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Subject: MATHEMATICS

Year 8 Curriculum Map 2025 - 26

Week Commencing	Topic (including links to additional resources)	Assessment Window
Staff INSET 01/09 Students Return 02/09	Number 7 – Fractions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Representations of fractions Number lines and bar models Mixed numbers Improper fractions Equivalent fractions Simplifying fractions Fractions with decimals (<i>Most able only</i>) Ordering fractions Adding and subtracting fractions Adding and subtracting mixed numbers (<i>Most able only</i>) Fractions of amounts One number as a fraction of another Reverse fractions Multiplying fractions by integers Multiplying fractions by fractions Multiplying mixed numbers (<i>Most able only</i>) Dividing fractions and integers Dividing fractions by fractions Dividing mixed numbers (<i>Most able only</i>) Enriching fractions (<i>Most able enrichment</i>) 	2 Learning Checkpoints
08/09/2025		
15/09/2025		
22/09/2025	<p>Sparx codes: M158, M601, M410, M671, M335, M835, M931, M157, M939, M157, M197, M216, M110, M265</p>	
29/09/2025	Number 8 – Percentages, fractions and decimals <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Decimals into fractions Fractions into decimals FDP conversions Percentage equivalences Writing FDP Percentages of amounts Decimal multipliers Proportional percentages Percentage increase and decrease 	2 Learning Checkpoints
06/10/2025		
13/10/2025	<p>Sparx codes: M958, M264, M701, M235, M437, M905, M533</p>	
20/10/2025	Assessment Round 1	AR1

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October Half Term		
03/11/2025	Assessment Round 1	AR1
10/11/2025	<u>Number 9 – Estimation and use of a calculator</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic calculator skills • Complex calculator skills • Converting time • Timetables • Approximation • Approximating squares and roots (<i>most able only</i>) • Error intervals • Estimation • Related calculations • Truncation (<i>most able only</i>) <p>Sparx codes: M757, M515, M627, M730, M878</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
17/11/2025		
24/11/2025		
01/12/2025	<u>Algebra 2 – Manipulation and simplifying expressions 1</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Simplifying expressions • Multiplying expressions • Index laws (multiplication) • Dividing expressions • Index laws (division) • Index laws (brackets) • Index laws review • Squared expressions (<i>most able only</i>) • Writing expressions • Writing expressions from geometry <p>Sparx codes: M531, M795, M120, M949</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
08/12/2025		
15/12/2025		
Christmas Break		
05/01/2026	<u>Algebra 3 – Manipulation and simplifying expressions 2</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The distributive law • Expanding brackets • Expanding with mixed variables • Expanding and collecting • Division with distribution • Factorising into single brackets • Expanding double brackets <p>Sparx codes: M237, M792, M100, M960</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
12/01/2026		
19/01/2026		
26/01/2026	Assessment Round 2	AR2
02/02/2026	Assessment Round 2	AR2
09/02/2026	<u>Algebra 4 – Linear equations</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equality • One-step equations with addition and subtraction • One-step equations with multiplication and division • Two-step equations • Equations with unknowns on both sides 	1 Learning Checkpoint

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equations with brackets Equations with fractions and decimals (<i>most able only</i>) <p>Forming and solving equations</p> <p>Sparx codes: M707, M634, M647, M855, M554, M902, M509, M957</p>	
February Half Term		
23/02/2026	<p><u>Algebra 4 – Linear equations</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Equality One-step equations with addition and subtraction One-step equations with multiplication and division Two-step equations Equations with unknowns on both sides Equations with brackets Equations with fractions and decimals (<i>most able only</i>) <p>Forming and solving equations</p> <p>Sparx codes: M707, M634, M647, M855, M554, M902, M509, M957</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
02/03/2026	<p><u>Geometry and measure 2 – Polygons and angles</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recap - Missing angles Vertically opposite angles Angles in a triangle Angles in a quadrilateral Special quadrilaterals Symmetry Using properties of quadrilaterals (<i>most able only</i>) Polygons Interior angles in polygons Parallel lines Angles and algebra (<i>most able only</i>) The compass Bearings <p>Sparx codes: M818, M163, M351, M679, M523, M276, M653, M606, M260</p>	2 Learning Checkpoints
09/03/2026		
16/03/2026		
23/03/2026	<p><u>Number 10 –Proportional reasoning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Direct proportion Inverse proportion Value for money Exchange rates Recipes Similarity and congruency Congruent transformations Enlargement Decimal multipliers Percentage increase and decrease Percentage change <p>Sparx codes: M478, M681, M377, M324, M124, M139, M290, M910, M178, M533</p>	2 Learning Checkpoints
Easter Break		
13/04/2026	<p><u>Number 10 –Proportional reasoning</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Direct proportion 	2 Learning Checkpoints

20/04/2026	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inverse proportion • Value for money • Exchange rates • Recipes • Similarity and congruency • Congruent transformations • Enlargement • Decimal multipliers • Percentage increase and decrease • Percentage change <p>Sparx codes: M478, M681, M377, M324, M124, M139, M290, M910, M178, M533</p>	
27/04/2026	<p><u>Number 11 –Ratio</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing ratio • Simplifying ratio • Equivalent ratios • Ratios in 1 : n • Maps, models and scales • Ratio and fractions • Finding ratios • Sharing into ratios • Ratios and differences • The Golden Ratio (<i>most able enrichment</i>) <p>Sparx codes: M885, M543, M112, M267, M525</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
04/05/2026		
11/05/2026		
18/05/2026	<p><u>Geometry and measure 3 – Area</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area of rectilinear shapes • Units • Area of parallelograms • Area of triangles • Area of a trapezium • Using triangle area • Mixed area and perimeter • Geometric problems with equations (<i>most able only</i>) • Area of a circle <p>Sparx codes: M920, M390, M900, M610, M705, M996, M269, M690, M169, M231</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
May Half Term		
01/06/2026	<p><u>Geometry and measure 3 – Area</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Area of rectilinear shapes • Units • Area of parallelograms • Area of triangles • Area of a trapezium • Using triangle area • Mixed area and perimeter • Geometric problems with equations (<i>most able only</i>) • Area of a circle <p>Sparx codes: M920, M390, M900, M610, M705, M996, M269, M690, M169, M231</p>	1 Learning Checkpoint
08/06/2026		
15/06/2026	Assessment Round 3	AR3

22/06/2026	Assessment Round 3	AR3
29/06/2026	Assessment Round 3	AR3
06/07/2026	<u>Algebra 5 - Formulae</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Substitution • Using formulae • Sequences and shapes • Forming and solving equations • Changing the subject • Kinematics (<i>most able only</i>) 	1 Learning Checkpoint
13/07/2026		
20/07/2026		
	Sparx codes: M417, M327, M979, M208, M983, M242	