St Katherine's School

Maths
Curriculum Guide

## Year 7

Students are assessed every 12 weeks, with an in class assessment covering topics from recent units. This is followed by specific feedback and guidance to make improvements in areas of weakness.

Students are expected to complete 1 task on Hegarty Maths and 30 games on TTRockstars every week. The Hegarty Maths task will be set based on a topic which has previously been taught, and the TTRockstars programme will automatically progress based on efficiency of students' answers.

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|  | Sequences |  | Understand and use algebraic notation |  | Equality and Equivalence |  | Place value, ordering integers and decimals |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |  |
| Place value, ordering integers and decimals |  | Fraction, decimal and percentage equivalence |  |  | Solving problems with addition and subtraction |  |  |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |  |  |
| Solving problems with multiplication and division |  |  | Fractions \& Percentages of amounts | Operations and equations with directed number |  |  |  |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |  |  |
| Operations and equations with directed number | Addition and subtraction of fractions |  |  | Constructing, measuring and using geometric notation |  |  |  |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 | 33 |  |  |
| Constructing, measuring and using geometric notation | Developing Geometric Reasoning |  |  | Developing number sense |  |  |  |
| 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 |  |  |
| Sets and probability |  | Prime numbers and proof |  |  |  |  |  |

## Assessment

| Subject |  | Maths |  |
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| Assessment type | Frequency | Control | Weighting |
| Baseline Assessment | Start of term 1 | Exam conditions in <br> class | $10 \%$ |
| Knowledge Quiz | Every week 1 | Exam conditions in <br> class | $0 \%$ |
| Topic Test | Every week 2 | Exam conditions in <br> class | $45 \%$ |
| End of term <br> assessment | 3 times a year, at the <br> end of every term | Exam conditions in <br> class | $45 \%$ |

## Year 8

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| Review and Improve |  |  | Fractions |  |  | Percentages |  |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |  |
| Percentages |  |  | Assessment | Algebra 2 |  |  |  |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 |  |  |
| Algebra 2 |  |  |  | Geometry - circles and area |  |  |  |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |  |  |
| Geometry - circles and area |  | Assessment | Ratio, Proportion and Rates of Change |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 32 | 33 |  |  |
| Ratio, Proportion and Rates of Change |  |  | Statistics |  |  |  |  |
| 34 | 35 | 36 | 37 | 38 | 39 |  |  |
| Geometry - 3D shapes |  |  | Assessment |  |  |  |  |

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| Knowledge Quiz | Every week 1 | Exam conditions in <br> class | $0 \%$ |
| Topic Test | Every week 2 | Exam conditions in <br> class | $45 \%$ |
| End of term <br> assessment | 3 times a year, at the <br> end of every term | Exam conditions in <br> class | $45 \%$ |

## Year 9

Students are assessed at the end of every unit with an in class assessment, every 2 to 3 weeks (depending on the length of the unit). This is followed by specific feedback and guidance to make improvements in areas of weakness.
Students are expected to complete retrieval homework on Hegarty Maths which is set weekly. Parents can support their child by ensuring they complete this, as well as encouraging them to have a go at the Mem-Ri tests on Hegarty. Parents will have a copy of their child's unit test results so they can work on any gaps or weak areas, using Hegarty to support.

| Term | Working Towards | Foundation | Higher |
| :---: | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Week <br> -3 | 2 Week revise and recap <br> Baseline GL assessment | 2 Week revise and recap <br> Baseline GL assessment | 2 Week revise and recap <br> Baseline GL Assessment |
| 1 | Unit 1 - Number, powers, <br> roots, decimals and <br> rounding to 10, 100, 1000 <br> Unit 2a - Fractions | Unit 1 - Number work: Indices, <br> roots, place value, factors, <br> multiples and primes <br> Unit 2 - Manipulating algebra <br> and substitution | Unit 1 - Checking, rounding indices, <br> roots, reciprocals, factors, <br> multiples, primes, standard form <br> and surds <br> Unit 2 - Setting up, rearranging |
| and solving equations. Sequences. |  |  |  |
| Iterative methods |  |  |  |$|$

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| Subject |  | Maths |  |
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| Assessment type | Frequency | Control | Weighting |
| End of unit tests - 1 <br> hour | Every 2-3 weeks | Exam conditions | $60 \%$ |
| End of year test - 2 x <br> 1 hour paper | Once at the end of <br> the year | Exam conditions | $40 \%$ |

## Year 10

Students are assessed at the end of every unit with an in class assessment, every 2 to 3 weeks (depending on the length of the unit). This is followed by specific feedback and guidance to make improvements in areas of weakness.
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| Term | Working Towards | Foundation | Higher |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unit 1 - Number, powers, roots, decimals and rounding to $10,100,1000$ <br> Unit 2a - Fractions | Unit 7 - Statistics and sampling. Averages and measures of spread. <br> Unit 8 - Perimeter, area, 3D shapes and volume. | Unit 7-3D forms and volume, cylinders, cones and spheres, accuracy and bounds <br> Unit 8 - Transformations, loci, constructions and bearings |
| 2 | Unit 2b - Percentages <br> Unit 3 - Tables \& charts, questionnaires, pictograms, line graphs, bar charts, stem \& leaf | Unit 8 - Perimeter, area, 3D shapes and volume. <br> Unit 9 - Straight line graphs and real life graphs. | Unit 8 - Transformations, loci, constructions and bearings <br> Unit 9 - Solving quadratic and simultaneous equations |
| 3 | Unit 4 - Measurement \& units, circles, 2D shapes, Symmetry, Simple constructions | Unit 10 - Transformations <br> Unit 11 - Ratio and Proportion. | Unit 10 - Probability <br> Unit ll - Multiplicative reasoning |
| 4 | Unit 5 - Perimeter and area, angles, 3D forms | Unit 12 - Pythagoras and Trigonometry | Unit 12 - Similarity and congruence in 2D and 3D <br> Unit 13-Graphs of trig functions and further trigonometry |
| 5 | Unit 6a - Algebraic notation and simplifying <br> Unit 6b-Expressions, substituting into formulae | Unit 13 - Probability | Unit 13 - Graphs of trig functions and further trigonometry |
| 6 | Unit 7 - Probability scale and theoretical probability <br> Revision of Units 1-7. End of Year 10 Mock and MAD Time | Unit 14 - Multiplicative reasoning. <br> Revision of Units 1-14. End of Year 10 Mocks and MAD time | Unit 14 - Collecting data, cumulative frequency, box plots and histograms Revision of Units 1-14. End of Year 10 Mocks and MAD Time |

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| Assessment type | Frequency | Control | Weighting |
| End of unit tests -1 <br> hour | Every 2-3 weeks | Exam conditions | $40 \%$ |
| End of year mock <br> exam $-3 \times 1.5$ hour <br> papers | Once at the end of <br> the year | Exam conditions | $60 \%$ |

## Year 11

Students are assessed at the end of every unit with an in class assessment, every 2 to 3 weeks (depending on the length of the unit). This is followed by specific feedback and guidance to make improvements in areas of weakness. Students are expected to complete retrieval homework on Hegarty Maths which is set weekly. Parents can support their child by ensuring they complete this, as well as encouraging them to have a go at the Mem-Ri tests on Hegarty. Parents will have a copy of their child's unit test results so they can work on any gaps or weak areas, using Hegarty to support.

| Term | Working Towards | Foundation | Higher |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Unit 1 - Number, powers, roots, decimals and rounding to $10,100,1000$ <br> Unit 2 - Fractions \& Percentages | Unit 15 - Plans and Elevations, constructions and loci. | Unit 15 - Cumulative frequency, box plots and histograms. |
| 2 | Unit 3 - Tables \& charts, questionnaires, pictograms, line graphs, bar charts, stem \& leaf | Unit 16 - Quadratic equations and graphs. | Unit 16 - Circle theorems |
| 3 | Unit 4 - Measurement \& units, circles, 2D shapes, Symmetry, Simple constructions <br> Unit 5 - Perimeter and area, angles, 3D forms | Unit 17 - Circles, cylinders and cones. | Unit 17 - Rearranging complex formulae and proof. |
| 4 | Unit 6 - Algebraic notation and simplifying, expressions, substituting into formulae | Unit 18 - Fractions and reciprocals. Indices and standard form. <br> Unit 19 - Similarity, congruence and vectors. | Unit 18 - Vectors and geometric proof |
| 5 | Unit 7 - Probability scale and theoretical probability <br> Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams | Unit 20 - Rearranging formulae, cubics and reciprocal graphs. <br> Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams | Unit 19 - Direct and inverse proportion, exponential graphs and area under curve. <br> Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams |
| 6 | Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams | Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams | Revision \& Preparation for GCSE Exams |

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| Assessment type | Frequency | Control | Weighting |
| End of unit tests -1 <br> hour | Every 2-3 weeks | Exam conditions | $30 \%$ |
| Mock exams - each <br> mock is $3 \times 1.5$ hour <br> paper | Three times during <br> the year (Nov, Feb, <br> April.) | Exam conditions | $70 \%$ |

