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 Baldivis Secondary College	Year 12 Essential Mathematics Unit 2 Mini Test 8 2018 Topic – Interest			
	<u>Full working out MUST be shown to get full marks for each question.</u>			
Total Time:	30 minutes			
Weighting:	5%			
Equipment:	To be provided by the student: Pen, pencil, ruler, scientific calculator, 1 single sided page of A4 notes			

1. Find the simple interest on the following amounts

[2 + 2 = 4 Marks]

a. \$4500 at 10% for 5 years

$$\begin{aligned} & \$4500 \times 0.1 \times 5 \\ & = \$2250 \end{aligned}$$

b. 12,000 at 7.5% for 2.5 years

$$\begin{aligned} & 12000 \times 0.075 \times 2.5 \\ & = \$2250 \end{aligned}$$

2. Find the missing variable in the following equations:

[2 + 2 + 2 = 6 Marks]

a. Sam earned \$55 simple interest at 2% for 5 years, how much was the principle amount?

$$\frac{\$55}{(2\% \times 5)} = \$550$$

b. Shaun earned \$1485 from a principle of \$4500 across 3 years. What was the simple interest rate?

$$\frac{1485}{(4500 \times 3)} = 0.11 \rightarrow 11\%$$

c. Shauna earned \$675 on a principle of \$1,500 at 7.5% simple interest across some years. What was the number of years?

$$\frac{675}{(1500 \times 0.075)} = 6 \text{ years}$$

3. Madeline invests in a compound interest fund at 8.5%, compounding once per year, for 15 years. She puts \$8,000 in as principle. What is the value of the account after 15 years? [3 Marks]

$$8000 \left(1 + \frac{0.085}{1}\right)^{15}$$

$$= \$27197.94$$

4. Madeline finds another account with the same interest rate, but compounds twice per year. She puts another \$8000 in for 15 years. [3 + 1 = 4 marks]

a. How much does she make after 15 years?

$$8000 \left(1 + \frac{0.085}{2}\right)^{15 \times 2}$$

$$= \$27885.08$$

b. Comparing your answer with question 3, which account is better.

Account 2

5. Alex buys a work ute for \$55,990 that she depreciates once a year for 5 years at 11%. [2 + 3 = 5 marks]

a. How much would Alex lose after one year?

$$55990 \times 0.11 = \$6158.9$$

b. How much would she lose after the 5 years?

$$55990 \times \left(1 - \frac{0.11}{1}\right)^5$$

$$= 31265.15$$

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END OF ASSESSMENT