

Personalised curriculum map overview for Year 8 Maths: 2025/26

Term (Weeks)	Topic/Unit (weeks)	Key Objectives	Type of assessment
Week 1 (First full week)	Initial evaluation	This is the time to establish routines with the children, fostering positive relationships, and gaining a clear understanding of their individual learning needs.	

Autumn 1 (7)	Ratio (2)	 Understand ratio Link ratios and fractions Simplify ratios Ratio problems (whole given) Ratio problems (part given) 	End of unit assessment
	Proportion and scale (2)	 Exploring the unitary method The multiplier method Recipes Conversion graphs Convert between currencies Scale diagrams 	End of unit assessment
	Directed number (1)	 Add and subtract directed numbers Multiply directed numbers Divide directed numbers Multiply and divide directed numbers Four operations with directed numbers 	End of unit assessment
	Algebraic manipulation (1)	 Collect like terms Expand a single bracket Factorise into a single bracket 	End of unit assessment

Autumn 2 (7)	Coordinates and graphs	 Plot and read coordinates in all four quadrants Understand coordinates in all four quadrants Lines parallel to the axes Tables of values Lines of the form y = mx Lines of the form y = x + c Lines of the form y = mx + c Plot straight line graphs 	End of unit assessment
	Multiply and divide fractions.	 Representations of fractions Convert improper fractions to mixed numbers Convert mixed numbers to improper fractions Simplify a fraction Multiply a fraction by an integer Multiply a fraction by a fraction 	End of unit assessment
Spring 1 (6)	Area, volume and density	 Name 2-D shapes Area of squares, rectangles and parallelograms Find unknown lengths in rectilinear shapes Area of a rectilinear shape Area of a triangle Area of a trapezium Area of a compound shape Solve problems with area Volume of cubes and cuboids (counting cubes) Volume of cubes and cuboids 	End of unit assessment

	Equations	 Use bar models Solve 1-step equations Solve 2-step equations Solve equations with brackets Solve fractional equations Solve problems with equation 	End of unit assessment
	Fractions and percentages	 Convert between fractions and decimals (non-calculator) Convert between fractions and decimals (calculator) Fraction of an amount Increase or decrease an amount by a fraction Convert percentages to fractions and decimals Percentage of an amount (non-calculator) Percentage increase and decrease 	End of unit assessment
Spring 2 (6)	Decimal arithmetic and rounding (1)	 Multiply decimals by integers Divide decimals by integers Round to the nearest integer Step 4 Round to decimal places 	End of unit assessment
	Expressions and indices (1)	 Understand index notation Simplify expressions Collect like terms Substitution 	End of unit assessment
	Standard form (1)	 Integers to 1 000 000 Positive powers of 10 Multiply by powers of 10 Numbers greater than 1 in standard form 	End of unit assessment

	Interpret and represent data	 Interpret and collect data Averages and range Ungrouped frequency tables Mean from an ungrouped frequency table Grouped frequency tables 	End of unit assessment
Summer 1 (5)	Angles in polygons (3)	 Measure and draw angles Angles on a straight line Vertically opposite angles Angles around a point Types of triangles Angles in a triangle Angles in a special triangle Types of quadrilaterals Angles in a quadrilateral Work out unknown sides lengths and angles 	End of unit assessment
	Tables and probability	 Probability vocabulary The probability scale List outcomes Probability of a single event Probability experiments Sample spaces for 1 or more events Two-way tables Frequency trees 	End of unit assessment
Summer 2 (6)	Circles (2)	 Circle vocabulary Circumference of a circle (calculator) Circumference of a circle (non-calculator) Area of a circle (calculator) Area of a circle (non-calculator). 	End of unit assessment

	Graphs and charts	 Draw pie charts (1) Angles in sectors of pie charts Draw pie charts (2) Interpret pie charts 	End of unit assessment
	Sequences	 Describe and continue sequences Generate a sequence given a rule in words Generate a sequence given a simple algebraic rule 	End of unit assessment
	Symmetry and reflection	 Line symmetry Reflect a shape in a horizontal or vertical line (touching the shape) Reflect a shape in a horizontal or vertical line (not touching the shape) Reflect a shape in a diagonal line (touching the shape) Reflect a shape in a diagonal line (not touching the shape) 	