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FOREWORD

The Government of Kenya is committed to ensuring that policy objectives for Education, Training, and Research meet the aspirations of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, the National Curriculum Policy 2019, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), and the regional and global conventions to which Kenya is a signatory. Towards achieving the mission of basic education, the Ministry of Education (MoE) has successfully and progressively rolled out the implementation of the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) at Pre-Primary, Primary and Junior School levels.

The implementation of Competency Based Curriculum involves monitoring and evaluation to determine its success. After the five-year implementation cycle, a summative evaluation of the primary education cycle was undertaken to establish the achievement of learning outcomes as envisaged in the Basic Education Curriculum Framework. The Government of Kenya constituted a Presidential Working Party on Education Reforms (PWPER) in 2022 to address salient issues affecting the education sector. PWPER made far-reaching recommendations for basic education that necessitated curriculum review. The recommendations of the PWPER, monitoring reports, summative evaluation of the primary education cycle, and feedback from curriculum implementers and other stakeholders led to rationalisation and review of the basic education curriculum.

The reviewed Grade 9 curriculum designs build on competencies attained by learners at the end of Grade 8. Further, they provide opportunities for learners to continue exploring and nurturing their potentials as they prepare to transit to Senior School.

The curriculum designs present National Goals of Education, essence statements, general and specific expected learning outcomes for the subjects as well as strands and sub-strands. The designs also outline suggested learning experiences, key inquiry questions, core competencies, Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs), values, and assessment rubric. It is my hope that all Government agencies and other stakeholders in Education will use the designs to plan for effective and efficient implementation of the CBC.



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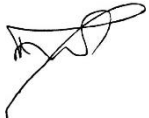
PREFACE

The Ministry of Education (MoE) nationally implemented Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) in 2019. Grade 9 is the final grade in Junior School in the reformed education structure.

The reviewed Grade 9 curriculum furthers implementation of the CBC from Grade 8 in Junior School. Grade 9 curriculum furthers implementation of the CBC from Grade 7. The main feature of this level is a broad curriculum for the learner to explore talents, interests and abilities before selection of pathways and tracks at the Senior Secondary education level. This is very critical in the realisation of the Vision and Mission of the on-going curriculum reforms as enshrined in the Sessional Paper No. I of 2019 whose title is: *Towards Realizing Quality, Relevant and Inclusive Education and Training for Sustainable Development* in Kenya. The Sessional Paper explains the shift from a Content-focused Curriculum to a focus on **Nurturing every Learner's potential**.

Therefore, the Grade 9 curriculum designs are intended to enhance the learners' development in the CBC core competencies, namely: Communication and Collaboration, Critical Thinking and Problem-solving, Creativity and Imagination, Citizenship, Digital Literacy, Learning to Learn, and Self-efficacy.

The curriculum designs provide suggestions for interactive and differentiated learning experiences linked to the various sub-strands and the other aspects of the CBC. They also offer several suggested learning resources and a variety of assessment techniques. It is expected that the designs will guide teachers to effectively facilitate learners to attain the expected learning outcomes for Grade 9 and prepare them for a smooth transition to Senior School. Furthermore, it is my hope that teachers will use the designs to make learning interesting, exciting, and enjoyable.



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The Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development (KICD) Act Number 4 of 2013 (Revised 2019) mandates the Institute to develop and review curricula and curriculum support materials for basic and tertiary education and training. The curriculum development process for any level of education involves thorough research, international benchmarking and robust stakeholder engagement. Through a systematic and consultative process, the KICD conceptualised the Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) as captured in the Basic Education Curriculum Framework (BECF) 2017, which responds to the demands of the 21st Century and the aspirations captured in the Constitution of Kenya 2010, the Kenya Vision 2030, East African Community Protocol, International Bureau of Education Guidelines and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

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We assure all teachers, parents and other stakeholders that this curriculum design will effectively guide the implementation of the CBC in Grade 9 and the preparation of learners for transition to Senior School.



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NATIONAL GOALS OF EDUCATION

Education in Kenya should:

1. Foster nationalism and patriotism and promote national unity.

Kenya's people belong to different communities, races, and religions, but these differences need not divide them. They must be able to live and interact as Kenyans. It is a paramount duty of education to help young people acquire this sense of nationhood by removing conflicts and promoting positive attitudes of mutual respect, which enable them to live together in harmony and foster patriotism to make a positive contribution to the life of the nation.

2. Promote the social, economic, technological, and industrial needs for national development.

Education should prepare the youth of the country to play an effective and productive role in the life of the nation.

a) Social Needs

Education in Kenya must prepare children for changes in attitudes and relationships, which are necessary for the smooth progress of a rapidly developing modern economy. There is bound to be a silent social revolution following the wake of rapid modernisation. Education should assist our youth in adapting to this change.

b) Economic Needs

Education in Kenya should produce citizens with the skills, knowledge, expertise, and personal qualities that are required to support a growing economy. Kenya is building up a modern and independent economy, which needs an adequate and relevant domestic workforce.

c) Technological and Industrial Needs

Education in Kenya should provide learners with the necessary skills and attitudes for industrial development. Kenya recognises the rapid industrial and technological changes taking place, especially in the developed world. We can only be part of this development if our education system is deliberately focused on the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that will prepare our young people for these changing global trends.

3. Promote individual development and self-fulfilment.

Education should provide opportunities for the fullest development of individual talents and personality. It should help children to develop their potential interests and abilities. A vital aspect of individual development is the building of character.

4. Promote sound moral and religious values.

Education should provide for the development of knowledge, skills, and attitudes that will enhance the acquisition of sound moral values and help children to grow up into self-disciplined, self-reliant, and integrated citizens.

5. Promote social equity and responsibility.

Education should promote social equality and foster a sense of social responsibility within an education system that provides equal educational opportunities for all. It should give all children varied and challenging opportunities for collective activities and corporate social service irrespective of gender, ability, or geographical environment.

6. Promote respect for and development of Kenya's rich and varied cultures.

Education should instil in the youth of Kenya an understanding of past and present cultures and their valid place in contemporary society. Children should be able to blend the best of traditional values with the changing requirements that must follow rapid development to build a stable and modern society.

7. Promote international consciousness and foster positive attitudes towards other nations.

Kenya is part of the international community. It is part of the complicated and interdependent network of peoples and nations. Education should therefore lead the youth of the country to accept membership of this international community with all the obligations and responsibilities, rights, and benefits that this membership entails.

8. Promote positive attitudes towards good health and environmental protection.

Education should inculcate in young people the value of good health for them to avoid indulging in activities that will lead to physical or mental ill health. It should foster positive attitudes towards environmental development and conservation. It should lead the youth of Kenya to appreciate the need for a healthy environment.

LESSON ALLOCATION

S/No	Learning Area	Number of Lessons Per Lesson (40 Minutes Per Lesson)
1.	English	5
2.	Kiswahili / Kenya Sign Language	4
3.	Mathematics	5
4.	Religious Education	4
5.	Social Studies	4
6.	Integrated Science	5
7.	Pre-Technical Studies	4
8.	Agriculture	4
9.	Creative Arts and Sports	5
	Pastoral /Religious Instructional Program	1*
Total		40 + 1*

LEARNING OUTCOMES FOR JUNIOR SCHOOL

By the end of Junior School, the learner should be able to:

1. apply literacy, numeracy and logical thinking skills for appropriate self-expression.
2. communicate effectively, verbally and non-verbally, in diverse contexts.
3. demonstrate social skills, and spiritual and moral values for peaceful co-existence.
4. explore, manipulate, manage, and conserve the environment effectively for learning and sustainable development.
5. practise relevant hygiene, sanitation, and nutrition skills to promote health.
6. demonstrate ethical behaviour and exhibit good citizenship as a civic responsibility.
7. appreciate the country's rich and diverse cultural heritage for harmonious co-existence.
8. manage pertinent and contemporary issues in society effectively.
9. apply digital literacy skills for communication and learning.

ESSENCE STATEMENT

The world around us is filled with mathematics from counting, adding, subtracting, multiplying, or dividing quantities and substances throughout our daily interactions. Mathematics is more than just numbers. It involves understanding numerical operations and using them to develop strategies for solving problems mentally, estimating accurately, and performing calculations fluently. It is also essential for comprehending spatial relationships, shapes, and structures. It is impossible to think of a world without Mathematics. It is applied in the economic activities, scientific, social, religious and political worlds. It is therefore imperative that children are taught Mathematics from early years.

In Junior Secondary, Mathematics builds on the competencies acquired by the learner from primary school. It enhances the learner's competencies in mathematical skills as a foundation for Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) and other pathways at Senior School. Mathematics also prepares the learner to have sufficient skills and competencies for application in solving problems in real-life situations. This is in line with vision 2030 and sessional paper number 1 of 2019 which emphasises on STEM areas.

SUBJECT GENERAL LEARNING OUTCOMES

By the end of the Junior Secondary, the learner should be able to:

- 1) demonstrate mastery of number concepts by working out problems in day-to-day life
- 2) represent and apply algebraic expressions in different ways
- 3) apply measurement skills to find solutions to problems in a variety of contexts
- 4) use money and carry out financial transactions in real-life situations
- 5) generate geometrical shapes and describe spatial relationships in different contexts
- 6) collect and organise data to inform and solve problems in real-life situations
- 7) develop logical thinking, reasoning, communication, and application skills through a mathematical approach to problem-solving
- 8) apply mathematical ideas and concepts to other learning areas or subjects and in real-life contexts.
- 9) develop confidence and interest in mathematics for further training and enjoyment

SUMMARY OF STRANDS AND SUB-STRANDS

Strands	Sub-Strands	Suggested Number of Lessons
1.0 Numbers	1.1 Integers	6
	1.2 Cubes and Cube Roots	6
	1.3 Indices and Logarithms	8
	1.4 Compound Proportions and Rates of Work	9
2.0 Algebra	2.1 Matrices	8
	2.2 Equation of a Straight Line	15
	2.3 Linear Inequalities	6
3.0 Measurements	3.1 Area	8
	3.2 Volume of Solids	8
	3.3 Mass, Volume, Weight, and Density	8
	3.4 Time, Distance, and Speed	10
	3.5 Money	7
	3.6 Approximations and Errors	4
4.0 Geometry	4.1 Coordinates and Graphs	6
	4.2 Scale Drawing	14
	4.3 Similarity and Enlargement	8
	4.4 Trigonometry	7
5.0 Data Handling and Probability	5.1 Data Interpretation (Grouped Data)	6
	5.2 Probability	6
Total Number of Lessons		150
Note: The suggested number of lessons per sub-strand may be less or more depending on the context.		

STRAND 1.0: NUMBERS

Sub-strand: Integers

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Numbers	1.1 Integers <i>Simple and combined operations on Integers</i>	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to: a) perform basic operations on Integers in different situations, b) work out combined operations on Integers in different situations, c) apply Integers to real-life situations, d) appreciate the use of integers in real-life situations.	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• discuss with peers and work out basic operations on integers using number cards and charts,• play games involving numbers and operations by picking integers and performing all basic operations,• work out combined operations of integers in the correct order,• carry out activities such as reading temperature changes in a thermometer and discussing with peers how to record it. Consider temperatures below zero points and consider cases of use of integers in real life,	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. How do we carry out operations of integers in real-life situations?2. How do we apply integers in daily activities?

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • use IT tools and other resources such as print to carry out operations on integers, • play creative games that involve integers. 	
Core Competencies to be developed; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Critical thinking and Problem-solving: interpretation and inference: as learners work out combined operations of integers in the correct order. • Learning to Learn: organising own learning as learners carry out activities such as reading temperature changes in a thermometer and discussing how to record it. • Digital Literacy: interacting with technologies; as learners use IT devices to determine temperature. 				
Values <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Respect: learners work in groups to carry out activities such as reading temperature changes in a thermometer and discuss with peers how to record it. • Unity: learners work towards achieving common set goals of reading thermometers. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs): Environmental Education: as learners read temperature changes in a thermometer that tells about the climate.				
Link to other Learning Areas: Learners discuss using language skills on how to work out combined operations of integers in the correct order.				

Sub-Strand: Cubes and Cube Roots

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Numbers	1.2 Cubes and Cube Roots (5 Lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Cubes of numbers by multiplication, mathematical tables and calculator</i> • <i>Cube roots of numbers by multiplication, mathematical tables and calculator</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) work out cubes of numbers by multiplication in real-life situations, b) determine cubes of numbers from mathematical tables in different situations, c) determine cube roots of numbers by factor method in different situations, d) determine cube roots of numbers from mathematical tables in different situations, e) determine cube and cube roots of numbers using a calculator, f) apply cubes and cube roots in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • use stacks of cubes to demonstrate the concept of cube and cube roots, • demonstrate stacking of cubes, • discuss the volume of a cube, determine both the cube and cube root, and relate the two, • read the cube of numbers from mathematical tables and relate it to cube roots, • use calculators to work out cube and cube roots of numbers. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How do we work out the cubes of numbers? 2. How do we work out the cube roots of numbers? 3. Where do we apply cubes and cube roots in real-life situations?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: speaking and listening as the learner works with peers to use stacks of cubes to demonstrate the concept of cube and cube roots.
- Imagination and Creativity - open-mindedness and creativity: as the learner determines both the cube and cube root and relates the two.

Values:

Respect: as the learner appreciates each other's contribution in the discussions on the volume of cubes.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):

Environmental Awareness: the learner uses stacks of cubes to demonstrate the concept of cube and cube roots, related to objects in the environment.

Link to other Learning Areas:

The learner can relate the concept of volume to derived quantities in integrated science.

Sub-Strand: Indices and Logarithms

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Numbers	1.3 Indices and Logarithms (6 Lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Numbers in index form</i> <i>laws of indices</i> <i>Powers of 10 to common logarithms</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> express numbers in index form in different situations, generate the laws of Indices in different situations, apply the laws of indices in different situations, relate powers of 10 to common logarithms in different situations, appreciate the use of indices and logarithms in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> discuss indices and identify the base, show the laws of indices using multiplication and division, use the laws of indices to work out indices, discuss and relate powers of 10 to common logarithms, use IT to work out common logarithms or use mathematical tables. 	How do we express numbers in powers?
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner shows the laws of indices using multiplication and division. Self-efficacy: learner discusses and relates powers of 10 to common logarithms. 				
Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Responsibility: learner takes the roles in turn to lead the teams in discussions on indices. Unity: learner measures capacity in groups. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs): Learner relates self-awareness to his/her ideas as he/she discusses the concept of Indices.				
Link to other Learning Areas: Learner relates expressing numbers as indices and powers as used in Integrated Science.				

Sub-Strand: Compound Proportions and Rates of Work

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcome	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
1.0 Numbers	1.4 Compound Proportions and Rates of Work (12 Lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Proportional parts</i> <i>Ratios</i> <i>Rates of work</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> divide quantities into proportional parts in real-life situations, relate different proportional parts in real-life situations, work out compound proportions using the ratio method in different situations, calculate rates of work in real-life situations, appreciate the use of compound proportions and rates of work in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> discuss and divide quantities into proportional parts and express them as a fraction, compare and write different ratios, determine compound proportions using ratios, work out rates of work, play games on rates of work using IT devices. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> What are proportions? Why do we work fast?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Citizenship - active community life skills: as learner works with peers to discuss and divide quantities into proportional parts and express as a fraction.
- Critical thinking and Problem-solving - interpretation and inference: learner works out rates of work.

Values:

- Responsibility: learner commits to working out answers to given tasks on rates.
- Respect: learner works out rates of work cooperatively.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs):

Self-esteem: as learner devises personal strategies to estimate products in multiplication.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Agriculture helps learner estimate harvests, seeds or fertilizer during sowing or application as part of rates of work.

Suggested Assessment Rubric

Level Indicator	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
Ability to work out combined operations on Integers (addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division).	The learner works out combined operations on Integers accurately and systematically.	The learner works out combined operations on Integers accurately.	The learner works out combined operations of any 3 of the operations on Integers accurately.	The learner works out combined operations of any 2 of the operations on Integers partially accurately.
Ability to Work out cubes and cue roots of numbers by multiplication and from mathematical tables.	The learner works out cubes and cube roots of numbers by multiplication and from mathematical tables accurately and systematically.	The learner works out cubes and cube roots of numbers by multiplication and from mathematical tables accurately.	The learner works out cubes or cube roots of numbers by multiplication or from mathematical tables accurately.	The learner works out cubes or cube roots of numbers by multiplication or from mathematical tables partially accurately.
Ability to generate and apply the laws of Indices.	The learner generates and applies the laws of Indices correctly and systematically.	The learner generates and applies the laws of Indices correctly.	The learner generates or applies the laws of Indices correctly.	The learner generates the laws of Indices correctly.
Ability to relate Powers of 10 to common logarithms.	The learner relates Powers of 10 to common logarithms Comprehensively.	The learner relates Powers of 10 to common logarithms accurately.	The learner relates Powers of 10 to common logarithms partially accurately.	The learner relates Powers of 10 to common logarithms incompletely.

Ability to divide quantities into Proportional parts.	The learner divides quantities into Proportional parts Precisely.	The learner divides quantities into Proportional parts correctly.	The learner divides some quantities into Proportional parts correctly.	The learner divides a few quantities into Proportional parts partially correctly.
Ability to relate different ratios.	The learner relates different ratios comprehensively.	The learner relates different ratios accurately.	The learner relates different ratios partially accurately.	The learner relates different ratios incompletely.
Ability to work out Compound proportions using the ratio method.	The learner works out Compound proportions using the ratio method Systematically.	The learner works out Compound proportions using the ratio method accurately.	The learner works out some Compound proportions using the ratio method accurately.	The learner works out few Compound proportions using the ratio method partially accurately.
Ability to calculate rates of work.	The learner calculates rates of work systematically.	The learner calculates rates of work correctly.	The learner calculates rates of work partially correctly.	The learner calculates rates of work incompletely.

STRAND 2.0: ALGEBRA

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcome	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Questions
2.0 Algebra	2.1 Matrices (8 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Order of a matrix</i> • <i>Position of items in a matrix</i> • <i>Compatibility of matrices</i> • <i>Addition and subtraction of matrices</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> identify a matrix in different situations. determine the order of a matrix in different situations. determine the position of items in a matrix in different situations. determine the compatibility of matrices in addition and subtraction. carry out addition and subtraction of matrices in real-life situations. reflect on the use of matrices in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss the use of tables such as football league tables, travel schedules, and shopping lists. Count the number of rows and columns in the table, which is a matrix. • arrange items in rows and columns and discuss how to represent a matrix. • organise objects in rows and columns and give the order of the matrix in terms of rows and columns (row \times column). • discuss and identify the position of each item or element in terms of row and column. • discuss and identify matrices that have an equal number of rows and an equal number of columns (same order) for compatibility in addition and subtraction. • discuss and note what is represented by the rows and what is represented by the columns from two or more matrices to carry out addition or subtraction. 	How do we use matrices in real-life situations?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: learner discusses the use of tables to represent matrices.
- Learning to Learn: learner arranges items or elements in rows and columns to form matrices.

Values:

Integrity: learner appropriately organises objects in rows and columns and gives the order of the matrix.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

- Social and economic issues: learner discusses the use of tables such as football league tables and shopping lists.
- Citizenship: learner discusses how to use travel schedules to different places.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Learner generates tables of results in sports refers to league schedules and relates this to sporting activities in Creative Arts and Sports.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcome	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Questions
2.0 Algebra	2.2 Equations of Straight Lines (15 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Gradient of a line</i> • <i>Equation of a straight line</i> • <i>Equation of a straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$</i> • <i>The x and y intercepts of a straight line</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) identify the gradient in real-life situations. b) determine the gradient of a line from two known points. c) determine the equation of a straight line given two points. d) determine the equation of a straight line from a known point and a gradient. e) express the equation of a straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$ f) interpret the equation $y = mx + c$ in different situations. g) determine the x and y intercepts of a straight line. h) recognize the use of equations of straight lines in real life. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss steepness concerning gradient from the immediate environment. • incline a ladder at different positions on the wall to demonstrate change in steepness of gradient. Discuss and compare the positions where the ladder is steeper. • observe and climb up and down places such as the stairs or hills and relate to gradients. • work out the equation of a straight line given two points or given a point and a gradient. • discuss and rewrite the equation of a straight line as $y = mx + c$. Explain the variables and constants in the equation. • work out the value of x when y is zero and the value of y when x is zero. 	How do we use gradient or steepness in our daily activities?

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● use digital devices or other resources to show different hills and mountains and discuss steepness. 	
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Digital Literacy: learner uses digital devices or other resources to explore the steepness or gradient of places. ● Learning to Learn: learner places the ladder at different points on the ground as they discuss and compare steepness. 				
Values: Integrity: learner observes gradient/steepness in staircases in buildings, bridges or ramps.				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues: Safety: learner climbs up and down places such as the stairs or hills and relates to gradients.				
Link to other Learning Areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The learner relates the concept of gradient to making work easier in Integrated Science by use of an inclined plane. ● The learner relates the concepts of parallel and perpendicular lines to technical drawing in Pre-Technical studies. 				

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Questions
2.0 Algebra	2.3 Linear Inequalities (6 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Linear inequalities in one unknown</i> • <i>Linear inequality in two unknowns</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) solve linear inequalities in one unknown. b) represent linear inequalities in one unknown graphically. c) represent linear inequality in two unknowns graphically. d) apply linear inequalities to real-life situations. e) reflect on the use of linear inequalities in real life. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss why sometimes resources are shared unequally. • discuss simple inequality statements, form and work out the inequalities in one unknown. • discuss and generate a table of values and draw linear inequalities in one unknown. Indicate and discuss the region that satisfies the inequalities. • discuss and generate a table of values and draw linear inequalities in two unknowns. Indicate and discuss the region that satisfies the inequalities. • discuss and work out linear inequalities that involve real-life cases • use digital devices or other graphing tools to present linear inequalities 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How do we represent linear inequalities in graphs? 2. How do we use linear inequalities in real-life situations?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Digital Literacy: learner uses digital devices resources to present linear inequalities.
- Communication and Collaboration: learner discusses and generates a table of values and draws linear inequalities.

Values:

Social Justice: learner applies concepts of inequalities and equity in sharing available resources in real-life situations.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Citizenship: learner discusses and indicates the regions that satisfy inequalities.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Social Studies: the learner relates inequality statements that may involve unequal distribution of resources in the community.

Suggested Assessment Rubric

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
Ability to identify a Matrix and determine the position of items in a matrix	The learner identifies a Matrix and determines the position of items in a matrix accurately and systematically.	The learner identifies a Matrix and determines the position of items in a matrix accurately.	The learner identifies a Matrix and determines the position of some items in a matrix accurately.	The learner identifies a Matrix and determines the position of few items in a matrix accurately.
Ability to determine the compatibility of Matrices in addition and subtraction and carry out addition and subtraction of matrices.	The learner determines the compatibility of Matrices in addition and subtraction and carries out the addition and subtraction of matrices accurately and systematically.	The learner determines the compatibility of Matrices in addition and subtraction and carries out the addition and subtraction of matrices accurately.	The learner determines the compatibility of Matrices in addition or subtraction and carries out the addition or subtraction of matrices accurately.	The learner determines the compatibility of Matrices in addition or subtraction and carries out the addition or subtraction of matrices partially accurately.
Ability to identify the gradient and determine the gradient of a Straight line from two known points.	The learner Identifies the gradient and determines the gradient of a Straight line from two known points accurately and systematically.	The learner Identifies the gradient and determines the gradient of a Straight line from two known points accurately.	The learner Identifies the gradient or determines the gradient of a Straight line from two known points accurately.	The learner Identifies the gradient or determines the gradient of a Straight line from two known points partially accurately.
Ability to determine the equation of a Straight line from a known point and a gradient and express the equation of a	The learner determines the equation of a Straight line from a known point and a gradient and expresses the equation of a straight line in the form	The learner determines the equation of a Straight line from a known point and a gradient and expresses the equation of a	The learner determines the equation of a Straight line from a known point and a gradient or expresses the equation of a	The learner determines the equation of a Straight line from a known point and a gradient or expresses the equation of a

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectations	Meets Expectations	Approaches Expectations	Below Expectations
straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$.	of $y = mx + c$ accurately and systematically.	straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$ accurately.	straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$ accurately.	straight line in the form of $y = mx + c$ partially accurately.
Ability to Interpret the equation $y = mx + c$ and determine the x and y intercepts of a straight line.	The learner Interprets the equation $y = mx + c$ and determines the x and y intercepts of a straight line accurately and comprehensively.	The learner Interprets the equation $y = mx + c$ and determines the x and y intercepts of a straight line accurately.	The learner Interprets the equation $y = mx + c$ or determines the x or y intercepts of a straight line accurately.	The learner Interprets the equation $y = mx + c$ or determines the x or y intercepts of a straight line partially accurately.
Ability to draw the graph of a straight line given the equation, relate and apply gradients of Parallel and perpendicular lines.	The learner draws the graph of a straight line given the equation, relates and applies gradients of Parallel and perpendicular lines accurately and creatively.	The learner draws the graph of a straight line given the equation, relates and applies gradients of Parallel and perpendicular lines accurately.	The learner draws the graph of a straight line given the equation or relates or applies gradients of Parallel or perpendicular lines accurately.	The learner draws the graph of a straight line given the equation or relates or applies gradients of Parallel lines accurately.
Ability to solve linear inequality in one unknown and represent linear inequality in one and two unknowns graphically.	The learner solves linear inequality in one unknown and represents linear inequality in one and two unknowns graphically correctly and systematically.	The learner solves linear inequality in one unknown and represents linear inequality in one and two unknowns graphically correctly.	The learner solves linear inequality in one unknown or represents linear inequality in one or two unknowns graphically correctly.	The learner solves linear inequality in one unknown or represents linear inequality in one unknown graphically correctly.

STRAND 3.0: MEASUREMENTS

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.1 Area (8 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Area of a pentagon and a hexagon</i> • <i>Surface area of triangular and rectangular-based prisms</i> • <i>Surface area of triangular, rectangular and square-based pyramids, cones, and spheres.</i> • <i>Area of a sector and segment of a circle</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) calculate the area of a pentagon and a hexagon in different situations. b) work out the surface area of triangular and rectangular-based prisms. c) work out the surface area of triangular, rectangular, and square-based pyramids. d) calculate the area of a sector and segment of a circle. e) work out the surface area of a cone in real-life situations. f) calculate the surface area of a sphere in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss the properties of regular polygons and use cut outs to work out the area of pentagons and hexagons. • collect from the environment objects that are spheres, cones/funnels, pyramids, prisms, and frustums. • discuss and sketch the nets of the solids. • use models of prisms to work out the surface area of prisms. • open up the net and draw the faces of a pyramid. Use the relevant formulas of area of plane figures to work out the surface area of the pyramid. • draw a circle with a sector, a chord and a segment and discuss the relationship and 	How do we work out the area of different surfaces?

		g) recognise the use of the area in real-life situations.	<p>make cut outs of a sector and a segment. Determine the area of a sector and a segment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● open the cone to form a net and determine the curved surface area of a cone. Work out the surface area of a closed and an open cone. ● use relevant formulas to work out the surface area of different sizes of spherical balls. ● use IT or other resources to sketch different models and nets ● explore ethno math; patterns in fabrics, and structures such as pyramids, prisms and circles. 	
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Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: learner works with peers to discuss the properties of regular polygons and uses cut-outs to work out the area of pentagon and hexagon.
- Creativity and Imagination: learner opens nets of different models and works out surface area.

Values:

Responsibility: learner takes care and works out surface area using models and open nets of different objects.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Patriotism: learner collects objects from the environment, and uses and disposes of them safely.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Pre-Technical Studies: learner uses models and open nets of different objects to work out surface area.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.2 Volume of Solids (8 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Volume of triangular and rectangular-based prisms</i> • <i>Volume of triangular, rectangular, and squares-based pyramids</i> • <i>The volume of a frustum and a sphere</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) work out the volume of triangular and rectangular-based prisms. b) calculate the volume of a triangular, rectangular, and square-based pyramid. c) work out the volume of a cone in real-life situations. d) determine the volume of a frustum in real-life situations. e) calculate the volume of a sphere in real-life situations. f) promote the use of volume and capacity of different containers in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • collect different containers and objects. This may include prisms, pyramids, cones, funnels, and balls. • identify and discuss the model of a prism. Using the relevant formulas, determine the volume of a prism. • use relevant formulae to work out the volume of pyramids and cones. • identify and work out the volume of models of a pyramid. Cut the pyramid into two parts to get a frustum and a small pyramid and determine the volume of the frustum using the relevant formula. • Play any games involving different sizes of balls and work 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How do we determine the volume of different solids? 2. How do we use the volume of solids in real-life situations?

			out the volume of a sphere. ● use IT or other resources to determine the volumes of solids.	
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner identifies and works out the volume of a frustum from a pyramid. ● Creativity and Imagination: as the learner identifies, discusses, and works out the volume of solids. 				
Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Responsibility: learner takes care of the models of pyramids, cones, and spheres. ● Patriotism: learner collects objects from the environment to determine and discuss models/objects for different volumes of solids. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Environmental Education: learner takes care of the environment while collecting the containers and objects. ● Safety: as the learner collects containers and objects cautiously. 				
Link to other Learning Areas: Creative Arts and Sports: learner makes models of pyramids, cones/funnels, and spheres/balls from available materials.				

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.3 Mass, Volume, Weight and Density (8 Lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Conversions of units of mass</i> • <i>Relating mass and weight</i> • <i>Mass, volume, and density of substances</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) convert units of mass from one form to another in different situations, b) relate mass and weight in real-life situations. c) determine mass, volume, and density of different substances, d) apply density to real-life situations, e) recognise the use of density in daily life. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss different instruments and tools used in weighing materials or objects and relate them to consumer awareness and protection. • collect and weigh different materials or objects and change one unit of mass to another. • discuss the relationship between mass and weight. • carry out activities relating mass and volume to density using containers or different substances. • discuss and find the density of different materials or objects. • work out mass, volume, and density using IT devices or other resources. 	How do you weigh materials and objects?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: learner discusses the relationship between mass and weight.
- Creativity and Imagination: learner determines the density of different materials or objects.
- Digital Literacy: as the learner uses IT devices to determine the mass, volume and density of different objects.

Values:

- Integrity: learner gives correct masses and weights of different materials and objects.
- Responsibility: learner works and takes care of weighing machines and other resources.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

- Education for Sustainable Development (ESD): careers in business such as shopkeeping where weighing tools are used.
- Self-awareness: learner weighs themselves for health purposes.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Integrated Science: learner uses machines and tools that involve weighing different substances.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.4 Time, Distance and Speed (10 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Speed in km/h and m/s</i> • <i>Average speed</i> • <i>Acceleration</i> • <i>Longitudes and local time</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) work out speed in km/h and m/s in real-life situations. b) work out average speed in real-life situations. c) determine velocity in real-life situations. d) work out acceleration in real-life situations. e) identify the longitudes on the globe. f) relate longitudes to time on the globe. g) determine the local time of places on the earth along different longitudes. h) appreciate the use of time and distance in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • engage in activities that will involve measuring distances and time, for example running track events to determine speed. • discuss and relate distance and time. • discuss the difference between velocity and speed. • discuss and determine acceleration from track events in school or community. • discuss and use maps and models of a globe to work out and relate the time of different places on the earth. • use IT devices to watch videos on the globe, longitudes, and time zones in different parts of the earth. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How do we observe speed in daily activities? 2. Why does time vary in different places of the world?

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● use other resources such as maps to locate different places (cities) on the earth and discuss time differences. 	
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Self-efficacy: learner participates in track events to measure speed. ● Digital Literacy: learner uses IT devices to determine time in different zones in the world. ● Citizenship - global citizenship: learner determines local time in different parts of the world. 				
Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Integrity: learner correctly records individual running time during track events and other games. ● Respect: learner adheres to their lanes on track events and other games. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Safety: learner observes safety measures and time during games and sports. ● Education for Sustainable Development (ESD): learner participates and chooses careers in games and sporting activities. ● Self-awareness: learner participates and times themselves in games. 				
Link to other Learning Areas: Integrated Science: learner uses digital devices such as digital clocks to tell time in different zones of the world.				

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.5 Money (7 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Currencies of other countries</i> • <i>Currency conversions</i> • <i>Export, import and excise duties</i> • <i>Value Added Tax</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> identify currencies that are used in different countries. convert currency from one form to another in real-life situations. determine export duties charged on goods in real-life situations, determine import duties charged on goods work out excise duty charged on goods and services in real-life situations, calculate value added tax charged on goods and services, appreciate the use of money in day-to-day activities. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • use IT devices or other resources to obtain and compile a collage of currencies from different countries. For example, currencies of East African Countries, US dollars, Euro, Japanese Yen, and Sterling pound. • work out currency exchange from Kenya Shillings to any other currency and vice versa • identify currency exchange rates from different sources including daily papers, IT devices, and financial institutions, and relate this to consumer awareness and protection • discuss and work out the export duties charged on different goods sold to other countries. • discuss and work out import duties charged on goods given the customs value of the 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Why do we change currencies from one form to another? 2. How do we determine taxes charged on different goods.

			<p>goods where customs value is the cost of goods at the point of entry to the country,</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● discuss and identify local goods that attract excise duty. Determine excise duty of different goods. ● discuss and determine duty on imported goods, ● use receipts from shopping or other resources to discuss and work out VAT on local goods and services. ● search and work out VAT of imported goods. 	
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Global Citizenship: learner discusses different currencies in various countries of the world. ● Digital Literacy: learner uses digital devices to learn about exchange rates for foreign currency. 				
Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Integrity: learner accurately works out currency exchange rates. ● Social Cohesion: learner works and appreciates exchange rates for other countries. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Financial Literacy: learner discusses with peers and recognises the currencies used in different countries. ● Education for Sustainable Development (ESD): learner has awareness of career choices in business, imports and exports. 				
Link to other Learning Areas: Pre-Technical Studies: learner works out VAT and currency exchange rates.				

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcome	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
3.0 Measurements	3.6 Approximations and Errors (4 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Errors from estimations and actual measurements</i> • <i>Percentage errors</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) approximate quantities in measurements in different situations, b) determine errors using estimations and actual measurements of quantities, c) determine percentage errors using actual measurements of quantities, d) appreciate approximations and errors in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • carry out activities of measurements of different quantities such as length, area, volume, capacity, and mass using arbitrary units. • estimate and measure different quantities using appropriate instruments. compare the estimates and the actual measurements and determine the error. • work out the percentage error from the estimated and the actual measurements • work out errors using IT devices or other resources and relate this to consumer awareness. 	How do we estimate measurements of different quantities?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Creativity and Imagination: learner carries out measurements of different quantities and discusses the error.
- Digital Literacy: learner uses IT devices to compute errors.

Values:

- Integrity: learner measures different quantities and minimizes errors.
- Responsibility: learner takes care of tools for measuring different quantities.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Safety: learner handles measuring tools with care.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Integrated Science: learner measures different quantities that may involve errors as they carry out experiments.

Suggested Assessment Rubric

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	Below Expectation
Ability to calculate the Area of a pentagon and a hexagon.	The learner calculates the area of a pentagon and a hexagon correctly and proficiently.	The learner calculates the area of a pentagon and a hexagon correctly	The learner calculates the area of a pentagon or a hexagon correctly	The learner calculates the area of a pentagon correctly
Ability to work out the surface area of a prism and pyramid.	The learner works out the surface area of a prism and a pyramid accurately and systematically.	The learner works out the surface area of a prism and a pyramid accurately	The learner works out the surface area of a prism or a pyramid accurately	The learner works out the surface area of a prism partially accurately
Ability to calculate the area of a sector and segment of a circle.	The learner calculates the area of a sector and segment of a circle correctly and systematically.	The learner calculates the area of a sector and segment of a circle correctly	The learner calculates the area of a sector or segment of a circle correctly	The learner calculates the area of a sector of a circle correctly
Ability to work out the surface area of a cone and a sphere.	The learner works out the surface area of a cone and a sphere accurately and systematically.	The learner works out the surface area of a cone and a sphere accurately.	The learner works out the surface area of a cone or a sphere accurately.	The learner works out the surface area of a cone accurately.

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	Below Expectation
Ability to work out the Volume of triangular, rectangular and square-based prisms, and pyramids.	The learner works out the volume of triangular, rectangular and square-based prisms, and pyramids correctly and systematically.	The learner works out the volume of triangular, rectangular and square-based prisms, and pyramids correctly.	The learner works out the volume of triangular, rectangular or square-based prisms, or pyramids correctly.	The learner works out the volume of a triangular or rectangular-based prism correctly.
Ability to work out the Volume of a cone, frustum, and sphere.	The learner works out the volume of a cone, frustum and sphere correctly and systematically.	The learner works out the volume of a cone, frustum and sphere correctly.	The learner works out the volume of a cone, frustum or sphere correctly.	The learner works out the volume of a cone correctly.
Ability to determine the mass, volume, and density.	The learner determines mass, volume, and density correctly and systematically.	The learner determines mass, volume, and density correctly.	The learner determines mass, volume, or density correctly.	The learner determines mass or volume correctly.
Ability to work out speed in Km/h and m/s, velocity, and acceleration.	The learner works out speed in Km/h and m/s, velocity, and acceleration accurately and systematically.	The learner works out speed in Km/h and m/s, velocity and acceleration accurately.	The learner works out speed in Km/h and m/s, velocity or acceleration accurately.	The learner works out speed in Km/h and m/s accurately.
Ability to determine the local time of places on the earth along different longitudes.	The learner determines the local time of places on the earth along different longitudes correctly and systematically.	The learner determines the local time of places on the earth along different longitudes correctly.	The learner determines the local time of some places on the earth along different longitudes correctly.	The learner determines the local time of a few places on the earth along different longitudes partially accurately.

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	Below Expectation
Ability to identify currencies used in different countries and convert currency from one form to another.	The learner identifies currencies that are used in different countries and converts currency from one form to another accurately and comprehensively.	The learner identifies currencies that are used in different countries and converts currency from one form to another accurately.	The learner identifies currencies that are used in different countries or convert currency from one form to another accurately.	The learner identifies currencies that are used in different countries accurately.
Ability to work out import, export, and excise duties and determine Value Added Tax.	The learner works out import, export, and excise duties and determines Value Added Tax correctly and systematically.	The learner works out import, export, and excise duties and determines Value Added Tax correctly.	The learner works out import, export, or excise duties or determines Value Added Tax correctly.	The learner works out import, export, or excise duties correctly.
Ability to approximate quantities in measurements and determine errors using estimations and actual measurements of quantities.	The learner approximates quantities in measurements and determines errors using estimations and actual measurements of quantities accurately and systematically.	The learner approximates quantities in measurements and determines errors using estimations and actual measurements of quantities accurately.	The learner approximates quantities in measurements or determines errors using estimations or actual measurements of quantities accurately.	The learner approximates quantities in measurements or determines errors using estimations accurately.

STRAND 4.0: GEOMETRY

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Geometry	4.1 Coordinates and Graphs (6 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Straight line graph</i> • <i>Parallel and perpendicular lines</i> • <i>Gradients of parallel and perpendicular lines</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) plot out points on a Cartesian plane b) draw a straight-line graph given an equation. c) draw parallel lines on the Cartesian plane. d) relate the gradients of parallel lines. e) draw perpendicular lines on the Cartesian plane. f) relate the gradients of perpendicular lines. g) apply graphs of straight lines in a real-life situation 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • work with peers and locate the point of intersection of the x-coordinate and the y-coordinates on a Cartesian plane. • generate a table of values from equation a of a straight line, plot and join the points to form a straight line. • generate a table of values for each of the given equations, plot and join them to form straight lines on the Cartesian plane • work out the gradients of each of the lines and compare them to establish their relationship of parallelism. • generate a table of values for each of the given equations of perpendicular lines, plot and join them to form straight lines on the Cartesian plane • work out the gradients of each of the lines and compare them to establish the relationship of perpendicular lines. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How do we draw graphs of straight lines? 2. How do we interpret graphs of straight lines?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: learner works with peers to locate the point of intersection of straight lines.
- Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner generates a table of values.

Values:

Responsibility: as the learner takes care of graphing instruments and other resources.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

- Education for Sustainable Development (ESD): learner generates tables of values and draws graphs of straight lines.
- Safety: as the learner handles graphing instruments with sharp ends.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Integrated Science: as the learner plots graphs of straight lines of different quantities measured in sciences.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Geometry	4.2 Scale Drawing (14 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Compass and true bearings</i> • <i>Bearing of a point</i> • <i>Angles of elevation and depression</i> • <i>Simple surveying</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) identify compass and true bearings in real-life situations. b) determine the bearing of a point from another point in real-life situations. c) locate a point using bearing and distance in real-life situations. d) identify angles of elevation in real-life situations. e) determine angles of elevation in different situations. f) identify angles of depression in real-life situations. g) determine angles of depression in different situations. 	Learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • draw and discuss the compass directions and relate to the compass and true North bearings. • discuss and locate places from different points using bearings. • discuss and locate a place using bearing and distance. Sketch and use a scale drawing to show the position of places from given points. • carry out different activities involving angles of elevation, for example, observing different objects or points that are above. Discuss, sketch, and make a scale drawing to determine the angles of elevation. • carry out different activities involving angles of depression, for example, observing different objects or points that are below. • discuss, sketch, and make a scale drawing to determine the angles of depression. 	How do we use scale drawing in real life?

		h) apply scale drawing in simple surveying. i) appreciate the use of scale drawing in real-life situations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● discuss and use scale drawing in simple surveying. ● observe maps or watch videos on bearings and simple surveying. 	
Core Competencies to be developed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Creativity and Imagination: learner sketches and determines angles of elevation and depression. ● Citizenship: learner use scale drawing in simple surveying. 				
Values: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Unity: learner sketches, discusses, and agrees on points in simple surveying. ● Social Cohesion: learner observes maps and watches videos on land surveying. 				
Pertinent and Contemporary Issues: Learner discusses with others possible Careers in scale drawing and surveying.				
Link to other Learning Areas: Social Studies help learners to work cooperatively with others to observe maps in surveying and locating bearings.				

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Geometry	4.3 Similarity and Enlargement (8 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Similar figures</i> • <i>Properties of enlargement</i> • <i>Linear scale factor</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> identify similar figures and their properties. draw similar figures in different situations. determine properties of enlargement of different figures. apply properties of enlargement to draw similar objects and their images. determine the linear scale factor of similar figures. promote the use of similarity and enlargement in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • collect objects and sort them according to similarity. Discuss and note down the properties of similar objects. • use properties of similar objects to scale-draw similar figures. • discuss and identify properties of enlargement. • use properties of enlargement to represent objects and their images. • determine the linear relationship of similar figures and objects. • enlarge objects and figures using IT devices. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> What are similar objects? How do we use enlargement in real-life situations?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Critical thinking and Problem-solving: as the learner draws similar and enlarged objects and figures.
- Digital Literacy: as the learner learns and uses digital devices to enlarge objects and figures.

Values:

- Responsibility: learner collects similar objects and takes care of them in the learning process.
- Social Cohesion: learner works in groups to draw similar objects and figures.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Environmental Education: learner collects similar objects from the environment.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Pre-Technical Studies: contributes to learner's scale-drawing skills of similar figures and objects.

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
4.0 Geometry	4.4 Trigonometry (7 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Angles and sides of right-angled triangles</i> • <i>Trigonometric ratios for acute angles</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> identify angles and sides of right-angled triangles in different situations. identify Sine, Cosine, and Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle in different situations. read tables of trigonometric ratios for acute angles. determine trigonometric ratios of acute angles using calculators apply trigonometric ratios to calculate lengths and angles of right-angled triangles in different situations. appreciate the use of trigonometric ratios in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • draw right-angled triangles and recognize angles and sides. Discuss the relationship between angles and sides. • discuss and relate the trigonometric ratios to angles in a right-angled triangle. • use trigonometric ratios to determine lengths and angles of right-angled triangles • use Mathematical tables or IT devices to find trigonometric ratios of given angles. 	What is the relationship between angles and sides in a right-angled triangle?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner relates the trigonometric ratios to angles in a right-angled triangle.
- Digital Literacy: as the learner uses tables or calculators to find trigonometric ratios of given angles.

Values:

Responsibility: learner takes care of digital devices, mathematical tables, and drawing materials.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Safety: learner plugs and uses digital devices carefully.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Pre-Technical Studies: learner draws right-angled triangles and recognizes angles and sides.

Suggested Assessment Rubric

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	Below Expectation
Ability to draw a straight-line graph given an equation, parallel, and perpendicular lines.	The learner draws a straight-line graph given an equation and parallel, and perpendicular lines accurately and precisely.	The learner draws a straight-line graph given an equation, with parallel and perpendicular lines accurately.	The learner draws a straight-line graph given an equation, parallel or perpendicular lines accurately.	The learner draws a straight-line graph given an equation accurately.
Ability to relate the gradients of parallel and perpendicular lines.	The learner relates the gradients of parallel and perpendicular lines correctly and comprehensively.	The learner relates the gradients of parallel and perpendicular lines correctly.	The learner relates the gradients of parallel or perpendicular lines correctly.	The learner relates the gradients of parallel lines correctly.
Determining the bearing of one point from another and angles of elevation and depression.	The learner determines the bearing of one point from another and angles of elevation and depression correctly and systematically.	The learner determines the bearing of one point from another and angles of elevation and depression correctly.	The learner determines the bearing of one point from another or angles of elevation or depression correctly.	The learner determines the bearing of one point from another correctly.
Applying scale drawing in simple surveying.	The learner applies scale drawing in simple surveying accurately and appropriately.	The learner applies scale drawing in simple surveying accurately.	The learner applies scale drawing in simple surveying partially accurately.	The learner applies scale drawing in simple surveying incompletely.

Ability to identify Angles and sides of right-angled triangles.	The learner identifies the angles and sides of right-angled triangles accurately and systematically.	The learner identifies the angles and sides of right-angled triangles accurately.	The learner identifies the angles or sides of right-angled triangles accurately.	The learner identifies the angles of right-angled triangles accurately.
Ability to determine properties of enlargement, draw similar figures, and determine the linear scale factor of similar figures.	The learner determines properties of enlargement, draws similar figures, and determines the linear scale factor of similar figures accurately and concisely.	The learner determines properties of enlargement, draws similar figures, and determines the linear scale factor of similar figures accurately.	The learner determines properties of enlargement or draws similar figures or determines the linear scale factor of similar figures accurately.	The learner determines properties of enlargement or draws similar figures accurately.
Ability to identify Sine, Cosine, and Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle.	The learner identifies Sine, Cosine, and Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle accurately and consistently.	The learner identifies Sine, Cosine, and Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle accurately.	The learner identifies any 2 of the Sine, Cosine, or Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle accurately	The learner identifies any one of the Sine, Cosine, or Tangent ratios from a right-angled triangle accurately.

Ability to read tables of trigonometric ratios and determine trigonometric ratios of acute angles using calculators.	The learner reads tables of trigonometric ratios and determines trigonometric ratios of acute angles using calculators accurately and fluently.	The learner reads tables of trigonometric ratios and determines trigonometric ratios of acute angles using calculators accurately.	The learner reads tables of trigonometric ratios or determines trigonometric ratios of acute angles using calculators accurately.	The learner reads tables of trigonometric ratios accurately.
Ability to apply trigonometric ratios to calculate the lengths and angles of right-angled triangles.	The learner applies trigonometric ratios to calculate the lengths and angles of right-angled triangles accurately and systematically.	The learner applies trigonometric ratios to calculate the lengths and angles of right-angled triangles accurately.	The learner applies trigonometric ratios to calculate the lengths or angles of right-angled triangles accurately.	The learner applies trigonometric ratios to calculate the lengths of right-angled triangles accurately.

STRAND 5.0: DATA HANDLING AND PROBABILITY**Sub strand: Data Interpretation**

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.0 Data Handling and Probability	5.1 Data Interpretation (Grouped Data) (6 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Frequency distribution tables of grouped data</i>• <i>Modal class</i>• <i>Mean and median of grouped data</i>	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ul style="list-style-type: none">a) determine appropriate class width for grouping data.b) draw frequency distribution tables of grouped datac) identify the modal class of grouped data.d) calculate the mean of grouped data from real-life situations.e) determine the median of grouped data from real-life situations.f) appreciate data interpretation in real-life situations.	The learner is guided to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">● collect data and work out an appropriate class width.● tally the data and represent it in a frequency distribution table.● recognize the modal class from a set of grouped data.● work out the mean from different sets of grouped data.● use the frequencies to determine the median class of grouped data.● work out the median from different sets of grouped data.● use IT devices or other materials to determine the mean and median of grouped data.● use digital devices or other materials to search for distances from school or home to health facilities using different roads or routes.	How do we interpret data?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Learning to Learn: learner collects, organises, and interprets data.
- Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner discusses and determines the modal class, mean, and median of grouped data.
- Digital Literacy: as the learner uses IT or other materials to determine the mean and median of grouped data.

Values:

Respect: as the learner works together with peers to collect data from the immediate environment.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Citizenship: learner collects data that may relate to the population.

Link to other Learning Areas:

- Integrated Science: learner interprets data related to different organisms and materials.
- The learner relates analysing and interpreting data in different social aspects learnt in Social Studies.

Sub strand: Probability

Strand	Sub-Strand	Specific Learning Outcomes	Suggested Learning Experiences	Suggested Key Inquiry Question(s)
5.0 Data Handling and Probability	5.2 Probability (6 lessons) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Experiments involving equal and likely outcomes</i> • <i>Range of probability of an event</i> • <i>Exclusive and independent events</i> • <i>Tree diagram</i> 	By the end of the sub-strand, the learner should be able to; <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) perform experiments involving equal and likely outcomes in different situations. b) determine the range of probability of an event. c) identify mutually exclusive events in real-life situations. d) perform experiments of single chance involving mutually exclusive events e) perform experiments involving independent events in different situations f) draw a tree diagram for a single outcome g) appreciate the probability of events occurring in real-life situations. 	The learner is guided to; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discuss and carry out experiments on events involving equal and likely outcomes. • work out the range of probability of different events. • discuss and carry out experiments involving mutually inclusive events. • discuss and carry out experiments involving independent events. • practice representing probability occurrences in a tree diagram. • use IT devices or other resources to explore more probability. 	Why is probability important in real-life situations?

Core Competencies to be developed:

- Communication and Collaboration: learner discusses and carries out experiments of events involving equally likely outcomes.
- Critical thinking and Problem-solving: learner carries out experiments involving mutually inclusive events.
- Self-efficacy: learner carries out experiments involving independent events and avoids harmful practices of gambling.

Values:

- Responsibility: learner discusses and carries out experiments involving mutually inclusive events.
- Social Cohesion: learner works in groups and practices representing probability occurrences in a tree diagram.

Pertinent and Contemporary Issues:

Financial Literacy: learners carries out experiments involving independent events and avoid harmful practices of gambling using money.

Link to other Learning Areas:

Learner works in teams to explore the weather patterns as they have learnt how they affect Agriculture.

Suggested Assessment Rubric

Level Indicators	Exceeds Expectation	Meets Expectation	Approaches Expectation	Below Expectation
Ability to determine appropriate width and draw frequency distribution tables for grouping data.	The learner determines the appropriate width and draws frequency distribution tables for grouping data accurately and systematically.	The learner determines the appropriate width and draws frequency distribution tables for grouping data accurately.	The learner determines the appropriate width or draws frequency distribution tables for grouping data accurately.	The learner determines the appropriate width for grouping data accurately.
Ability to determine the modal class, mean, and median of grouped data.	The learner determines the modal class, mean, and median of grouped data accurately and systematically.	The learner determines the modal class, mean, and median of grouped data accurately.	The learner determines the modal class, mean, or median of grouped data accurately.	The learner determines the modal class or means of grouped data accurately.
Ability to perform experiments involving equally likely outcomes, determine the range of probability of an event, and identify mutually exclusive events.	The learner performs experiments involving equally likely outcomes, determines the range of probability of an event, and identifies mutually exclusive events accurately and systematically.	The learner performs experiments involving equally likely outcomes, determines the range of probability of an event, and identifies mutually exclusive events accurately.	The learner performs experiments involving equally likely outcomes determines the range of probability of an event, or identifies mutually exclusive events accurately.	The learner performs experiments involving equally likely outcomes or determines the range of probability of an event accurately.

Ability to perform experiments of a single chance involving mutually exclusive and independent events.	The learner performs experiments of a single chance involving mutually exclusive and independent events correctly and systematically.	The learner performs experiments of a single chance involving mutually exclusive and independent events correctly.	The learner performs experiments of a single chance involving mutually exclusive or independent events correctly.	The learner performs experiments of a single chance involving mutually exclusive events correctly.
Ability to draw a tree diagram for a single outcome.	The learner draws a tree diagram for a single outcome correctly and precisely.	The learner draws a tree diagram for a single outcome correctly.	The learner draws a tree diagram for a single outcome partially correctly.	The learner draws a tree diagram for a single outcome incompletely.

APPENDIX 1: GUIDELINES FOR INTEGRATING COMMUNITY SERVICE LEARNING PROJECT

Introduction

In Grade 9, learners will undertake an integrated Community Service Learning (CSL) project of choice, focusing on a single subject or combining multiple subject. The CSL project will enable the learner to apply knowledge and skills from other subjects to address a problem in the community. The implementation of the integrated CSL project will follow a Whole School Approach, involving all members of the school community. This includes teachers, school administration, parents/guardians/, the local community and support staff. It will be a collaborative effort where the Social Studies teacher will coordinate and work with other subject teachers to design and implement the integrated CSL project. The teachers will select a theme for the CSL project, drawing from different Learning Areas and broader categories of Pertinent and Contemporary Issues (PCIs). The project should also provide an opportunity for learners to develop core competencies and nurture values. Learners will participate in a **variety of** integrated CSL group projects, working in teams and following a six-step milestone approach as follows:

Milestone	Description
Milestone 1	Problem Identification Learners study their community to understand the challenges faced and their effects on community members. Some of the challenges in the community can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Environmental degradation• Lifestyle diseases, Communicable and non-communicable diseases• Poverty• Violence and conflicts in the community• Food security issues
Milestone 2	Designing a solution Learners create an intervention to address the challenge identified.

Milestone 3	Planning for the Project Learners share roles, create a list of activities to be undertaken, mobilise resources needed to create their intervention, and set timelines for execution.
Milestone 4	Implementation The learners execute the project and keep evidence of work done.
Milestone 5	Showcasing /Exhibition and Report Writing Exhibitions involve showcasing learners' project items to the community and reflecting on the feedback. Learners write a report detailing their project activities and learnings from feedback.
Milestone 6	Reflection Learners review all project work to learn from the challenges faced. They link project work with academic concepts, noting how the concepts enabled them to do their project as well as how the project helped to deepen learning of the academic concepts.

Note: The milestones will be staggered across the three terms of the academic calendar.

Assessment of Community Service Learning Integrated Project

Assessment for the integrated CSL group projects will be conducted formatively. The assessment will consider both the process and end product. This entails assessing each of the milestone stages of the integrated CSL group projects. The assessments will focus on three components namely: skills from various learning areas applied in carrying out the projects, core competencies developed and values nurtured.

APPENDIX 2: LIST OF ASSESSMENT METHODS, LEARNING RESOURCES AND NON-FORMAL ACTIVITIES

Strand	Sub-Strand	Suggested Assessment Methods	Suggested Learning Resources	Suggested Non-Formal Activities
Numbers	Integers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. • Project 	Number lines, games on charts, number cards, steps, up and down stairs.	Prepare or improvise number line games on charts.
	Cubes and cube roots	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Multiplication, cubes, and cube root tables.	
	Indices and logarithms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Mathematical tables Calculators.	
	Compound proportions and rates of work	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Digital clocks	

Algebra	Matrices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Information from different sources on the arrangement of items in rows and columns.	Carry out activities involving arranging objects from their immediate environment into rows and columns. This can be done at home. Take photos and share them with the class or school. Use the concept of organising objects/items at school and home.
	Equations of a straight line	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Rulers, drawing tools, graph papers/ squared books	
	Linear inequalities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class activities • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Rulers, drawing tools, graph papers/ squared books	
Measurement	Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Square cutouts, squares, writing materials	
	Volume of solids	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class written tests • Home or extended assignments or activities 	Solids such as prisms, pyramids, cones, spheres	Make models of prisms, pyramids cones, and spheres that can be used as learning

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Project 		resources for Mathematics and other learning areas.
	Mass, volume, weight, and density	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class written tests ● Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Solids such as prisms, pyramids, cones, spheres	
	Time, distance, and speed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class written tests ● Home or extended assignments or activities ● Project 	Clocks, ropes, metre rule, globe, maps, digital devices	Use digital devices or maps and other resources to determine the local time of different cities in the world. Use this information to generate possible travel flight schedules.
	Money	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Home or extended assignments or activities ● Project 	Currency dummies, paper cut out of foreign currencies	Prepare dummies or paper cutouts of currencies from different countries and role-play currency exchange activities.
	Approximation and errors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Rulers, digital clocks	
Geometry	Coordinates and graphs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests ● Home or extended assignments or activities. 	Rulers, plotting/graph paper	

	Scale drawing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests ● Home or extended assignments or activities ● Project 	Pair of compasses, Rulers, Straight edges	Observe the position of different structures or objects in the school or home compound and sketch. Estimate the distance between the structures or objects and scale draw the school or home compound.
	Similarity and enlargement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests ● Home or extended assignments or activities ● project 	Similar containers, objects of different sizes	Collect similar containers from the immediate environment including the home, and discuss how they are used especially in packaging different quantities. Discuss how packaging can be used to protect consumers.
	Trigonometry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests 	Pair of compasses, Rulers, Straight edges	
Data handling and probability	Data interpretation (Grouped data)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests 	Data from different sources	
	Probability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class activities ● Class written tests 	Coins, dice, Data from different sources	

APPENDIX 3: USE OF ICT TOOLS

The following ICT tools may be used in learning and teaching of mathematics at this level:

1. Learner digital devices (**LDD**)
2. Teacher digital devices (**TDD**)
3. Mobile phones
4. Digital clocks
5. Television sets
6. Videos
7. Cameras
8. Projectors
9. Radios
10. DVD players
11. CD's
12. Scanners
13. Internet
14. Other resources.