

2017 Mathematics Yr9 Semester 2

Term 3

Week	Topic	Learning Focus	Substrand
1-6	Solving linear equations and linear graphs	Solving simple equations, solving equations with brackets and solving equations with pronumerals on both sides. Learning how to plot graphs and develop an understanding of a gradient. Using graphs to solve linear equations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Find the distance between two points located on a Cartesian plane using a range of strategies, including graphing software (VCMNA308) - Find the midpoint and gradient of a line segment (interval) on the Cartesian plane using a range of strategies, including graphing software (VCMNA309) - Sketch linear graphs using the coordinates of two points and solve linear equations (VCMNA310) - Graph simple non-linear relations with and without the use of digital technologies and solve simple related equations (VCMNA311)
7-8	Rates and ratio	Develop an understanding of direct proportion and solve simple rate problems.	- Solve problems involving direct proportion. Explore the relationship between graphs and equations corresponding to simple rate problems (VCMNA301)
9-10	Financial Maths	Learn about simple interest and solve related problems	- Solve problems involving simple interest (VCMNA304)

Term 4

11-14	Geometry	Learn about the characteristics of similar triangles and use ratio and scale factors to help find side lengths of similar figures. Learn about Pythagoras and Trigonometry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use the enlargement transformation to explain similarity and develop the conditions for triangles to be similar (VCMMG316) - Solve problems using ratio and scale factors in similar figures (VCMMG317)
15-16	Chance	Theoretical and experimental probability, relative frequencies and two step chance experiments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - List all outcomes for two-step chance experiments, both with and without replacement using tree diagrams or arrays. Assign probabilities to outcomes and determine probabilities for events (VCMSP321) - Calculate relative frequencies from given or collected data to estimate probabilities of events involving 'and' or 'or' (VCMSP322) - Investigate reports of surveys in digital media and elsewhere for information on how data were obtained to estimate population means and medians (VCMSP323)
17-20	Statistics	Represent data in a back-to-back stem and leaf plot. Draw histograms and describe and comment on the shape of the graph. Analyse and	- Identify everyday questions and issues involving at least one numerical and at least one categorical variable, and collect data directly from secondary sources (VCMSP324)

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		compare data displays using appropriate statistics.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Construct back-to-back stem and leaf plots and histograms and describe data, using terms including 'skewed', symmetric' and bi modal' (VCMSP325) - Compare data displays using mean, median and range to describe and interpret numerical data sets in terms on location (centre) and spread (VCMSP326)
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