\text{Circumference of a circle} = 2\pi r = \pi d$$

$$\text{Area of a circle} = \pi r^2$$

Pythagoras' Theorem and Trigonometry



In any right-angled triangle where a , b and c are the length of the sides and c is the hypotenuse:

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

In any right-angled triangle ABC where a , b and c are the length of the sides and c is the hypotenuse:

$$\sin A = \frac{a}{c} \quad \cos A = \frac{b}{c} \quad \tan A = \frac{a}{b}$$

Opposite
Adjacent
Hypotenuse

Compound Interest

Where P is the principal amount, r is the interest rate over a given period and n is the number of times that the interest is compounded:

$$\text{Total accrued} = P \left(1 + \frac{r}{100} \right)^n$$

Probability

Where $P(A)$ is the probability of outcome A and $P(B)$ is the probability of outcome B :

$$P(A \text{ or } B) = P(A) + P(B) - P(A \text{ and } B)$$

Taken from OCR
website Nov2021

Higher Tier Formulae Sheet

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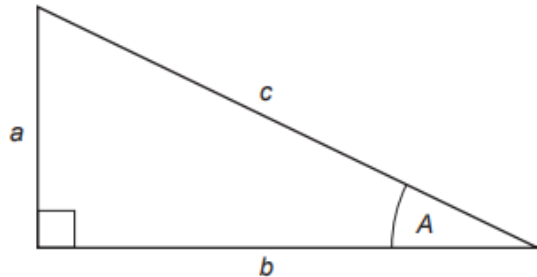
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The Quadratic Formula

The solutions of $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ where $a \neq 0$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

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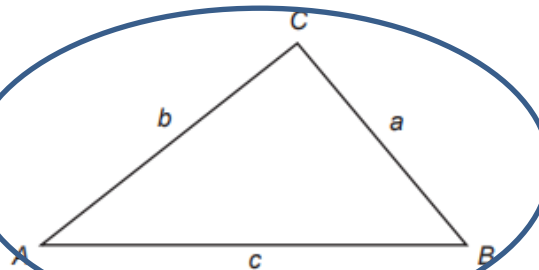
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$$\text{sine rule: } \frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$$

$$\text{cosine rule: } a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$$

$$\text{Area of triangle} = \frac{1}{2}ab \sin C$$



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$$P(A \text{ and } B) = P(A \text{ given } B)P(B)$$



A reminder.....

Advance information:

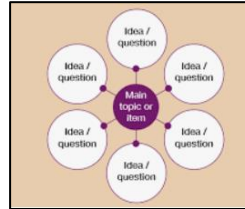
- can be used flexibly by centres to achieve its purpose of supporting revision. Advance information should not, however, be used to narrow teaching and learning.
- can be used by teachers in supporting their students' revision and referred to by students in their revision and final examination preparation.
- cannot be brought into the examinations.
- is not at a level that allows questions to be predicted or answers prepared.
- students' preparation for examinations should continue to focus on knowledge and understanding that can be applied appropriately in the context of unseen examination questions.



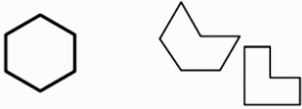
Cognitive Psychology:

Six strategies for effective learning and remembering

**The development of understanding:
Explain and describe ideas with many details**




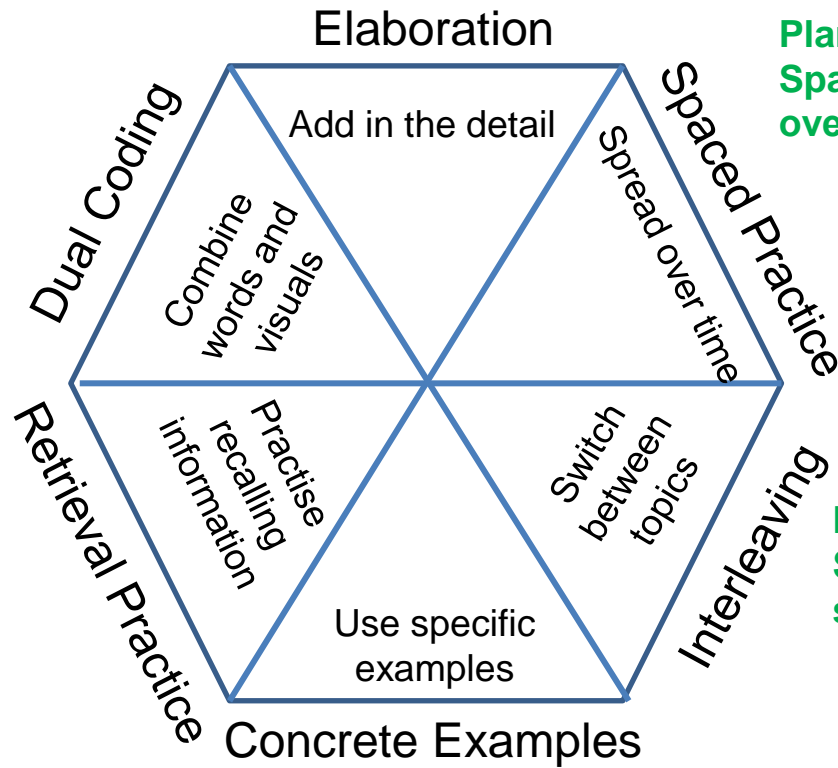
'A hexagon has 6 edges'



**The development of understanding:
Combine words and visuals**

**Reinforcement:
Practise bringing information to mind**

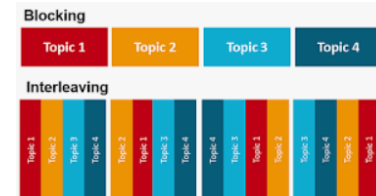
Regular Recall	
Last lesson Find the area of this triangle. 	Last topic Name the four different types of transformation.
Last term What is the size of an exterior angle of a hexagon?	Last year Write 90 as a product of its prime factors.



**Planning:
Space out study of a topic over time (A.....A.....A)**



**Planning:
Switch between ideas while studying (ACB / CBA / BCA topics)**



$$2^n + 2^m = 2^{n-m} \qquad 5^n + 5^m = 5^{n-m}$$

$$2^8 + 2^2 = 2^6 \qquad 5^8 + 5^2 = 5^6$$

$$\frac{2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2}{2 \times 2} \qquad \frac{5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5}{5 \times 5}$$

The development of understanding: Use specific examples to understand abstract ideas

MOCK exam question level analysis : Be organised

Where did your students score least well?

Tailor your teaching and revision lessons so that you can teach the weaknesses and revise the strengths.

Make a list and look for connected topics

Make a timed plan for your lessons and to guide students with a schedule for their own independent work.

Multiplication facts

Histograms

Frequency tables (Foundation)

Geometric progression

Rounding including upper lower bounds

Indices/index/standard form

Speed time graphs

Formula – recall of, rearranging, substituting

Multi-step problems

Inequalities (Higher)

Converting units

Negative numbers within substitution etc.

Graphs

Fractions – especially mixed numbers

PREDICTIONS AND TARGETS : BE PROACTIVE

Be clear about where you and your students need to be by the end of April.

What percentage of grades 4 and 5+ do you want?

How many pupils is that?

What classes are they in?

Be clear about the strategies you will use for **specific groups of students.**

- Interventions:
- Maths tutor group
- Use of HLTA
- Collapsed class taught by one good practitioner with others to support
- Rotation teaching (pupils go to the topic they need more practice with)
- Extra revision sessions in various forms
- Maths teachers allocated two or three 'key' pupils to mentor
- Use of connected past questions
- Use of practice papers
- Other strategies ?



Using Flash Cards for Revision

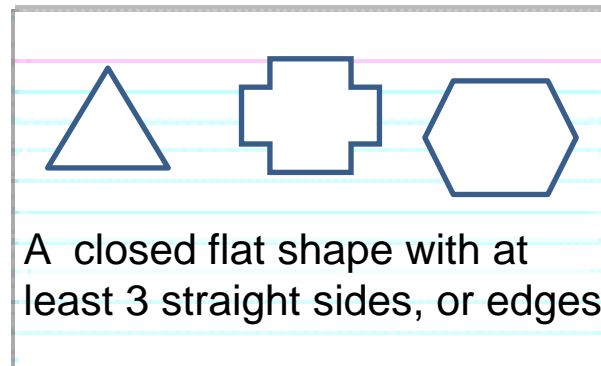
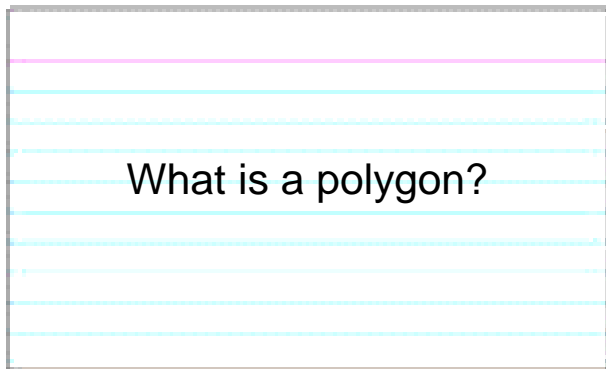
What are the strategies that work best ?
(Spaced practice, Retrieval practice, Interleaving)

Flashcards are a valuable revision tool.

They allow a student to test their knowledge of definitions and key ideas – an essential part of successful exam preparation.

What do I mean by flashcards?

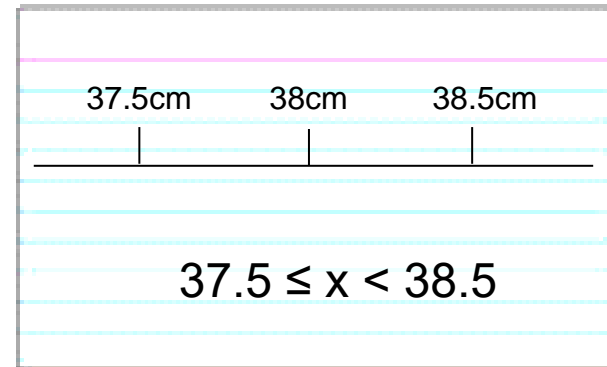
Flashcards are sets of small, double-sided cards used to learn and revise details, keywords and vocabulary. They are useful for learning the relationship between two pieces of information You write a question or key term on the front and then the answer or definition on the back.



Flashcards are for testing not summarising

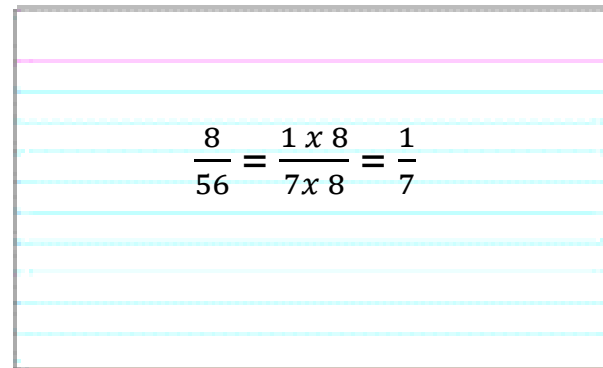
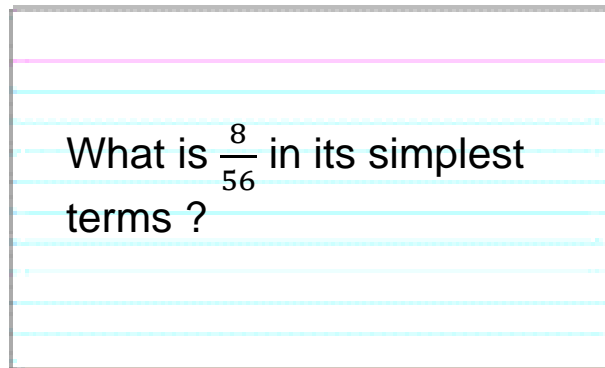
- Flashcards should be used to test knowledge, not just to condense information.
- Students often list bullet points on flashcards that they carry around with them to reread.
- Rereading notes is a passive learning activity so is not an economical use of revision time.
- **Instead, use flashcards as a quick way of testing what is known.**
 1. On the front of the card, write a key term or question
 2. On the back of the card, answer that question or write the definition for the term
 3. Try to work out the answer/definition on the front before checking the answer on the back.

What is the lower bound of 38cm to the nearest cm?



One idea, one flashcard

- The goal isn't to fill the flashcards with points to make the most of the space.
- The most effective flashcards include one question followed by one answer (or one term followed by one definition).
- Split up longer questions into smaller, simpler ones. It is easier to process simple, small items of information than complex, wordy ones. You will end up with more flashcards this way, but the learning will be a lot more effective.
- Splitting the information allows each part to be learnt separately at the student's own pace which should save time and improve memory retention.

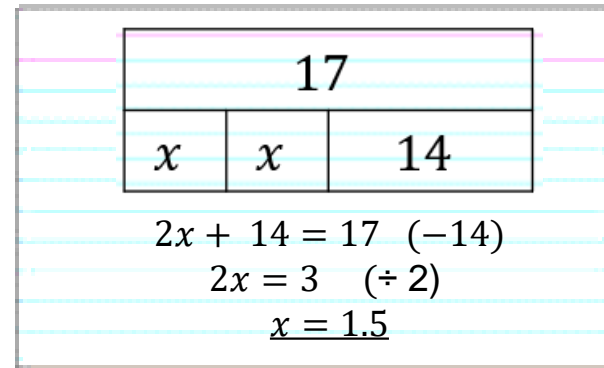
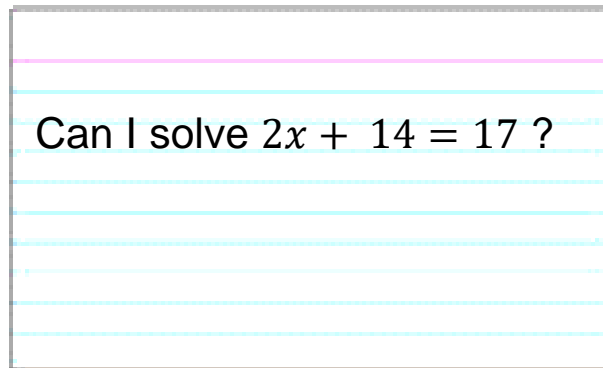


Boost your memory by combining pictures and words

Dual coding theory explains that our brains find it easier to recognise and recall visual inputs with verbal prompts – pictures and sounds are easier to remember than written words.

It takes time to decode and memorise text so pictures that support text work well—especially in the revision world.

Research suggests that, after three days, someone is likely to remember around 10% of information they read. If an image is added to text this figure increases and up to 65% of information is remembered.



Use spaced repetition to revise with flashcards

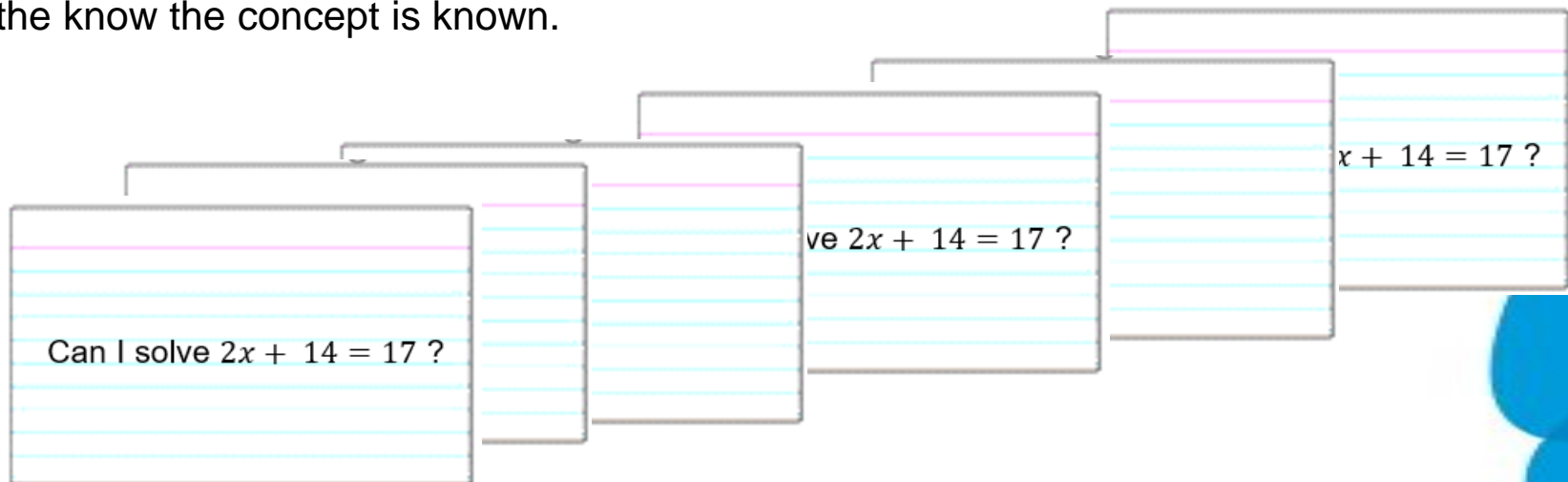
Great revision strategies share the same principle: testing your learning multiple times.

Flashcards are simple to create and quick and convenient for self-testing. The power of flashcards is seen when we allocate time to review them multiple times.

Testing with each flashcard ten times could be a waste of precious revision time. There will be some concepts students struggle to learn and remember, with others they might become confident quickly.

This is where spaced repetition comes in: a technique to help students revise what they need to, when they need to.

Spaced repetition is the technique of testing multiple times, at intervals dependent on how well the know the concept is known.



Use spaced repetition to revise with flashcards

The concepts that should be retested most often are those the student is struggling to learn and commit to memory.

The time between these retests should be low.

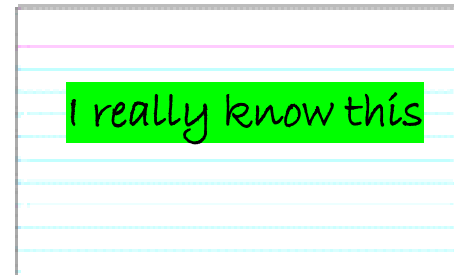
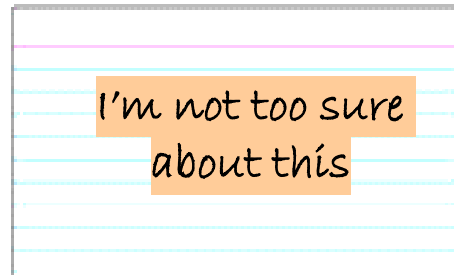
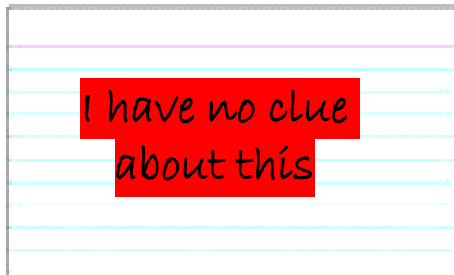
The concepts the student feels confident with should be retested less frequently.

Once confident, the student should retest these flashcards just enough to not forget them. A simple way of implementing this tip is to sort the flashcards as they revise with them.

After answering a flashcard, put it into one of three piles:

- I have no clue about this
- I'm not too sure about this
- I really know this

The '*no clue*' pile should be tested soonest. As they retest their knowledge, their flashcards should change piles until (hopefully) all of them are in the '*I really know this*' pile.



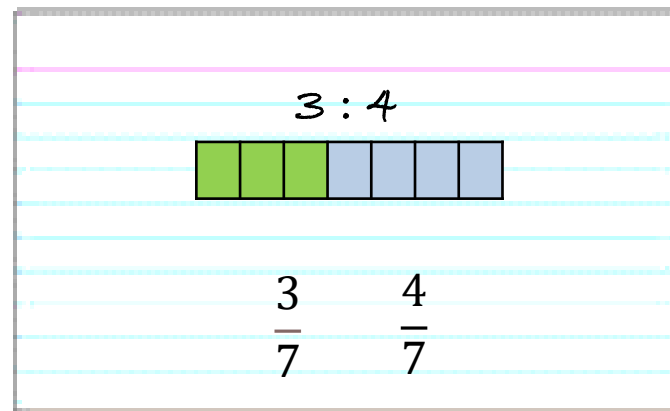
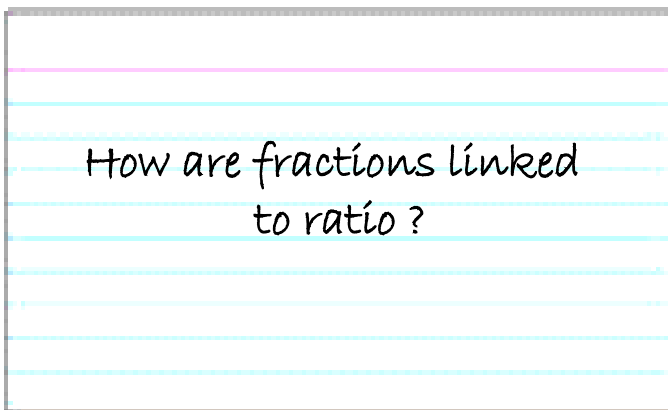
Don't just use flashcards

Flashcards are a great revision tool, but they do have disadvantages like every other technique.

Flashcards allow the learner to learn the answers to simple questions and the relationship between two pieces of information.

They don't allow the learner to apply this information to situations, understand it in depth or in a wider context.

You need to add other techniques too.



Other revision techniques

Mind-maps can illustrate all the key ideas and details of a concept or topic.

Quizzes can test knowledge of broader and deeper ideas.

Practice exam questions allow the learner to apply their knowledge to a situation or example, engage in critical analysis, synthesise ideas to create new understanding and practice for the exam.

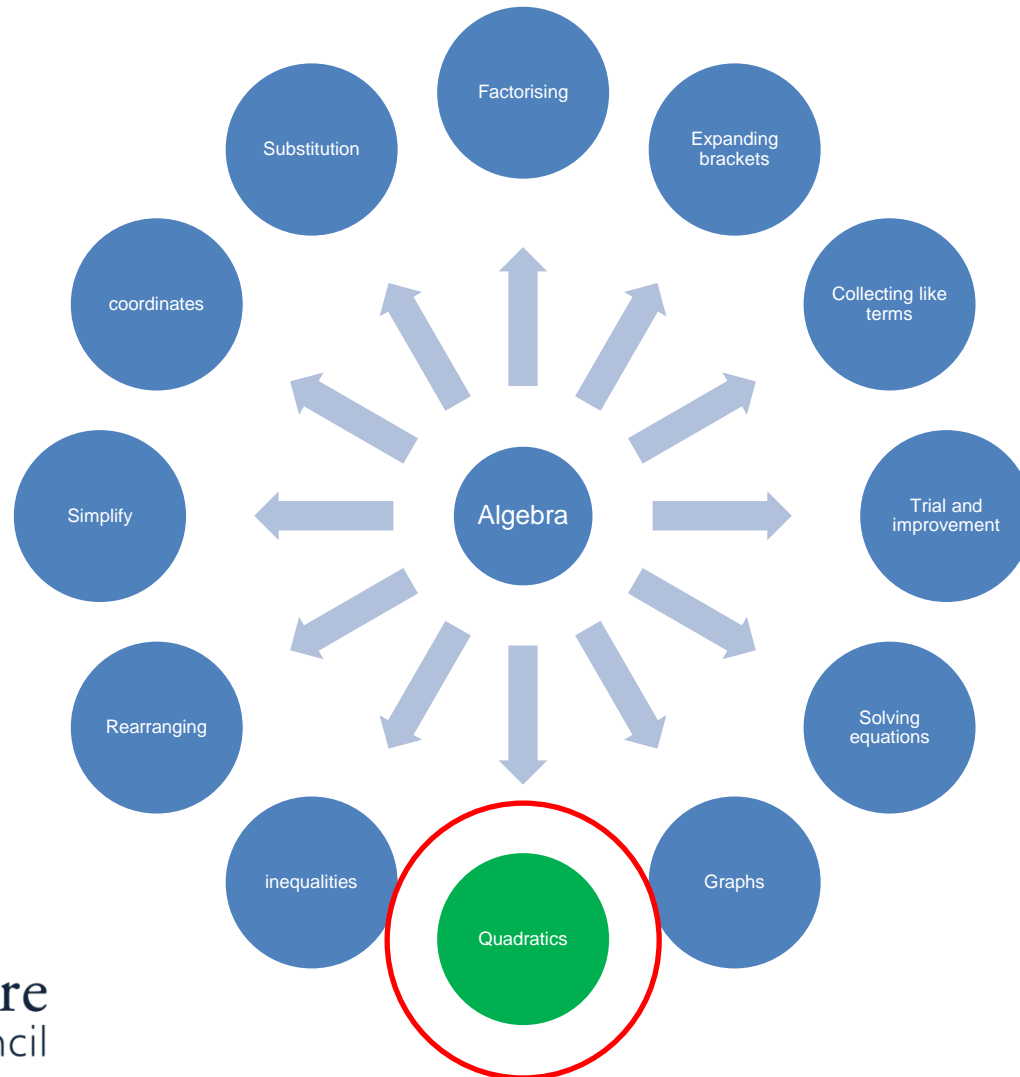
For effective revision, using a range of active revision techniques together. Perhaps flashcards, mind-maps, anchor questions with a varied sequence of related problems, low stakes quizzes and?



Mind Maps for Revision

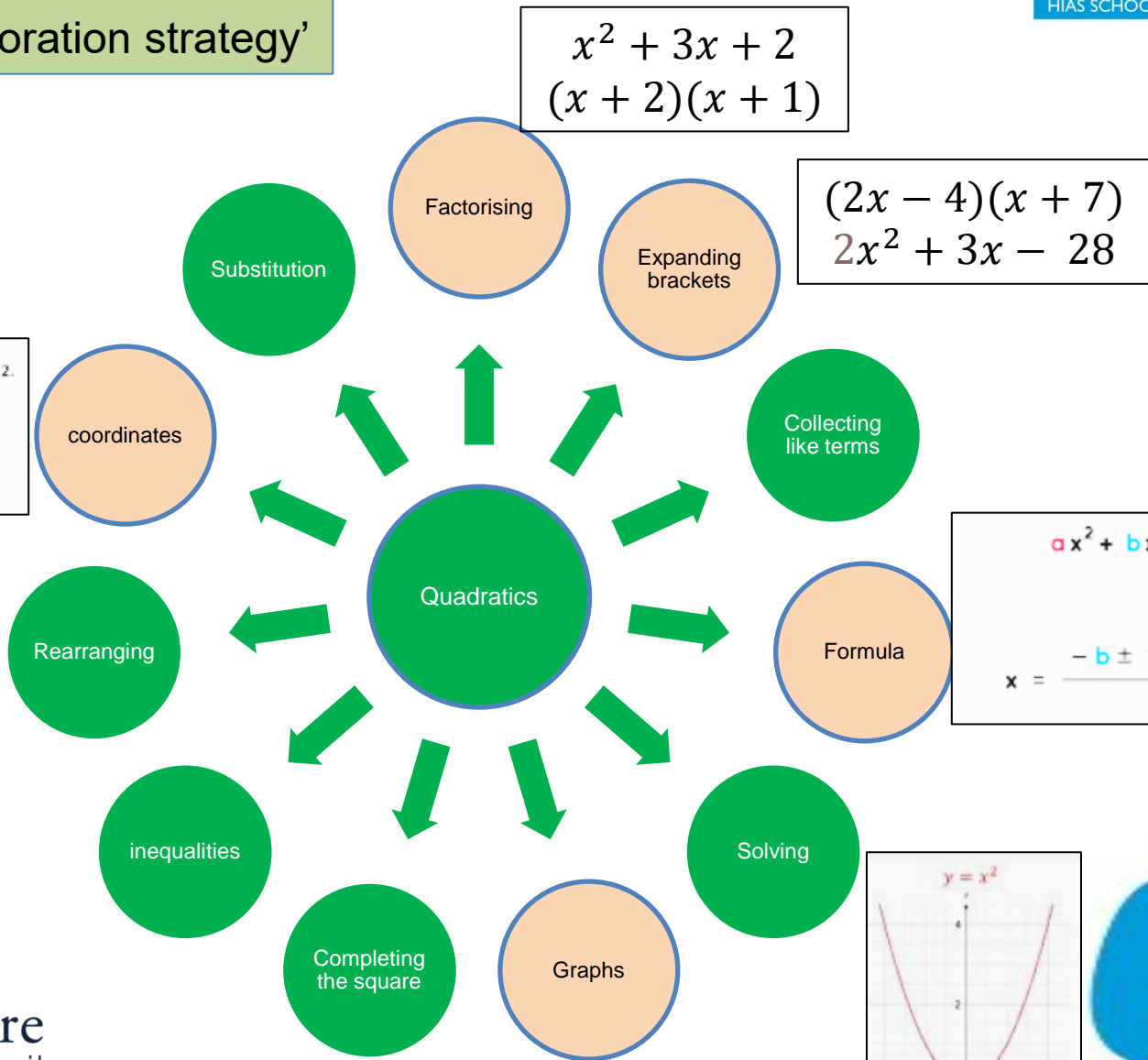
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Mind Maps for Revision

Using the 'elaboration strategy'



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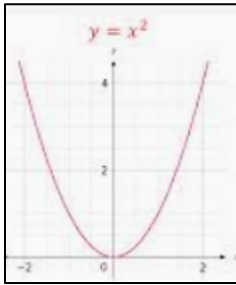
$$(x + 2)(x + 1)$$

$$(2x - 4)(x + 7)$$

$$2x^2 + 3x - 28$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$



Example:
Draw the graph of $y = x^2 + 2x$; for x between -4 and $+2$.

X	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	1	2
x^2	16	9	4	1	0	1	4
$2x$	-8	-6	-4	-2	0	2	4
Y	8	3	0	-1	0	3	8

$(-4, 18)$ $(-2, 6)$ $(0, 2)$ $(2, 6)$ $(4, 18)$

$y = x^2 + 2$

x	-4	-2	0	2	4
x^2	16	4	0	4	16
$+2$	2	2	2	2	2
y	18	6	2	6	18

$2x^2 - 12x - 32$
 $(2x+4)(x-8)$

$x^2 + 3x + 2$
 $(x+2)(x+1)$

$\begin{array}{r} 2x \quad +4 \\ x \overline{) 2x^2 + 4x} \\ \underline{-16x \quad -32} \end{array}$

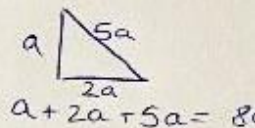
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$C = 14$
 $C^2 - 2C = 14^2 - 2(14)$
 $= 196 - 28$
 $= 168$

factorising

expanding brackets

collecting like terms



trial and improvement

$x^3 = 17$

x	x^3	TS/IS
4	64	TS
5	125	TS
2	8	TS
3	27	TS
2.5	15.625	TS
2.57	16.97...	TS
2.58	17.0...	TS

iteration

Solving equations

graphs

$y = mx + c$
 $x^2 + 3x + 2 = 0$
 $(x+2)(x+1) = 0$
 $x = -2$ or
 $x = -1$

$3x - 14 = x + 6$
 $+14 \quad +14$
 $3x = x + 20$
 $-x \quad -x$
 $2x = 20$
 $\div 2 \quad \div 2$
 $x = 10$

Algebra

(x, y)
 coordinates

$x + y + 2y - 3x + x^2$

simplify

$P = \frac{x^2 - 14}{x^2}$

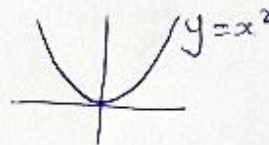
rearranging

$2P = x^2 - 14$
 $+14 \quad +14$

inequalities

$3x - 4 \leq 8$
 $+4 \quad +4$
 $3x \leq 12$
 $\div 3 \quad \div 3$
 $x \leq 4$

Quadratics



$2P + 4 = x^2$
 $\sqrt{\quad} \quad \sqrt{\quad}$
 $\sqrt{2P+4} = x$

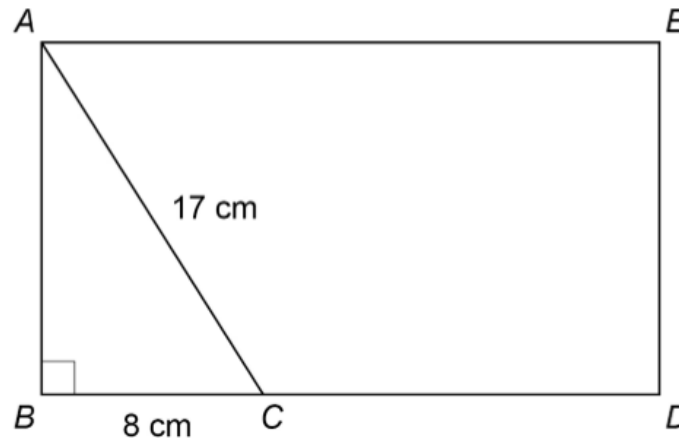


Higher tier : AQA 2019 P2 Q7

7 The diagram shows rectangle $ABDE$ and right-angled triangle ABC .

$$AC = 17 \text{ cm}$$

$$BC = 8 \text{ cm}$$



Not drawn
accurately

$$BC : CD = 1 : 2$$

Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

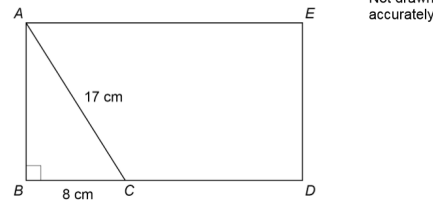


Using a past question as part of a sequence of similar problems

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Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

First: solve the problem to check required prior knowledge.
This helps you to **model** the thinking process for learners.

The area of a rectangle is length \times width
We need to find the length and width of the rectangle

The length is $BD = BC + CD$
We know that $BC:CD = 1:2$

BC		:	CD	
1			2	
8			16	

$\times 8$ $\times 8$

So, when BC is 8 cm, CD is 16 cm

$$8 + 16 = 24 \text{ cm}$$

The length of the rectangle is 24 cm

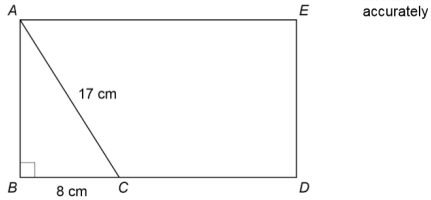


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Step 2

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Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

The area of a rectangle is length \times width
We need to find the length and width of the rectangle

The width of the rectangle is AB

We can use Pythagoras' Theorem

$$x^2 + 8^2 = 17^2$$

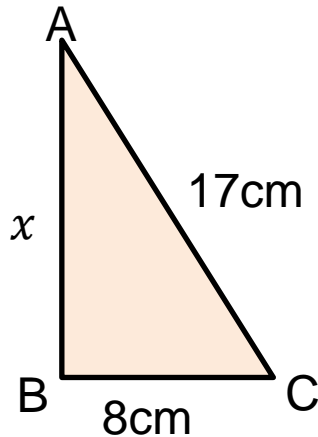
$$x^2 = 17^2 - 8^2$$

$$x^2 = 289 - 64$$

$$x^2 = 225$$

$$x^2 = \sqrt{225}$$

$$x = 15 \text{ cm}$$



The width of the rectangle is 15cm

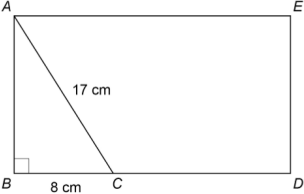


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Step 3

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Not drawn accurately

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Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

The area of a rectangle is length \times width
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The area of the rectangle is $AB \times BD$

$$15 \times 24 = 260$$

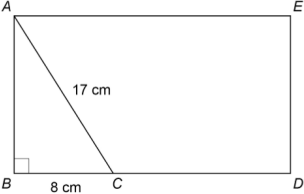
The area of the rectangle is 260 cm²



Using a past question as part of a sequence of similar problems

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[4 marks]

Next : Check the mark scheme

This question has a range of alternative methods

You should work through each method to be clear about what you want to teach / revise in advance of the lesson

8^2 or 64 and 17^2 or 289	M1	
$\sqrt{17^2 - 8^2}$ or $\sqrt{225}$ or 15	M1dep	oe implies M2 may be seen on diagram
$8 \times 3 \times$ their 15 or $24 \times$ their 15	M1dep	dep on M2 oe eg $(8 + 16) \times$ their 15 or $0.5 \times 8 \times$ their 15×6
360	A1	SC2 [448.8, 456]



Using a past question as part of a sequence of similar problems

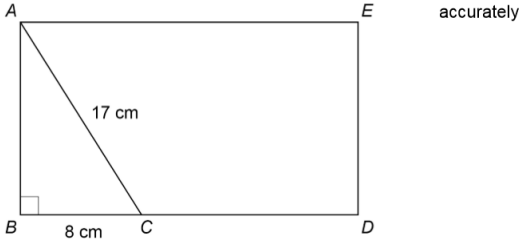
Higher tier : AQA 2019 P2 Q7

Alternative method 1			
8 ² or 64 and 17 ² or 289	Alternative method 2		
$\sqrt{17^2 - 8^2}$	$\cos C = \frac{8}{17}$ or $C = [61.9, 62]$	M1	may be seen on diagram
17 × s or [14]	Alternative method 3		
8 × 3 × t or 24 ×	$\sin A = \frac{8}{17}$ or $A = [28, 28.1]$	M1	may be seen on diagram
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	Alternative method 4		
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	$\frac{1}{2} \times 8 \times 17 \times \sin$ their [61.9, 62] or [59.9, 60.1]	M1dep	oe
	6 × their [59.9, 60.1] or [357.6, 362.4]	M1dep	oe
	360	A1	SC2 [448.8, 456]

Using a past question as part of a sequence of similar problems

Higher tier : AQA 2019 P2 Q7

7 The diagram shows rectangle $ABDE$ and right-angled triangle ABC .
 $AC = 17$ cm
 $BC = 8$ cm



Not drawn accurately

$BC : CD = 1 : 2$

Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

Example 1: Teacher modelled alongside learners 'having a go'

Discuss ~ 'co-construct'

Now create a sequence of questions that are similar to this one.

Allow learners to work in pairs at first

Check methods and solutions together as a class

For the final one, learners work alone

Give them one to do at home (you could save these up until you have several different questions)

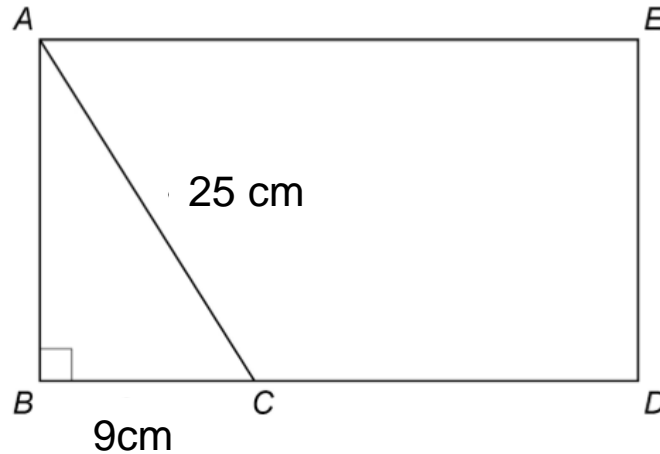


Higher tier : A similar question to AQA 2019 P2 Q7

7 The diagram shows rectangle $ABDE$ and right-angled triangle ABC .

$$AC = 25\text{cm}$$

$$BC = 9\text{cm}$$



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Example 2: Paired work

Share solutions as a group

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Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

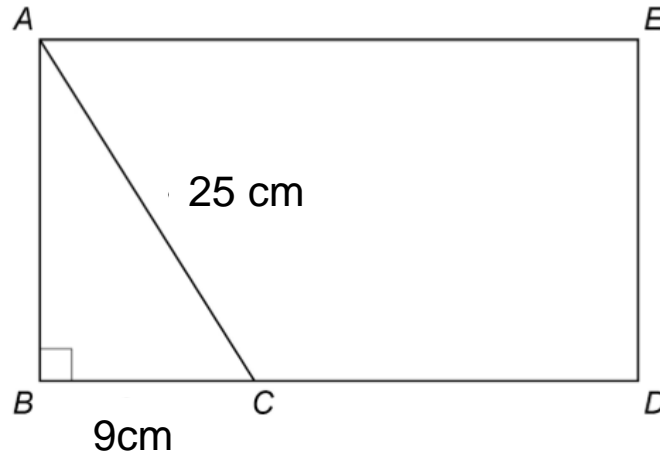


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Example 3: Paired work

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Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

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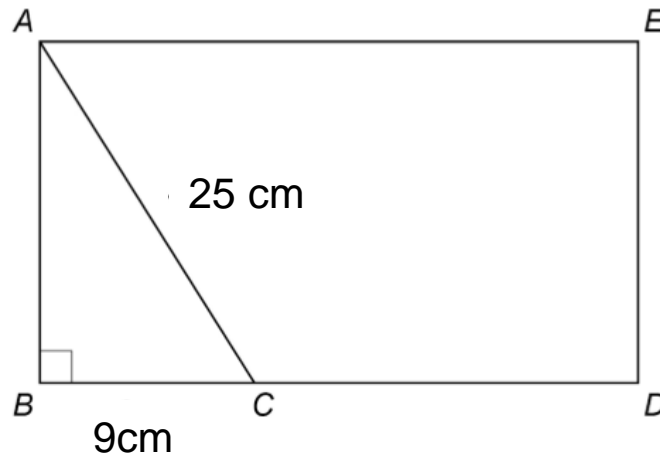


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Example 4: Independent

Share solutions as a group

$$BC : CD = 1 : 3$$

Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

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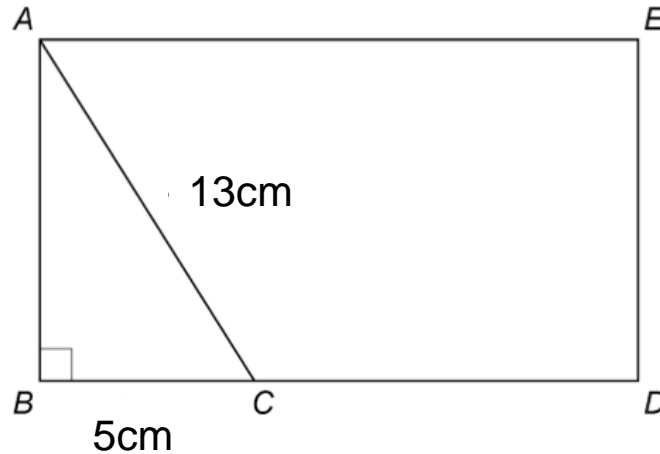


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7 The diagram shows rectangle $ABDE$ and right-angled triangle ABC .

$$AC = 13\text{cm}$$

$$BC = 5\text{cm}$$



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Example 5: Independent

Share solutions as a group

$$BC : CD = 2 : 3$$

Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

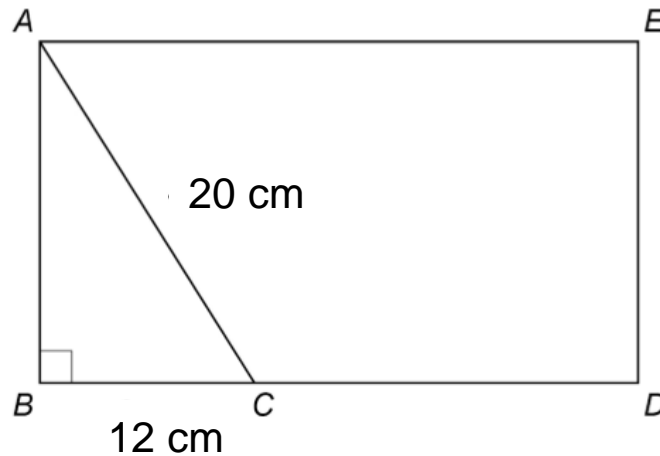


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7 The diagram shows rectangle $ABDE$ and right-angled triangle ABC .

$$AC = 20 \text{ cm}$$

$$BC = 12 \text{ cm}$$



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Example 6: Independent

Home learning task as
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questions from different
domains

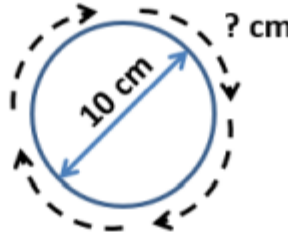
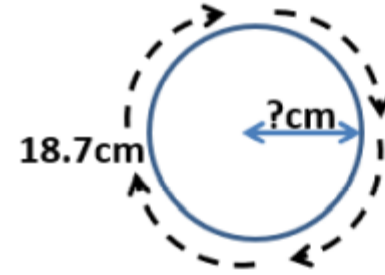
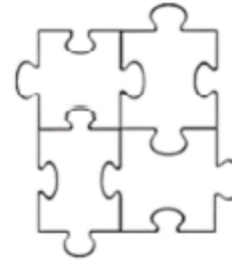
$$BC : CD = 3 : 5$$

Work out the area of rectangle $ABDE$.

[4 marks]

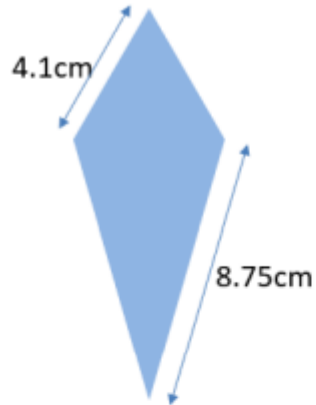


Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'Connect4Maths

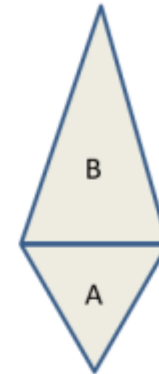
$\pi = \square .1415926.....$	 <p>Write down the value of the circumference. Give your answer to 3 sig.figs</p>
 <p>Calculate the value of the radius. Give your answer to 4 dps.</p>	 <p>The diameter of a circle is given as 'd' What is the area of this circle ?</p>



Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'Connect4Maths



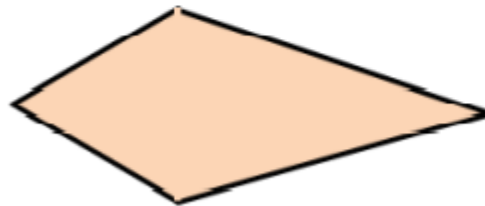
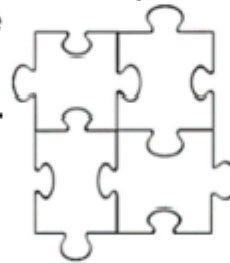
Calculate the perimeter of this kite



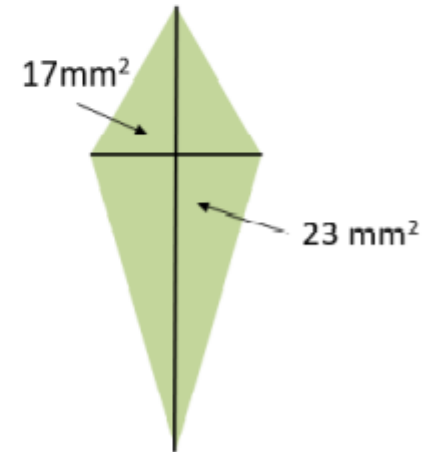
Area A is $\frac{1}{3}$ Area B

Area A = 1.7m^2

What is the area of the kite ?

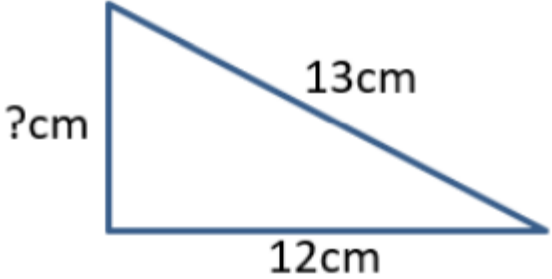
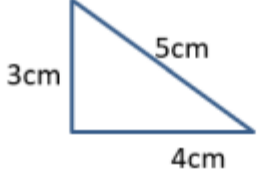
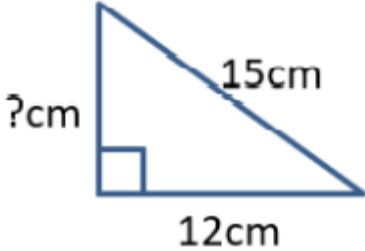


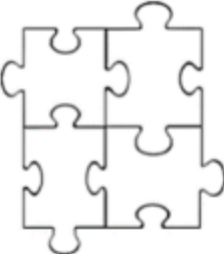
The perimeter of this kite is 50 mm.
What could the side lengths be?



Calculate the area of this kite

Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'Connect4Maths

	 <p>(3,4,5) is a Pythagorean triple</p> <p>(x, 28, 35) is also a Pythagorean triple</p> <p>Calculate x</p>
<p>$a^2 = 289$ $a = ?$</p>	 <p>Find the area of this triangle</p>



Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'SSDD' problems
(Craig Barton)

List all the factors of 48

List three factors of 48 that
add up to 16

A rectangle has an area of
 48cm^2
The length is at least double
the width
The width is greater than 1
List 3 possible sets of
dimensions

A rectangle has an area of
 48cm^2
Two sets of dimensions can
be used which give a
difference of 10cm when you
calculate the perimeter

Find the two sets of
dimensions

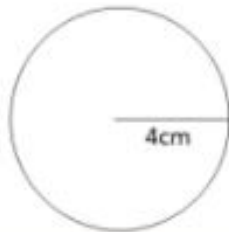
Factors of 48

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Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'SSDD' problems

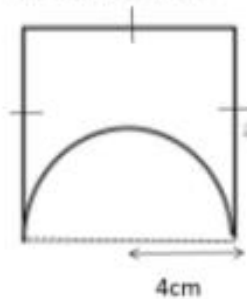
Find the circumference



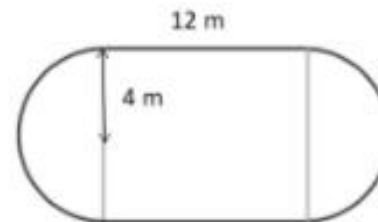
Find the area



Find the perimeter



The field below is being laid with grass. The grass is sold in bags of 5 square metres. Each bag costs \$130. How much will it cost to lay grass on the field.



The radius is 4



Low Stakes 'mini-tests' such as 'SSDD' problems

Simplify
 $4y^3 \times 2y^8$

Work out the value of
 $(4 \times 10^3) \times (2 \times 10^8)$
giving your answer in
standard form

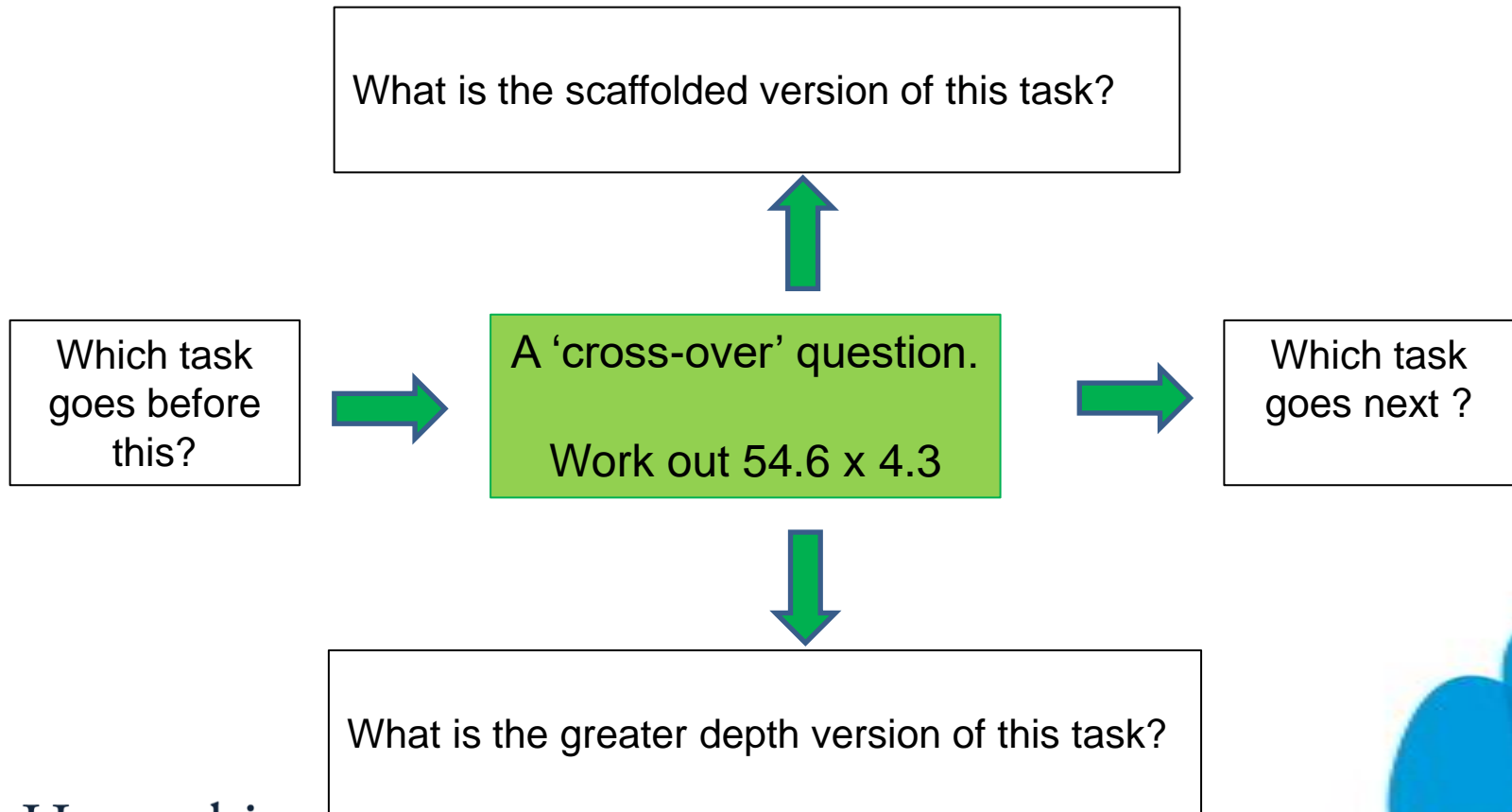
Simplify
 $\frac{4y^3}{2y^8}$

Work out the value of
 $\frac{4 \times 10^3}{2 \times 10^8}$
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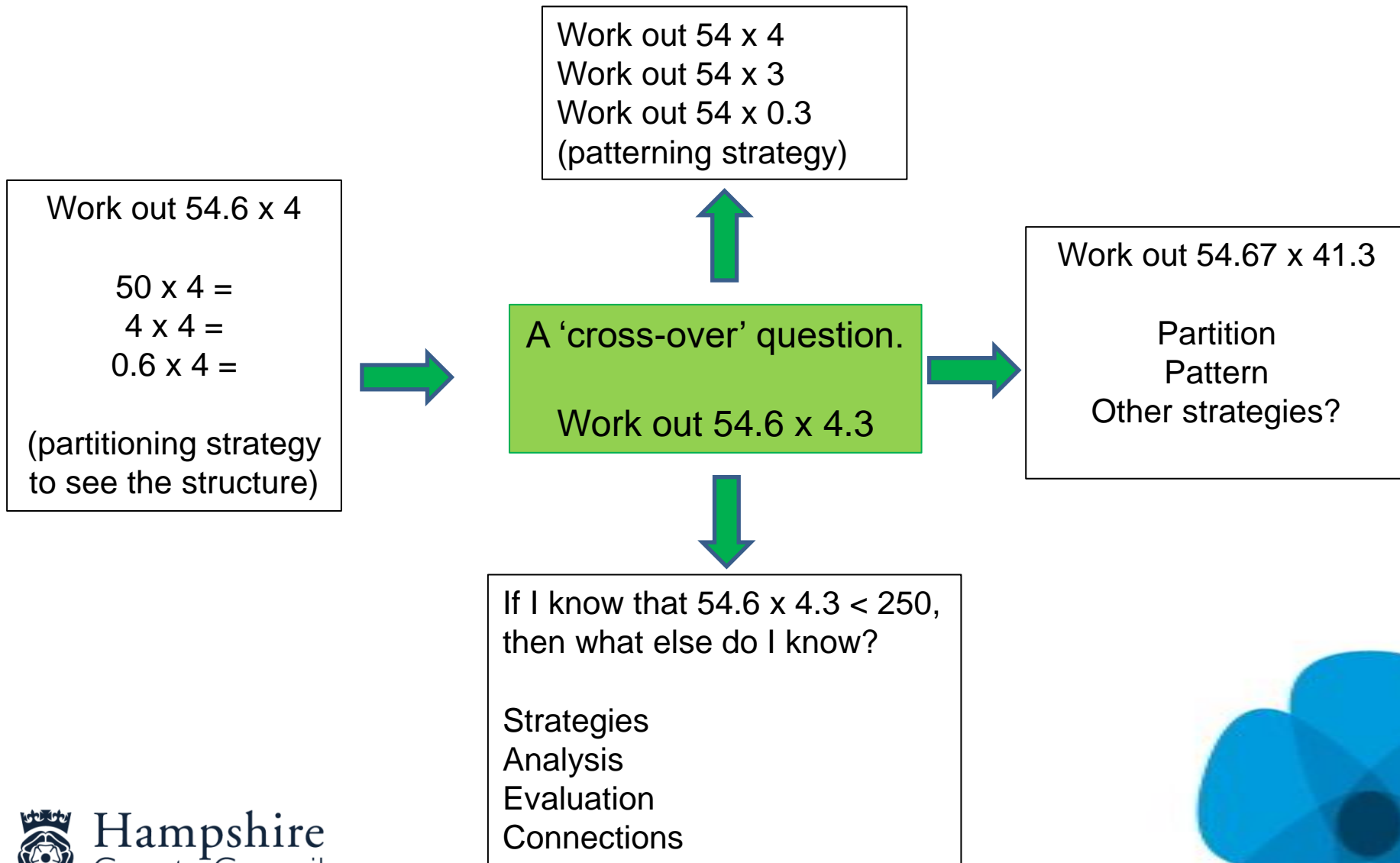
4s and 2s



How can we scaffold and deepen a task such as a past question so that all students in the group feel that they can 'have a go with some success' ?



Ensuring access and success for all



Inclusion : How do we promote access and success for all ?

Scaffolding

‘Scaffolding’ is a metaphor for temporary support that is removed when it is no longer required. Initially, a teacher would provide enough support so that pupils can successfully complete tasks that they could not do independently.

This requires effective assessment to gain a precise understanding of the pupil’s current capabilities. Support could be visual, verbal, or written.

The teacher will gradually remove the support (the scaffold) as the pupil becomes able to complete the task independently.

Scaffold the main task:

- **Use of part –whole models e.g. bar models and ‘cherry’ models to show the structure of the mathematics**
- **A model answer using a CPA approach to support learning preferences**
- **Breaking down process into smaller , more manageable steps**



Inclusion : How do we promote access and success for all ?

Deepening

Deepening is the way in which the teacher offers an insight into mathematical structure and connections to **develop a pupils' ability to generalise**. It is not about 'harder maths' , it is about having deep and secure foundations to your understanding so that you can not only solve the current problem, but future problems that are related to this one, seeing those relationships for yourself.

Deepen the main task:

- **Encourage a range of representations or methods to explore the structure of the mathematics**
- **Connect to other areas of mathematics**
- **Explore alternative versions of the same problem to see it from different perspectives**
- **Ask insightful questions to develop 'noticing' and 'wondering'**



The next few slides are website resource ideas for:

- Starters for regular practice of basic skills
- Homework/revision for students at home
- Breaking up working through papers
- Intervention groups



Crossover questions

Work out 54.6×4.3



Foundation tier: difficult questions

Write 56.78 correct to one significant figure.



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Exam Countdown

GCSE Maths Formulae

Area of a Rectangle $A = l \times w$	Area of a Parallelogram $A = b \times h$	Area of a Triangle $A = \frac{1}{2} \times b \times h$
Area of a Trapezium $A = \frac{1}{2} \times (a + b) \times h$	Volume of a Cuboid $V = l \times w \times h$	Volume of a Prism $V = A \times \text{length}$

Formulae

GCSE Exam Style Questions

The diagram shows a circle inside a semicircle. The circle has a diameter of 20 km. The semicircle has a diameter of 40 km. Calculate the shaded area. Round your answer to 1 decimal place.

GCSE Exam Style Questions

GCSE Recall and Recap

What is 0.5 as a percentage and fraction?

$0.5 = 50\% = \frac{1}{2}$

GCSE Recall and Recap

GCSE Revision Grid

A grid of revision questions covering various topics in GCSE Maths, including algebra, geometry, and statistics.

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Area Tiles

A digital tool for visualizing area and perimeter using colored tiles.

Area Modelling

A grid-based tool for modeling area and perimeter with colored blocks.

Counters

A tool for using colored counters to represent numbers and operations.

Counting Sticks

A tool for using colored sticks to represent numbers and operations.

Countdown Grid

A grid-based tool for visualizing numbers and operations.

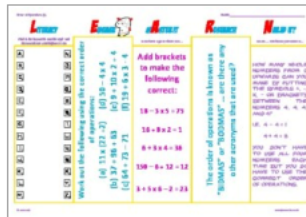
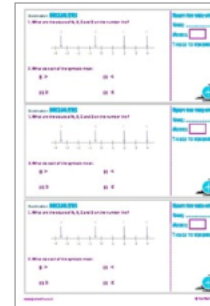




Boarding Cards

These are available for every topic in the JustMaths Crossover. Basically, a quick exercise to assess prior knowledge before starting each of the topics.

[Inequalities \(0.2 MiB\)](#)



LEARN Homework

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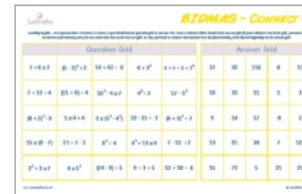
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9-1 Revision Material

- Seasonal
- Start with Confidence
- Pentagon Problems
- Octagon Revision
- Revision Maz

Revision Material that is being uploaded as and when I make them for my year 11's up to their GCSE this year.

Fill in the blanks! - Graph Revision

Linear Graph Sketching – Fill in the blanks!



Equation	Y-intercept	Gradient	Equation of a parallel line	X-Intercept	Perpendicular gradient	Sketch
$y = 4x - 1$						
$y = 6x - 3$						
$y = 3x + 6$						
	4		$y = 2x + 5$			
	-1		$3y = 12x - 5$			

Parabola Sketching – Fill in the blanks!



Equation	Y-intercept	Factorisation	Roots	Complete the square	Turning Point	Sketch
$x^2 + 4x + 3$						
$x^2 - 6x - 16$						
$x^2 - 8x + 15$						
		$(x - 4)(x + 2)$				
			$x = 3 \quad x = 7$			

Progressive Overload - Algebra

Progressive Overload - Number

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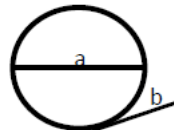
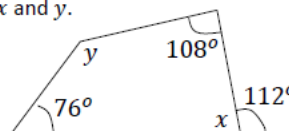
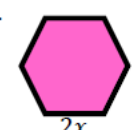
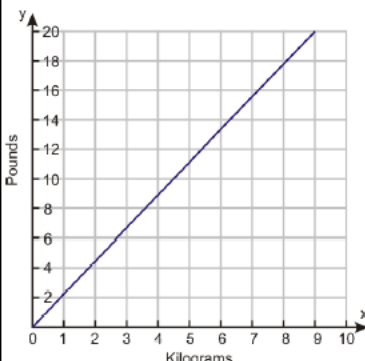
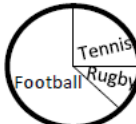
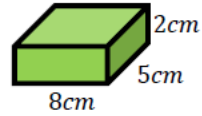


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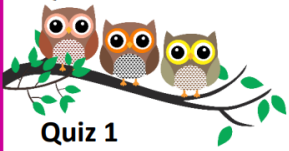
Final Countdown Foundation Revision Mat 1

<p>1) Calculate the mean, median, mode and range from the following list of numbers.</p> <p>5, 12, 10, 8, 13, 12, 7, 12, 11</p>	<p>2) Calculate the nth term rule of the sequence.</p> <p>2, 5, 8, 11, 14 ...</p>	<p>3) Expand and Simplify</p> $4(x - 3) - 2(x - 9)$	<p>4) Work out</p> $\frac{2}{5} \text{ of } \pounds 140$	<p>5) Name the parts of the circle a and b.</p> 
<p>6) Evaluate</p> $5 + -9$ $18 \div -6$	<p>7) Calculate the missing angles x and y.</p> 	<p>8) Place the following numbers in ascending order.</p> <p>1.02, 0.4, 1, 0.04, 0.24, 0.042</p>	<p>9) Solve</p> $4(x - 5) = 12$	<p>10) Complete the following sentence with either; Impossible, unlikely, even, likely or certain.</p> <p>Abdullah rolls a dice. It is _____ he will roll a six.</p>
<p>11) Write a formula for the perimeter of the regular shape.</p> 	<p>12) 657 passengers paid £247 each for a cruise on a small cruise ship. Estimate the amount paid by the passengers in total.</p>	<p>13) A shop has a 15% sale. Originally a computer cost £275. How much does the computer cost in the sale?</p>	<p>14)</p>  <p>Brittney weighs a car on a set of industrial scales.</p> <p>It weighs 900kg.</p> <p>Estimate the cars weight in pounds.</p>	
<p>15) The area of a rectangle is 48 cm^2. What is the difference between the smallest and largest perimeter the shape could have?</p>	<p>16) A sample of boys were asked their favourite sport. 45 boys said tennis. How many boys were in the sample in total?</p> 	<p>17) Draw the net of the cuboid on cm squared paper.</p> 	<p>Challenge</p> <p>Georgia and Courtney share sweets in the ratio 4: 7. Courtney gets 24 more sweets than Georgia. How many sweets do they both get?</p>	



Higher Interleaving Quiz

Branch 1 Quizzes 1 to 3



Quiz 1

Q	Topic	Σ	R	A	G
1	Product of Prime Factors				
2	Difference of Two Squares				
3	Area Problem				
4	Cumulative Frequency				

Home Study Focus

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Higher Interleaving Quiz

Branch 1 Quiz 1

1) Express 126 as a product of its prime factors in index form. **(3 marks)**

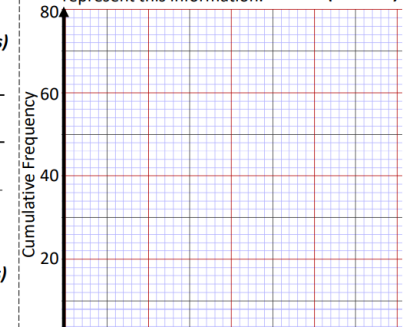
Answer: _____

2) Factorise and solve $9x^2 - 25 = 0$ **(3 marks)**

4) This frequency table gives information about the ages of 60 fire fighters.

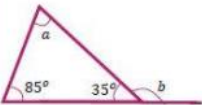
Age (A) in years	Frequency		
$25 < A \leq 30$	15		
$30 < A \leq 40$	19		
$40 < A \leq 50$	14		
$50 < A \leq 55$	9		
$55 < A \leq 60$	3		

a) Draw a cumulative frequency graph to represent this information. **(3 marks)**



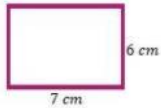
Angles in Triangles

Calculate the size of the missing angles a and b.



Area

Calculate the area of this shape.



QUICK WITS FOUNDATION 1

Percentage Increase and Decrease

A smart watch costs £240. The shop selling the watch has a 15% sale. How much does the coat cost in the sale?



Multiplication

John needs 32 pens. Each pen costs 15p. John has £5. Does he have enough money? Give a reason for your answer.
Yes No

Ratio

Shannon and Courtney share £42 into the ratio 3:4. How much money do they each receive?

Expand and Factorise

- Expand $3(x + 4)$
- Expand and simplify $4(x + 5) - 2(x - 3)$
- Expand $(x + 2)(x + 7)$
- Factorise Fully $12x - 18$

A semi circle is 8cm. of the shaded section. in terms of pi. **(4 marks)**



Fractions

1) In a pack 15 oranges, 3 of the oranges are mouldy. What fraction of the pack are mouldy?

2) Find the fraction half way between $\frac{1}{5}$ and $\frac{3}{10}$.

Complete the table.

Minutes	Hours
15	$\frac{1}{4}$
20	
	$1\frac{1}{2}$
100	

Fractions

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Explain how you know the answer is wrong without working out the correct answer.

$$\frac{3}{5} - \frac{2}{3} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Number Properties

Make the statement true.

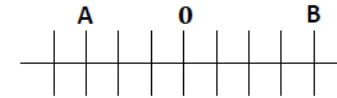
$$12 \times 30 = 4 \times \square = 3 \times \square$$

Number Properties

1) Write down a prime number between 20 and 30.

2) Write down an even multiple of 13.

3) Write down three different factors of 24 that add together to give a prime number.



Two numbers, A and B, are shown on a scale. The difference between A and B is 56. Work out the value of A and B.

Number Properties

Harley has done some calculations. Explain how you know the answer is incorrect without working out the answer.

$$0.2 \times 0.4 = 0.8$$

Amjad, Henry and Adil share a flat.

- Amjad pays 20% of the rent.
- Henry pays 35% of the rent.
- Adil pays £540.

How much do they pay altogether for the rent?

Decimals

1) Write the following in ascending order of size.

- 0.23, $\frac{1}{5}$, 22.3%,
0.203, $\frac{3}{16}$

2) Write down a number between 2.34 and 2.35.

In June, Madeline pays the same amount for each song she downloads. She pays £23.70 for 30 songs. In August, she pays 6p more for each song. What is the maximum number of songs she can purchase using this gift card?

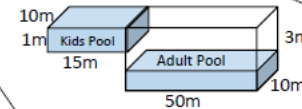
Decimals



In the shop the normal price of a coat is £85. The shop has a sale. The price of the coat is reduced by 12%.

Work out the price of the coat in the sale.

Percentages



The diagram shows two swimming pools.

A kids pool and an adults pool.

The kids pool is full.

The adult pool is only 25% full.

The wall connecting the two pools is lowered and the water from the Kids pool is released into the adults pool before the wall is raised again.

What percentage of the adults pool is now filled?

Percentages

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