

Year 10 Maths Curriculum Map

| Overview | Our GCSE course begins at this point. Our curriculum is tailored to meet students' needs according to prior attainment. Learners follow either the Higher or Foundation pathway, although we allow for mobility between these tiers through the course. The Scheme of Work builds and extends from Key Stage 3 across all strands. Students will continue to develop a greater understanding of how topics relate and intertwine across the syllabus. In Year 10 our higher attainers have the opportunity to start a two year Free Standing Maths Qualification alongside their GCSE studies. The higher and foundation tier schemes of work are shown below – knowledge required only on the higher tier are emboldened. | | | |
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| Year 10 | Autumn 1 & 2 | Spring 1 & 2 | Summer 1 & 2 | |
| Торіс | Unit 1: Number | Unit 6: Graphs | Unit 11: Multiplicative reasoning | |
| | Unit 2: Algebra | Unit 7: Area & volume | Unit 12: Similarity & congruence | |
| | Unit 3: Dealing with data | Unit 8: Transformations & construction | Unit 13: Further trigonometry | |
| | Unit 4: Fractions, ratio, percentage | Unit 9: Equations & inequalities | Unit 14: Further statistics | |
| | Unit 5: Angles & trigonometry | Unit 10: Probability | Unit 15: Equations & graphs | |
| Knowledge | Our learners can: | Our learners can: | Our learners can: | |
| | Work out the total number of ways of performing a | Find the gradient and y-intercept from a linear equation. | Find an amount after repeated percentage | |
| | series of tasks. | Rearrange equations into the form y = mx + c. | changes. | |
| | Estimate an answer. | Compare two graphs from their equations. | Solve growth and decay problems. | |
| | Use place value to answer questions. | Plot graphs with equations ax + by = c. | Calculate rates. | |
| | Write a number of the product of its prime factors. | Sketch graphs using the gradient and intercepts. | Convert between metric speed measures. | |
| | Find the HCF and LCM of two numbers. | Find the equation of a line, given its gradient and one point | (m/s to km/h etc) | |
| | Use powers and roots in calculations. | on the line. | Use a formula to calculate speed and | |
| | Multiply and divide using index laws. | Find the gradient of a line through two points. | acceleration. | |
| | Work out a power raised to a power. | Draw and interpret distance-time graphs. | Solve problems involving compound | |
| | Use negative indices. | Calculate average speed from a distance-time graph. | measures. | |
| | Write a number in standard form. | Understand velocity-time graphs. | Use relationships involving ratio. | |
| | Calculate with numbers in standard form. | Find acceleration and distance from velocity-time graphs. | Use direct and indirect proportion. | |
| | Understand the difference between rational and | Draw and interpret real-life linear graphs. | Show that two triangles are congruent. | |
| | irrational numbers. | Recognise direct proportion. | Know the conditions of congruence. | |
| | Simplify a surd. | Draw and use a line of best fit. | Prove shapes are congruent. | |
| | Rationalise a denominator. | Find the gradient and length of a line segment. | Solve problems involving congruence. | |
| | Use the rules of indices to simplify algebraic | Find the equations of lines parallel or perpendicular to a | Use the ratio of corresponding sides to work | |
| | expressions. | given line . | out scale factors. | |
| | Expand two and three brackets. | Draw quadratic graphs. | Find missing lengths on similar shapes. | |
| | Factorise algebraic expressions. | Solve quadratic equations using graphs. | Use similar triangles to work out lengths in | |

| Solve equations involving brackets and numerical | Identify the line of symmetry of a quadratic graph. | real life. |
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| fractions. | Interpret quadratic graphs relating to real-life situations. | Use the link between linear scale factor and |
| Use equations to solve problems. | Draw graphs of cubic functions. | area scale factor to solve problems. |
| Substitute numbers into formulae. | Solve cubic equations using graphs. | Use the link between scale factors for length, |
| Rearrange formulae. | Draw graphs of reciprocal functions. | area and volume to solve problems. |
| Distinguish between expressions, equations, | Recognise a graph from its shape. | |
| formulae and identities. | Interpret linear and non-linear real-life graphs. | Understand and use upper and lower bounds |
| Find a general formula for the nth term of an | Draw the graph of a circle. | in calculations involving trigonometry. |
| arithmetic sequence. | | Understand how to find the sine of any angle. |
| Determine whether a particular number is a term of | Find the perimeter and area of compound shapes. | Know the graph of the sine function and use |
| a given arithmetic sequence. | Recall and use the formula for the area of a trapezium. | it to solve equations. |
| Solve problems using geometric sequences. | Convert between metric units of area. | Understand how to find the cosine of any |
| Work out terms in Fibonacci-like sequences. | Calculate the maximum and minimum possible values of a | angle. |
| Find the nth term of a quadratic sequence. | measurement. | Know the graph of the cosine function and |
| Use the difference of two squares. | Convert between metric units of volume. | use it to solve equations. |
| Factorise quadratics of the form $x^2 + bx + c$. | Calculate volumes and surface areas of prisms. | Understand how to find the tangent of any |
| | Calculate the area and circumference of a circle. | angle. |
| Construct and use back-to-back stem and leaf | Calculate area & circumference in terms of π . | Know the graph of the tangent function and |
| diagrams. | Calculate the perimeter and area of semicircles and quarter | use it to solve equations. |
| Construct and use frequency polygons and pie | circles. | Find the area of a triangle and a segment of a |
| charts. | Calculate arc lengths, angles and areas of sectors of circles. | circle. |
| Plot and interpret time series graphs. | Calculate volume and surface area of a cylinder and a | Use the sine & cosine rule to solve 2D |
| Use trends to predict what might happen in the | sphere. | problems. |
| future. | Solve problems involving volumes and surface areas. | Solve bearings problems using trigonometry. |
| Plot and interpret scatter graphs. | Calculate volume and surface area of pyramids and cones. | Use Pythagoras' theorem in 3D. |
| Determine whether or not there is a linear | Solve problems involving pyramids and cones. | Use trigonometry in 3D. |
| relationship between two variables. | | Recognise how changes in a function affect |
| Draw a line of best fit on a scatter graph. | Draw plans and elevations of 3D solids. | trigonometric graphs. |
| Use the line of best fit to predict values. | Reflect a 2D shape in a mirror line. | |
| Decide which average is best for a set of data. | Rotate a 2D shape about a centre of rotation. | Understand how to take a simple random |
| Estimate the mean and range from a grouped | Describe reflections and rotations. | sample. |
| frequency table. | Enlarge shapes by fractional and negative scale factors | Understand how to take a stratified sample. |
| Find the modal class and the group containing the | about a centre of enlargement. | Draw and interpret cumulative frequency |
| median. | Translate a shape using a vector. | tables and diagrams. |
| Construct and use two-way tables. | Carry out and describe combinations of transformations. | Work out the median, quartiles and |
| Choose appropriate diagrams to display data. | Draw and use scales on maps & scale drawings. | interquartile range from a cumulative |
| Recognise misleading graphs. | Solve problems involving bearings. | frequency diagram. |
| | Construct triangles using a ruler and compasses. | Find the quartiles and the interquartile range |
| Add, subtract, multiply and divide fractions and | Construct the perpendicular bisector of a line. | from stem-and-leaf diagrams. |
| mixed numbers. | Construct the shortest distance from a point to a line using | Draw and interpret box plots. |
| Find the reciprocal of an integer, decimal or fraction. | a ruler and compasses. | Understand frequency density. |
| Write ratios in the form 1 : n or n : 1. | Bisect an angle using a ruler and compasses. | Draw histograms. |
| Compare ratios. | Construct angles using a ruler & compasses. | Interpret histograms. |
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| Find quantities using ratios. | Construct shapes made from triangles using a ruler and | Compare two sets of data. |
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| Solve problems involving ratios. | compasses. | |
| Convert between currencies and measures. | Draw and use loci to solve problems. | Solve simultaneous equations graphically. |
| Recognise and use direct proportion. | | Represent inequalities on graphs. |
| Solve problems involving ratios and proportion. | Find the roots of quadratic functions. | Interpret graphs of inequalities. |
| Work out percentage increases and decreases. | Rearrange and solve simple quadratic equations. | Recognise and draw quadratic functions. |
| Solve real-life problems involving percentages. | Solve more complex quadratic equations. | Find approximate solutions to quadratic |
| | Use the quadratic formula to solve a quadratic equation. | equations graphically. |
| Derive and use the sum of angles in a triangle and in | Complete the square for a quadratic expression. | Solve quadratic equations using an iterative |
| a quadrilateral. | Solve quadratic equations by completing the square. | process. |
| Derive and use the fact that the exterior angle of a | Solve simple simultaneous equations. | Find the roots of cubic equations. |
| triangle is equal to the sum of the two opposite | Solve simultaneous equations for real-life situations. | Sketch graphs of cubic functions. |
| interior angles. | Interpret real-life situations involving two unknowns and | Solve cubic equations using an iterative |
| Calculate the sum of the interior angles of a polygon. | solve them. | process. |
| Use the interior angles of polygons to solve | Solve simultaneous equations with one quadratic | |
| problems. | equation. | |
| Know the sum of the exterior angles of a polygon. | Use real-life situations to construct quadratic and linear | |
| Use the angles of polygons to solve problems. | equations and solve them. | |
| Calculate the length of the hypotenuse in a right- | Solve inequalities and show the solution on a number line | |
| angled triangle. | and using set notation. | |
| Calculate the length of a shorter side in a right- | | |
| angled triangle. | Use the product rule for finding the number of outcomes | |
| Solve problems using Pythagoras' theorem. | for two or more events. | |
| Use trigonometric ratios to find lengths in a right- | List all the possible outcomes of two events in a sample | |
| angled triangle. | space diagram. | |
| Use trigonometric ratios to solve problems. | Identify mutually exclusive outcomes and events. | |
| Use trigonometric ratios to calculate an angle in a | Find the probabilities of mutually exclusive outcomes and | |
| right-angled triangle. | events. | |
| Find angles of elevation and angles of depression. | Find the probability of an event not happening. | |
| Use trigonometric ratios to solve problems. | Work out the expected results for experimental and | |
| Know the exact values of the sine, cosine and | theoretical probabilities. | |
| tangent of some angles. | Compare real results with theoretical expected values to | |
| | see if a game is fair. | |
| | Draw and use frequency trees. | |
| | Calculate probabilities of repeated events. | |
| | Draw and use probability tree diagrams. | |
| | Decide if two events are independent. | |
| | Draw and use tree diagrams to calculate conditional | |
| | probability. | |
| | Draw and use tree diagrams without replacement. | |
| | Use two-way tables to calculate conditional probability. | |
| | Use Venn diagrams to calculate conditional probability. | |
| | Use set notation. | |

| Skills | Students will increase their resilience during the course through learning new concepts, using prior knowledge to develop mathematical fluency and applying skills to a variety of situations and problems. Our mathematical activities will have the aim of developing both skills and high aspirations in both this subject and life beyond. Resilience will also be developed within the key maths skills below (fluency, reasoning and problem solving). |
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| | Students will be given the opportunity to work together to develop and share their ideas on topics, discuss misconceptions and how these topics can be used in real- life situations. |
| | Students will develop creativity through a variety of problem solving activities within each topic, working on independent tasks beyond the classroom using HegartyMaths, and apply the key skills (fluency, reasoning and problem solving). |
| | Students will also further acquire valuable exam preparation skills – using question level analysis for diagnostic purposes, revision strategy, exam technique and time management. |