

Maths Knowledge Organiser Year Six



Multiplication and division vocabulary

Term	Definition	Example
factor	a number that divides exactly into another number	factors of 12 = 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 12
common factor	factors of two numbers that are the same	common factors of 8 and 12 = 1, 2, 4
prime number	a number with only 2 factors: 1 and itself	2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19...
composite number	a number with more than two factors	12 (it has 6 factors)
prime factor	a factor that is prime	prime factors of 12 = 2, 3
multiple	a number in another number's times table	multiples of 9 = 9, 18, 27, 36...
common multiple	multiples of two numbers that are the same	common multiples of 4 and 6 = 12, 24...
square numbers	the result when a number has been multiplied by itself	25 ($5^2 = 5 \times 5$) 49 ($7^2 = 7 \times 7$)
cube numbers	the result when a number has been multiplied by itself 3 times	8 ($2^3 = 2 \times 2 \times 2$) 27 ($3^3 = 3 \times 3 \times 3$)

Place value

Twelve million six hundred and eight thousand one hundred and forty-five

TM (Tens of Millions)	M (Millions)	HTH (Hundreds of Thousands)	TTH (Tens of Thousands)	TH (Thousands)	H (Hundreds)	T (Tens)	O (Ones)
1	2	6	0	8	1	4	5

Multiply up to 4-digit by 2-digit

1	2	2		Start with the ones. $154 \times 6 = 924$ $154 \times 20 = 3080$ $3080 + 924 = 4004$
	1	5	4	
x		2	6	
	9	2	4	
3	0	8	0	
4	0	0	4	
1	1			

Order of Operations

B	Brackets	$10 \times (4 + 2) = 10 \times 6 = 60$
O	Order	$5 + 2^2 = 5 + 4 = 9$
D	Division	$10 + 6 \div 2 = 10 + 3 = 13$
M	Multiplication	$10 - 4 \times 2 = 10 - 8 = 2$
A	Addition	$10 \times 4 + 7 = 40 + 7 = 47$
S	Subtraction	$10 \div 2 - 3 = 5 - 3 = 2$

Short Division

Start from the left.

		4	4	0	5	$5 \div 12 = 0 \text{ r}5$
12	5	2	8	6	0	$52 \div 12 = 4 \text{ r}4$
						$48 \div 12 = 4$
						$6 \div 12 = 0 \text{ r}6$

Long Division

		1	2	0	r	3
14	1	6	8	3		
	1	4	0	0		
		2	8	3		
		2	8	0		
				3		

Algebra

Forming Expressions

An expression is a group of numbers, letters and operation symbols.

Add 14 to a	$a + 14$
Subtract 20 from b	$b - 20$
Multiply c by 4	$4c$
12 more than d	$d + 12$
Multiply e by 3 and subtract 5	$3e - 5$
Add 12 to f and then multiply by 2	$2(f + 12)$

Forming Equations

An equation is a number statement with an equal sign (=). Expressions on either side of the equal sign are of equal value.

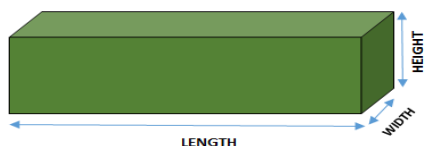
$a + 14 = 20$
$b - 20 = 15$
$4c = 28$
$d + 12 = 30$
$3e - 5 = 10$
$2(f + 12) = 44$

Co-ordinates

Read co-ordinates along the x axis (horizontal) first, then the y axis (vertical). E.g. (3,-4) = go right 3, down 4.

Mean

The mean is a type of average. To find the mean, add up all the numbers and divide by how many there are. E.g. the mean of 4, 5, 3, 4 is 4. (Because $4 + 5 + 3 + 4 = 16$, and $16 \div 4 = 4$)



Volume = the amount of space a 3D shape takes up, usually measured in cm^3 or m^3

Fractions, decimals & percentages

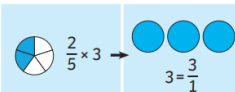
$\frac{1}{100}$	0.01	1%	$\div 100$
$\frac{1}{20}$	0.05	5%	$\div 20$
$\frac{1}{10}$	0.1	10%	$\div 10$
$\frac{1}{5}$	0.2	20%	$\div 5$
$\frac{1}{4}$	0.25	25%	$\div 4$
$\frac{1}{2}$	0.5	50%	$\div 2$
$\frac{3}{4}$	0.75	75%	$\div 4$, $\times 3$
1	1	100%	$\div 1$

Multiplying Proper Fractions

Multiplying Fractions by Fractions

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1 \times 1}{2 \times 3} = \frac{1}{6}$$

Multiplying Fractions by Whole Numbers



$$\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{3}{1} = \frac{6}{5} = 1 \frac{1}{5}$$

Dividing Fractions by Whole Numbers

$$\frac{2}{5} \div 2 = \frac{1}{5}$$

Multiplication and division are the inverse of one another so:

$$\div 2 \text{ is the same as } \times \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{2}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2}{10}$$

Negative Numbers

$$3 - 8 = -5$$

$$-6 + 11 = 5$$



A ratio says how much of one thing there is compared to another thing.

3 : 1



There are 3 blue squares to 1 yellow square

Ratios can be shown in different ways:

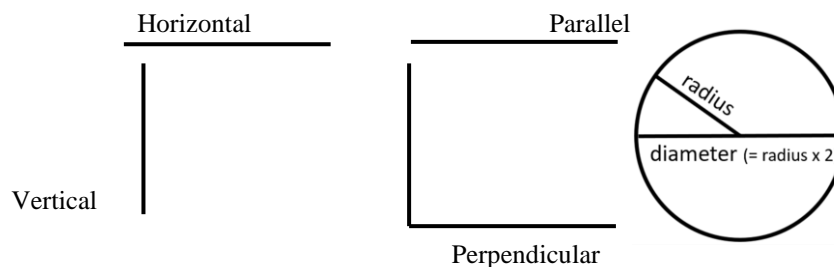
Use the ":" to separate the values: **3 : 1**

Or we can use the word "to": **3 to 1**

Or write it like a fraction: **$\frac{3}{1}$**

Shape vocabulary

perimeter = measure around the edge (**circumference** = perimeter of a circle)

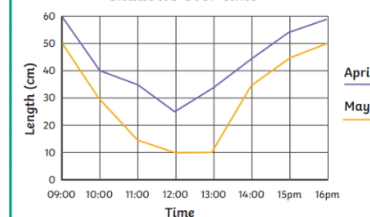


Line Graph

Line graphs are used to show changes to a measurement over time.

Data shown in a line graph is continuous. Sets of points are joined together to make the line.

A line graph to show the length of shadows over time



2D shapes

Name	No. of sides
quadrilateral	4
pentagon	5
hexagon	6
heptagon	7
octagon	8
nonagon	9
decagon	10

polygon = shape with straight sides

regular = all sides/angles the same

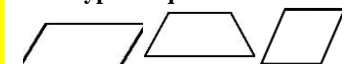
irregular = sides/angles **not** same

Types of triangle



scalene equilateral isosceles

Types of quadrilateral



parallelogram trapezium rhombus

AREA

is the amount of space inside a 2D shape usually measured in cm^2 or m^2 .

Area of a triangle

$$= (\text{base} \times \text{height}) \div 2$$

Area of a parallelogram

$$= \text{base} \times \text{height}$$

(Height = perpendicular height)