# **121 MATHEMATICS**

# **GENERAL OBJECTIVES**

By the end of the course, the learner should be able to:

- 1. develop a positive attitude towards learning Mathematics;
- 2. perform mathematical operations and manipulations with confidence, speed and accuracy;
- 3. think and reason precisely, logically and critically in any given situation;
- 4. develop investigative skills in Mathematics;
- 5. identify, concretise, symbolise and use Mathematical relationships in everyday life;
- 6. comprehend, analyse, synthesise, evaluate and make generalizations so as to solve Mathematical problems;
- 7. collect, organise, represent, analyse, interprete data and make conclusions and predictions from its results;
- 8. apply mathematical knowledge and skills to familiar and unfamiliar situations;
- 9. appreciate the role, value and use of Mathematics in society;
- 10. develop a willingness to work collaboratively;
- 11. acquire knowledge and skills for further education and training;
- 12. communicate mathematical ideas.

# 1.1.0 SYMBOLS

**1.1.1** SI Units will be used throughout this syllabus. Besides the usual operational symbols +, -, x,  $\div$ , the combined  $\pm$  will be used

# 1.1.2 Rational symbols

- = is equal to.
- $\neq$  is not equal to.
- > is greater than.
- $\geq$  is greater than or equal to.
- < is less than.
- $\leq$  is less than or equal to.
- a:b ratio of a to b.
- $\infty$  varies as.
- $\equiv$  is congruent to or identical to.
- $\approx$  approximately equal to.
- $\Leftrightarrow$  is equivalent
- $\Rightarrow$  implies
- ∴ therefore

### 2.1.0 NUMBERS

# 2.1.1 NATURAL NUMBERS

#### i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) identify, read and write natural numbers in symbols and words;
- (b) round off numbers to the nearest tens, hundreds, thousands, millions and billions;
- (c) classify natural numbers as even, odd or prime;
- (d) solve word problems involving natural numbers.

### ii) Content

- (a) Place values of numbers
- (b) Rounding off numbers to the nearest tens, hundreds, thousands, millions and billions
- (c) Odd numbers
- (d) Even numbers
- (e) Prime numbers
- (f) Word problems involving natural numbers.

# 2.1.2 FACTORS

### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) express composite numbers in factor form;
- (b) express composite numbers as product of prime factors;
- (c) express factors in power form.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Factors of composite numbers
- (b) Prime factors
- (c) Factors in power form

# 2.1.3 DIVISIBILITY TESTS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to test the divisibility of numbers by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10 and 11.

# (ii) Content

Divisibility test of numbers by 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10 and 11

# 2.1.4 GREATEST COMMON DIVISOR (GCD)/HIGHEST COMMON FACTOR (HCF)

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) find the GCD/HCF of a set of numbers;
- (b) apply GCD to real life situations.

- (a) GCD of a set of numbers
- (b) Application of GCD/HCF to real life situations

# 2.1.5 LEAST COMMON MULTIPLE (LCM)

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) list multiples of numbers;
- (b) find the LCM of a set of numbers;
- (c) apply knowledge of LCM in real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Multiples of a number
- (b) LCM of a set of numbers
- (c) Application of LCM in real life situations.

# 2.1.6 INTEGERS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define integers;
- (b) identify integers on a number line;
- (c) perform the four basic operations on integers using the number line;
- (d) work out combined operations on integers in the correct order;
- (e) apply knowledge of integers to real life situations.

#### (ii) content

- (a) Integers
- (b) The number line
- (c) Operation on integers
- (d) Order of operations
- (e) Application to real life situations

# 2.1.7 FRACTIONS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) identify proper and improper fractions and mixed numbers;
- (b) convert mixed numbers to improper fractions and vice versa;
- (c) compare fractions;
- (d) perform the four basic operations on fractions;
- (e) carry out combined operations on fractions in the correct order;
- (f) apply the knowledge of fractions to real life situations.

- (a) Fractions
- (b) Proper, improper fractions and mixed numbers
- (c) Conversion of improper fractions to mixed numbers and vice versa
- (d) Comparing fractions
- (e) Operations on fractions
- (f) Order of operations on fractions
- (g) Word problems involving fractions in real life situations.

# 2.1.8 DECIMALS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) convert fractions into decimals and vice versa;
- (b) identify recurring decimals;
- (c) convert recurring decimals into fractions;
- (d) round off a decimal number to the required number of decimal places;
- (e) write numbers in standard form;
- (f) perform the four basic operations on decimals;
- (g) carry our operations in the correct order;
- (h) apply the knowledge of decimals to real life situations.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Fractions and decimals
- (b) Recurring decimals
- (c) Recurring decimals and fractions
- (d) Decimal places
- (e) Standard form
- (f) Operations on decimals
- (g) Order of operations
- (h) Real life problems involving decimals.

# 2.1.9 SQUARES AND SQUARE ROOTS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) find squares of numbers by multiplication;
- (b) find squares from tables;
- (c) find square root by factor method;
- (d) find square root from tables.

# (ii) **Content**

- (a) Squares by multiplication
- (b) Squares from tables
- (c) Square roots by factorization
- (d) Square roots from tables.

# 2.1.10 CUBES AND CUBE ROOTS

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) find the cube of a number by multiplication;
- (b) find the cube root of a number by factor method;
- (c) find cubes of numbers from mathematical tables;
- (d) evaluate expressions involving cubes and cube roots;
- (e) apply the knowledge of cubes and cube roots in real life situations.
- (ii) Content
  - (a) Cubes of numbers by multiplication
  - (b) Cubes from tables
  - (c) Cube roots of numbers by factor method

- (d) Evaluation of cube and cube root expressions
- (e) Application of cubes and cube roots to real life situations.

# 2.1.11 RECIPROCALS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) find reciprocals of numbers by division;
- (b) find reciprocals of numbers from tables;
- (c) use reciprocals of numbers in computation.

### (ii) Content

- (a) Reciprocals of numbers by division
- (b) Reciprocals of numbers from tables
- (c) Computation using reciprocals.

#### 2.1.12 RATES, RATIOS, PERCENTAGES AND PROPORTION (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define rates;
- (b) solve problems involving rates;
- (c) define ratio;
- (d) compare two or more quantities using ratios;
- (e) change quantities in a given ratio;
- (f) compare two or more ratios;
- (g) represent and interpret proportional parts;
- (h) recognise direct and inverse proportions;
- (i) solve problems involving direct and inverse proportions;
- (j) convert fractions and decimals to percentages and vice-versa;
- (k) calculate percentage change in a given quantity;
- (1) apply rates, ratios, percentages to real life situations and proportion.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Rates
- (b) Solving problems involving rates
- (c) Ratio
- (d) Comparing quantities using ratio
- (e) Increase and decrease in a given ratio
- (f) Comparing ratios
- (g) Proportion: direct and inverse
- (h) Solve problems on direct and inverse proportions
- (i) Fractions and decimals as percentages
- (j) Percentage increase and decrease
- (k) Application of rates, ratios, percentages and proportion to real life situations.

#### 2.1.13 COMPOUND PROPORTIONS AND RATES OF WORK

# (i) Specific Objectives

By the end of the topic the learner should be able to:

- (a) solve problems involving compound proportions using unitary and ratio methods;
- (b) apply ratios and proportions to real life situations;
- (c) solve problems involving rates of work.

- (a) Proportional parts
- (b) Compound proportions
- (c) Ratios and rates of work
- (d) Proportions applied to mixtures.

# **2.1.14 LINEAR MOTION**

# (i) Specific Objectives

- By the end of the topic the learner should be able to:
- (a) define displacement, speed, velocity and acceleration;
- (b) distinguish between (i) distance and displacement, (ii) speed and velocity;
- (c) determine velocity and acceleration;
- (d) plot and draw graphs of linear motion (distance and velocity time graphs);
- (e) interpret graphs of linear motion;
- (f) define relative speed;
- (g) solve problems involving relative speed.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Displacement, velocity, speed and acceleration
- (b) Determining velocity and acceleration
- (c) Relative speed
- (d) Distance time graph
- (e) Velocity time graph
- (f) Interpretation of graphs of linear motion
- (g) Solving problems involving relative speed.

# 2.1.15 INDICES AND LOGARITHMS

# (i) Specific Objectives

By the end of the topic the learner should be able to:

- (a) define indices (powers);
- (b) state the laws of indices;
- (c) apply the laws of indices in calculations;
- (d) relate the powers of 10 to common logarithms;
- (e) use the tables of common logarithms and anti-logarithms in computation.

- (a) Indices (powers) and base
- (b) Laws of indices (including positive integers, negative integers and fractional indices)
- (c) Powers of 10 and common logarithms
- (d) Common logarithms: i) characteristics and ii) mantissa
- (e) Logarithm tables

(f) Application of common logarithms in multiplication, division, powers and roots.

# **2.1.6 FURTHER LOGARITHMS**

### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) derive logarithmic relation from index form and vice versa;
- (b) state the laws of logarithms;
- (c) use logarithmic laws to simplify logarithmic expressions and solve logarithmic equations;
- (d) apply laws of logarithms for further computations.

### (ii) Content

- (a) Logarithmic notation (eg.  $a^n=b$ ,  $\log a^b=n$ )
- (b) The laws of logarithms:  $\log (AB) = \log A + \log B$ ,  $\log(A \div B) = \log A \log B$  and  $\log A^n = n \ge \log A$ .
- (c) Simplifications of logarithmic expressions
- (d) Solution of logarithmic equations
- (e) Further computation using logarithmic laws.

# 2.1.17 APPROXIMATIONS AND ERRORS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) Perform various computations using a calculator;
- (b) make reasonable approximations and estimations of quantities in computations and measurements;
- (c) express values to a given number of significant figures;
- (d) define absolute, relative, percentage, round-off and truncation errors;
- (e) determine possible errors made from computations;
- (f) find maximum and minimum errors from operations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Computing using calculators
- (b) Estimations and approximations
- (c) Significant figures
- (d) Absolute, relative, percentage, round-off (including significant figures) and truncation errors
- (e) Propagation of errors from simple calculations
- (f) Maximum and minimum errors.

#### **2.2.0 MEASUREMENT (1)**

# **2.2.1 LENGTH**

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
  - (a) state the units of measuring length;
  - (b) convert units of length from one form to another;
  - (c) express numbers to required number of significant figures;

(d) find the perimeter of a plane figure and circumference of a circle.

### (ii) Content

- (a) Units of length (mm, cm, m, km)
- (b) Conversion of units of length from one form to another
- (c) Significant figures
- (d) Perimeter
- (e) Circumference (include length of arcs).

# 2.2.2 AREA

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) state units of area;
- (b) convert units of area from one form to another;
- (c) calculate the area of a regular plane figure including circles;
- (d) estimate the area of irregular plane figures by counting squares;
- (e) calculate the surface area of cubes, cuboids and cylinders.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Units of area  $(cm^2, m^2, km^2, Ares, ha)$
- (b) Conversion of units of area
- (c) Area of regular plane figures
- (d) Area of irregular plane shapes
- (e) Surface area of cubes, cuboids and cylinders.

# **2.2.3 PYTHAGORAS THEOREM**

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) derive Pythagoras Theorem;
- (b) solve problems using Pythagoras Theorem;
- (c) apply Pythagoras Theorem to real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Pythagoras Theorem
- (b) Solution of problems using Pythagoras Theorem
- (c) Application to real life situations.

# 2.2.4 VOLUME AND CAPACITY

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) state units of volume;
- (b) convert units of volume from one form to another;
- (c) calculate volume of cubes, cuboids and cylinders;
- (d) state units of capacity;
- (e) convert units of capacity from one form to another;
- (f) relate volume to capacity;

(g) solve problems involving volume and capacity.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Units of volume
- (b) Conversion of units of volume
- (c) Volume of cubes, cuboids and cylinders
- (d) Units of capacity
- (e) Conversion of units of capacity
- (f) Relationship between volume and capacity
- (g) Solving problems involving volume and capacity.

### 2.2.5 MASS, DENSITY AND WEIGHT

### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) define mass;
- (b) state units of mass;
- (c) convert units of mass from one form to another;
- (d) define weight;
- (e) state units of weight;
- (f) distinguish mass and weight;
- (g) relate volume, mass and density.

### (ii) Content

- (a) Mass and units of mass
- (b) Weight and units of weight
- (c) Density
- (d) Problem solving involving real life experiences on mass, volume, density and weight.

# 2.2.6 TIME

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) convert units of time from one form to another;
- (b) relate the 12 hour and 24 hour clock systems;
- (c) read and interpret travel time-tables;
- (d) solve problems involving travel time tables.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Units of time
- (b) 12 hour and 24 hour clock systems
- (c) travel time-tables
- (d) problems involving travel time tables.

# 2.3.0 MEASUREMENT (2)

2.3.1 AREA OF A TRIANGLE (i) Specific Objectives The learner should be able to:

- (a) Derive the formula; Area =  $\frac{1}{2}$  ab sin C;
- (b) Solve problems involving area of triangles using the formula Area =  $\frac{1}{2}$  ab sin C;
- (c) Solve problems on area of a triangle using the formula area =  $\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ ;

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Area of triangle  $A = \frac{1}{2}$  ab sin C
- (b) Area of a triangle A =  $\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$
- (c) Application of the above formulae in solving problems involving real life situations.

#### 2.3.2 AREA OF QUADRILATERALS AND OTHER POLYGONS (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) find the area of a quadrilateral;
- (b) find the area of other polygons (regular and irregular).

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Area of quadrilaterals
- (b) Area of other polygons (regular and irregular).

# 2.3.3 AREA OF PART OF A CIRCLE

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) find the area of a sector;
- (b) find the area of a segment;
- (c) find the area of a common region between two circles.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Area of a sector
- (b) Area of a segment
- (c) Area of common regions between circles.

#### 2.3.4 SURFACE AREA OF SOLIDS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) find the surface area of a prism;
- (b) find the surface area of a pyramid;
- (c) find the surface area of a cone;
- (d) find the surface area of a frustum;
- (e) find the surface area of a sphere and a hemisphere.

#### (ii) Content

Surface area of prisms, pyramids, cones, frustums and spheres.

#### 2.3.5 VOLUME OF SOLIDS

## (i)Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) find the volume of a prism;
- (b) find the volume of a pyramid;
- (c) find the volume of a cone;
- (d) find the volume of a frustum;
- (e) find the volume of a sphere and a hemisphere.

#### (ii) Content

Volumes of prisms, pyramids, cones, frustums and spheres.

### 2.4. 0 ALGEBRA

### 2.4.1 ALGEBRAIC EXPRESSIONS

### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) use letters to represent numbers;
- (b) write statements in algebraic form;
- (c) simplify algebraic expressions;
- (d) factorise an algebraic expressions by grouping;
- (e) remove brackets from algebraic expressions;
- (f) evaluate algebraic expressions by substituting numerical values;
- (g) apply algebra in real life situations.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Letters for numbers
- (b) Algebraic fractions
- (c) Simplification of algebraic expressions
- (d) Factorisation by grouping
- (e) Removal of brackets
- (f) Substitution and evaluation
- (g) Problem solving in real life situations.

# 2.4.2 EQUATION OF STRAIGHT LINES

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) define gradient of a straight line;
- (b) determine the gradient of a straight line through known points;
- (c) determine the equation of a straight line using gradient and one known point;
- (d) express a straight line equation in the form y = mx + c;
- (e) interpret the equation y = mx + c;
- (f) find the x- and y- intercepts from an equation of a line;
- (g) draw the graph of a straight line using gradient and x- and y- intercepts;
- (h) state the relationship of gradients of perpendicular lines;
- (i) state the relationship of gradients of parallel lines;

(j) apply the relationship of gradients of perpendicular and parallel lines to get equations of straight lines.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Gradient of a straight line
- (b) Equation of a straight line
- (c) The equation of a straight line of the form y = mx + c
- (d) The x and y intercepts of a line
- (e) The graph of a straight line
- (f) Perpendicular lines and their gradients
- (g) Parallel lines and their gradients
- (h) Equations of parallel and perpendicular lines.

# 2.4.3 LINEAR EQUATIONS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) solve linear equations in one unknown;
- (b) solve simultaneous linear equations by substitution and elimination;
- (c) Linear equations in one and two unknown.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Linear equations in one unknown
- (b) Simultaneous linear equations
- (c) Linear equations in one and two unknowns from given real life situations.

# 2.4.4 QUADRATIC EXPRESSIONS AND EQUATIONS (1)

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) expand algebraic expressions that form quadratic equations;
- (b) derive the three quadratic identities;
- (c) identify and use the three quadratic identities;
- (d) factorise quadratic expressions including the identities;
- (e) solve quadratic equations by factorization;
- (f) form and solve quadratic equations.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Expansion of algebraic expressions to form quadratic expressions of the form  $aX^2+bX+c$ , where a, b and c are constants
- (b) The three quadratic identities:

 $(a+b)^2 = a^2 + 2ab+b^2$  $(a-b)^2 = a^2 - 2ab+b^2$  $(a-b) (a+b) = a^2-b^2$ 

- (c) Using the three quadratic identities
- (d) Factorisation of quadratic expressions

- (e) Solve quadratic equations by factorization
- (f) Form and solve quadratic equations.

#### 2.4.5 QUADRATIC EXPRESSIONS AND EQUATIONS (2)

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) factorise quadratic expressions;
- (b) identify perfect squares;
- (c) complete the square;
- (d) solving quadratic equations by completing the square;
- (e) derive the quadratic formula;
- (f) solve quadratic equations using the formula;
- (g) form and solve quadratic equations from roots and given situations;
- (h) make tables of values from a quadratic relation;
- (i) draw the graph of a quadratic relation;
- (j) solve quadratic equations using graphs;
- (k) solve simultaneous equations (one linear and one quadratic) analytically and graphically;
- (1) apply the knowledge of quadratic equations to real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Factorisation of quadratic expressions
- (b) Perfect squares
- (c) Completion of the squares
- (d) Solution of quadratic equations by completing the square
- (e) Quadratic formula  $x = -b \pm \sqrt{(b-4ac)}$

- (f) Solution of quadratic equations using the formula.
- (g) Formation of quadratic equations and solving them
- (h) Tables of values for a given quadratic relation
- (i) Graphs of quadratic equations
- (j) Simultaneous equation one linear and one quadratic
- (k) Application of quadratic equation to real life situation.

#### 2.4.6 LINEAR INEQUALITIES (1)

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) identify and use inequality symbols;
- (b) illustrate inequalities on the number line;
- (c) solve linear inequalities in one unknown;
- (d) represent the linear inequalities graphically;
- (e) solve the linear inequalities in two unknowns graphically;
- (f) form simple linear inequalities from inequality graphs.

#### (ii) Content

(a) Inequalities on a number line

(b) Simple and compound inequality statements

e.g.  $\chi > a$  and  $\chi \angle b \Longrightarrow a \angle \chi \angle b$ 

- (c) Linear inequality in one unknown
- (d) Graphical representation of linear inequalities
- (e) Graphical solutions of simultaneous linear inequalities
- (f) Simple linear inequalities from inequality graphs.

#### 2.5.0 LINEAR PROGRAMMING

#### 2.5.1 LINEAR INEQUALITIES (2)

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) form linear inequalities based on real life situations;
- (b) represent the linear inequalities on a graph;
- (c) solve and interpret the optimum solution of the linear inequalities;
- (d) apply linear programming to real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Formation of linear inequalities
- (b) Analytical solutions of linear inequalities
- (c) Solutions of linear inequalities by graphs
- (d) Optimisation (include objective function)
- (e) Application of quadratic equations to real life situations.

#### 2.6.0 SURDS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define rational and irrational numbers;
- (b) simplify expressions with surds;
- (c) rationalise denominators with surds.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Rational and irrational numbers
- (b) Simplification of surds
- (c) Rationalisation of denominators.

#### 2.7.0 SEQUENCES AND SERIES

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) identify simple number patterns;
- (b) define a sequence;
- (c) identify the pattern for a given set of numbers and deduce the general rule;
- (d) determine a term in a sequence;
- (e) recognise arithmetic and geometric sequences;

- (f) define a series;
- (g) recognise arithmetic and geometric series (Progression);
- (h) derive the formula for partial sum of an arithmetic and geometric series (Progression);
- (i) apply A.P and G.P to solve problems in real life situations.

- (a) Simple number patterns
- (b) Sequences
- (c) Arithmetic sequence
- (d) Geometric sequence
- (e) Determining a term in a sequence
- (f) Arithmetic progression (A.P)
- (g) Geometric progression (G.P)
- (h) Sum of an A.P
- (i) Sum of a G.P (exclude sum to infinity)
- (j) Application of A.P and G.P to real life situations.

### 2.8.0 BINOMIAL EXPANSIONS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) expand binomial expressions up to the power of four by multiplication;
- (b) building up Pascal's Triangle up to the eleventh row;
- (c) use Pascal's triangle to determine the coefficient of terms in a binomial expansions up to the power of 10;
- (d) apply binomial expansion in numerical cases.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Binomial expansion up to power four
- (b) Pascal's triangle
- (c) Coefficient of terms in binomial expansion
- (d) Computation using binomial expansion
- (e) Evaluation of numerical cases using binomial expansion.

#### 2.9.0 FORMULAE AND VARIATIONS

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) rewrite a given formula by changing the subject;
- (b) define direct, inverse, partial and joint variations;
- (c) determine constants of proportionality;
- (d) form and solve equations involving variations;
- (e) draw graphs to illustrate direct and inverse proportions;
- (f) use variations to solve everyday life problems.

- (a) Change of the subject
- (b) Direct, inverse, partial and joint variations

- (c) Constant of proportionality
- (d) Graphs of direct and inverse proportion
- (e) Equations on variation from real life situations.

# 2.10.0 GEOMETRY

#### 2.10.1 ANGLES AND PLANE FIGURES

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) name and identify types of angles;
- (b) solve problems involving angles on a straight line;
- (c) solve problems involving angles at a point;
- (d) solve problems involving angles on a transversal cutting parallel lines;
- (e) state angle properties of polygons;
- (f) solve problems involving angle properties of polygons;
- (g) apply the knowledge of angle properties to real life situations.

### (ii) Content

- (a) types of angles
- (b) angles on a straight line
- (c) angles at a point
- (d) angles on a transversal (corresponding, alternate and allied angles)
- (e) angle properties of polygons
- (f) application to real life situations.

# 2.10.2 GEOMETRICAL CONSTRUCTIONS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) use a ruler and compasses only to:
  - i) construct a perpendicular bisector of a line;
  - ii) construct an angle bisector;
  - iii) construct a perpendicular to a line from a given point;
  - iv) construct a perpendicular to a line through a given point on the line;
  - v) construct angles whose values are multiples of  $7\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ ;
  - vi) construct parallel lines;
  - vii) divide a line proportionally;
- (b) use a ruler and a set square to construct parallel lines, divide a line proportionally, and to construct perpendicular lines;
- (c) construct a regular polygon using ruler and compasses only, and ruler, compasses and protractor;
- (d) construct irregular polygons using a ruler, compasses and protractor.

# (ii) Content

(a) Construction of lines and angles using a ruler and compasses only

- (b) Construction of perpendicular and parallel lines using a ruler and a set square only
- (c) Proportional division of a line
- (d) Construction of regular polygons (upto a hexagon)
- (e) Construction of irregular polygons (upto a hexagon).

# 2.10.3 LOCI

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) define Locus;
- (b) describe common types of Loci;
- (c) construct;
- i) loci involving inequalities;
- ii) loci involving chords;
- iii) loci involving points under given conditions;
- iv) intersecting loci.

# (ii) Content

- (a) common types of Loci
- (b) perpendicular bisector loci
- (c) locus of a point at a given distance from a fixed point
- (d) angle bisector loci
- (e) other loci under given condition including intersecting loci
- (f) loci involving inequalities
- (g) loci involving chords (constant angle loci).

# 2.10.4 SCALE DRAWING

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) interpret a given scale;
- (b) choose and use an appropriate scale;
- (c) draw suitable sketches from given information;
- (d) state the bearing of one point from another;
- (e) locate a point using bearing and distance;
- (f) determine angles of elevation and depression;
- (g) solve problems involving bearings elevations and scale drawing;
- (h) apply scale drawing in simple surveying.

- (a) Types of scales
- (b) Choice of scales
- (c) Sketching from given information and scale drawing
- (d) Bearings
- (e) Bearings, distance and locating points
- (f) Angles of elevation and depression
- (g) Problems involving bearings, scale drawing, angles of elevation and depression
- (h) Simple surveying techniques.

# 2.10. 5 COMMON SOLIDS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) identify and sketch common solids;
- (b) sketch and accurately draw nets of solids;
- (c) make models of solids from nets;
- (d) calculate surface area of solids from nets;
- (e) find distances between two points on a solid.

### (ii) Content

- (a) Common solids, eg cubes, cuboids, pyramids, prisms, cones, spheres, cylinders etc.
- (b) Sketches of solids
- (c) Nets of solids
- (d) Models of solids from nets
- (e) Surface area of solids
- (f) Distance between two points on the surface of solid.

### 2.10.6 THREE DIMENSIONAL GEOMETRY

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) state the geometric properties of common solids;
- (b) identify projection of a line onto a plane;
- (c) identify skew lines;
- (d) calculate the length between two points in three dimensional geometry;
- (e) identify and calculate the angle between
  - (i) two lines;
  - (ii) a line and a plane;
  - (ii) two planes.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Geometrical properties of common solids
- (b) Skew lines and projection of a line onto a plane
- (c) Length of a line in 3-dimensional geometry
- (d) The angle between
  - i) a line and a line
  - ii) a line a plane
  - iii) a plane and a plane
  - iv) angles between skewlines.

# 2.10.7 ANGLE PROPERTIES OF A CIRCLE

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) identify an arc, chord and segment;
- (b) relate and compute angle subtended by an arc at the circumference;
- (c) relate and compute angle subtended by an arc at the centre and at the circumference;

- (d) state the angle in the semi-circle;
- (e) state the angle properties of a cyclic quadrilateral;
- (f) find and compute angles of a cyclic quadrilateral.

- (a) Arc, chord and segment
- (b) Angle subtended by the same arc at the circumference
- (c) Relationship between angle subtended at the centre and angle subtended on the circumference by the same arc
- (d) Angle in a semi-circle
- (e) Angle properties of a cyclic quadrilateral
- (f) Finding angles of a cyclic quadrilateral.

#### 2.10.8 CIRCLES: CHORDS AND TANGENTS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) calculate length of an arc and a chord;
- (b) calculate lengths of tangents and intersecting chords;
- (c) state and use properties of chords and tangents;
- (d) construct tangent to a circle;
- (e) construct direct and transverse common tangents to two circles;
- (f) relate angles in alternate segment;
- (g) construct circumscribed, inscribed and escribed circles;
- (h) locate centroid and orthocentre of a triangle;
- (i) apply knowledge of circles, tangents and chords to real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Arcs, chords and tangents
- (b) Lengths of tangents and intersecting chords
- (c) Properties of chords and tangents
- (d) Construction of tangents to a circle
- (e) Direct and transverse common tangents to two circles
- (f) Angles in alternate segment
- (g) Circumscribed, inscribed and escribed circles
- (h) Centroid and orthocentre
- (i) Application of knowledge of tangents and chords to real life situations.

### 2.11.0 GRAPHS

#### 2.11.1 CO-ORDINATES AND GRAPHS

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) draw and label the complete cartesian plane;
- (b) locate and plot points on the cartesian plane;
- (c) choose and use appropriate scale for a given data;
- (d) make a table of values for a given linear relation;
- (e) use values to draw a linear graph;

- (f) solve simultaneous linear equations graphically;
- (g) draw, read and interprete graphs.

- (a) Cartesian plane
- (b) Cartesian co-ordinate
- (c) Points on the cartesian plane
- (d) Choice of appropriate scale
- (e) Table of values for a given linear relation
- (f) Linear graphs
- (g) Graphical solutions of simultaneous linear equations
- (h) Interpretation of graphs.

### 2.11.2 GRAPHICAL METHODS

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) makes a table of values from given relations;
- (b) use the table of values to draw the graphs of the relations;
- (c) determine and interpret instantaneous rates of change from a graph;
- (d) interpret information from graphs;
- (e) draw and interpret graphs from empirical data;
- (f) solve cubic equations graphically;
- (g) draw the line of best fit;
- (h) identify the equation of a circle;
- (i) find the equation of a circle given the centre and the radius;
- (j) determine the centre and radius of a circle and draw the circle on a cartesian plane.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Tables and graphs of given relations
- (b) Graphs of cubic equations
- (c) Graphical solutions of cubic equations
- (d) Average rate of change
- (e) Instantaneous rate of change
- (f) \empirical data and their graphs
- (g) the line of best fit
- (h) equation of a circle
- (i) finding of the equation of a circle
- (j) determining of the centre and radius of a circle.

#### 2.12.0 TRIGONOMETRY

#### 2.12.1 TRIGONOMETRY (1)

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) define tangent, sine and cosine ratios from a right angled triangle;
- (b) read and use tables of trigonometric ratios;

- (c) use sine, cosine and tangent in calculating lengths and angles;
- (d) establish and use the relationship of sine and cosine of complimentary angles;
- (e) relate the three trigonometric ratios;
- (f) determine the trigonometric ratios of special angles 30°, 45°, 60° and 90° without using tables;
- (g) read and use tables of logarithms of sine, cosine and tangent;
- (h) apply the knowledge of trigonometry to real life situations.

- (a) Tangent, sine and cosine of angles
- (b) Trigonometric tables
- (c) Angles and sides of a right angled triangle
- (d) Sine and cosine of complimentary angles
- (e) Relationship between tangent, sine and cosine
- (f) Trigonometric ratios of special angles  $30^{\circ}$ ,  $45^{\circ}$ ,  $60^{\circ}$  and  $90^{\circ}$
- (g) Logarithms of sines, cosines and tangents
- (h) Application of trigonometry to real life situations.

# 2.12.2 TRIGONOMETRY (2)

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) define and draw the unit circle;
- (b) use the unit circle to find trigonometric ratios in terms of co-ordinates of points for  $0 \le \theta \le 360^\circ$ ;
- (c) find trigonometric ratios of negative angles;
- (d) find trigonometric ratios of angles greater thesing the unit circle;
- (e) use mathematical tables and **katkeus** to find trigonometric ratios of angles in the range  $0 \le \theta \le 360$
- (f) define radian measure;
- (g) draw graphs of trigonometric functions;  $y = \sin x$ ,  $y = \cos x$  and  $y = \tan x$  using degrees and radians;
- (h) derive the sine rule;
- (i) derive the cosine rule;
- (j) apply the sine and cosine rule to solve triangles (sides, angles and area);
- (k) apply the knowledge of sine and cosine rules in real life situations.

- (a) The unit circles
- (b) Trigonometric rations from the unit circle
- (c) Trigonometric ratios of angles greater than 360° and negative angles
- (d) Use of trigonometric tables and calculations
- (e) Radian measure
- (f) Simple trigonometric graphs
- (g) Derivation of sine and cosine rule
- (h) Solution of triangles
- (i) Application of sine and cosine rule to real situation.

# 2.12.3 TRIGONOMETRY (3)

### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) recall and define trigonometric ratios;
- (b) derive trigonometric identity  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$ ;
- (c) draw graphs of trigonometric functions;
- (d) solve simple trigonometric equations analytically and graphically;
- (e) deduce from the graph amplitude, period, wavelength and phase angles.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) Trigonometric ratios
- (b) Deriving the relation  $\sin^2 x + \cos^2 x = 1$
- (c) Graphs of trigonometric functions of the form

 $y = \sin x \qquad y = \cos x, \qquad y = \tan x$   $y = a \sin x, \qquad y = a \cos x,$   $y = a \tan x \qquad y = a \sin bx,$   $y = a \cos bx \qquad y = a \sin bx,$   $y = a \sin(bx \pm \theta)$   $y = a \cos(bx \pm \theta)$  $y = a \tan(bx \pm \theta)$ 

(d) simple trigonometric equation

(e) amplitude, period, wavelength and phase angle of trigonometric functions.

# 2.13.0 COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC

# 2.13.1 COMMERCIAL ARITHMETRIC (1)

#### (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) state the currencies of different countries;
- (b) convert currency from one form into another given the exchange rates;
- (c) calculate profit and loss;
- (d) express profit and loss as percentages;
- (e) calculate discount and commission;
- (f) express discount and commission as percentage.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Currency
- (b) Current currency exchange rates
- (c) Currency conversion
- (d) Profit and loss
- (e) Percentage profit and loss
- (f) Discounts and commissions
- (g) Percentage discounts and commissions.

# 2.13.2 COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC (2)

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) define principal, rate and time in relation to interest;
- (b) calculate simple interest using simple interest formula;
- (c) calculate compound interest using step by step method;
- (d) derive the compound interest formula;
- (e) apply the compound interest formula for calculating interest;
- (f) define appreciation and depreciation;
- (g) use compound interest formula to calculate appreciation and depreciation;
- (h) calculate hire purchase;
- (i) calculate income tax given the income tax bands.

- (a) Principal rate and time
- (b) Simple interest
- (c) Compound interest using step by step method
- (d) Derivation of compound interest formula
- (e) Calculations using the compound interest formula
- (f) Appreciation and depreciation
- (g) Calculation of appreciation and depreciation using the compound interest formula
- (h) Hire purchase
- (i) Income tax.

# 2.14.0 STATISTICS AND PROBABILITY

#### **2.14.1 STATISTICS (1)**

#### (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) define statistics;
- (b) collect and organise data;
- (c) draw a frequency distribution table;
- (d) group data into reasonable classes;
- (e) calculate measures of central tendency;
- (f) represent data in form of linegraphs, bargraphs, pie-charts, pictogram, histogram and frequency polygons;
- (g) interpret data from real life situations.

- (a) Definition of statistics
- (b) Collection and organization of data
- (c) Frequency distribution tables (for grouped and ungrouped data)
- (d) Grouping data
- (e) Mean, mode and median for ungrouped and grouped data
- (f) Representation of data: Line graph, , Bar graph, Pie chart, Pictogram, Histogram, Frequency polygon, Interpretation of data..

# **2.14.2 STATISTICS (2)**

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) state the measures of central tendency;
- (b) calculate the mean using the assumed mean method;
- (c) make cumulative frequency table;
- (d) estimate the median and the quartiles by
  - (i) calculation and
  - (ii) using ogive;
- (e) define and calculate the measures of dispersion: range, quartiles, interquartile range, quartile deviation, variance and standard deviation
- (f) interpret measures of dispersion.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Mean from assumed mean;
- (b) Cumulative frequency table
- (c) Ogive
- (d) Meadian
- (e) Quartiles
- (f) Range
- (g) Interquartile range
- (h) Quartile deviation
- (i) Variance
- (j) Standard deviation

# 2.14.3 PROBABILITY

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define probability;
- (b) determine probability from experiments and real life situations;
- (c) construct a probability space;
- (d) determine theoretical probability;
- (e) differentiate between discrete and continuous probability;
- (f) differentiate mutually exclusive and independent events;
- (g) state and apply laws of probability;
- (h) use a tree diagram to determine probabilities.

- (a) Probability
- (b) Experimental probability
- (c) Range of probability measure  $0 \le P(x) \le 1$
- (d) Probability space
- (e) Theoretical probability
- (f) Discrete and continuous probability (simple cases only)
- (g) Combined events (mutually exclusive and independent events)
- (h) Laws of probability

(i) The tree diagrams.

# **2.15.0 VECTORS**

# 2.15.1 VECTORS (1)

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define vector and scalar;
- (b) use vector notation;
- (c) represent vectors both single and combined geometrically;
- (d) identify equivalent vectors;
- (e) add vectors;
- (f) multiply vectors by scalars;
- (g) define position vector and column vector;
- (h) find magnitude of a vector;
- (i) find mid-point of a vector;
- (j) define translation as a transformation.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Vector and scalar quantities
- (b) Vector notation
- (c) Representation of vectors
- (d) Equivalent vectors
- (e) Addition of vectors
- (f) Multiplication of a vector by a scalar
- (g) Column vectors
- (h) Position vectors
- (i) Magnitude of a vector
- (j) Midpoint of a vector
- (k) Translation vector.

# 2.5.2 VECTORS (2)

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) locate a point in two and three dimension co-ordinate systems;
- (b) represent vectors as column and position vectors in three dimensions;
- (c) distinguish between column and position vectors;
- (d) represent vectors in terms of i, j, and k;
- (e) calculate the magnitude of a vector in three dimensions;
- (f) use the vector method in dividing a line proportionately;
- (g) use vector method to show parallelism;
- (h) use vector method to show collinearity;
- (i) state and use the ratio theorem;
- (j) apply vector methods in geometry.

# (ii) Content

(a) Coordinates in two and three dimensions

- (b) Column and position vectors in three dimensions
- (c) Column vectors in terms of unit vectors i, j, and k
- (d) Magnitude of a vector
- (e) Parallel vectors
- (f) Collinearity
- (g) Proportional division of a line
- (h) Ratio theorem
- (i) Vector methods in geometry.

### 2.16.0 TRANSFORMATION

### 2.16.1 REFLECTION AND CONGRUENCE

## (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) state the properties of reflection as a transformation
- (b) use the properties of reflection in construction and identification of images and objects
- (c) make geometrical deductions using reflection
- (d) apply reflection in the cartesian plane
- (e) distinguish between direct and opposite congruence
- (f) identify congruent triangles.

### (ii) Content

- (a) lines and planes of symmetry
- (b) mirror lines and construction of objects and images
- (c) reflection as a transformation
- (d) reflection in the cartesian plane
- (e) direct and opposite congruency
- (f) congruency tests (SSS, SAS, AAS, ASA and RHS).

# **2.16.2 ROTATION**

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) state properties of rotation as a transformation;
- (b) determine centre and angle of rotation;
- (c) apply properties of rotation in the cartesian plane;
- (d) identify point of rotational symmetry;
- (e) state order of rotational symmetry of plane figure;
- (f) identify axis of rotational symmetry of solids;
- (g) state order of rotational symmetry of solids;
- (h) deduce congruence from rotation.

- (a) Properties of rotation
- (b) Centre and angle of rotation
- (c) Rotation in the cartesian plane

- (d) Rotational symmetry of plane figures and solids (point axis and order)
- (e) Congruence and rotation.

# 2.16.3 SIMILARITY AND ENLARGEMENT

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) identify similar figures;
- (b) construct similar figures;
- (c) state properties of enlargement as a transformation;
- (d) apply the properties of enlargement to construct objects and images;
- (e) apply enlargement in cartesian planes;
- (f) state the relationship between linear, area and volume scale factor;
- (g) apply the scale factors to real life situations.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Similar figures and their properties
- (b) Construction of similar figures
- (c) Properties of enlargement
- (d) Construction of objects and images under enlargement
- (e) Enlargement in the Cartesian plane
- (f) Linear, area and volume scale factors
- (g) Real life situations.

# **2.17.0 MATRICES**

# 2.17.1 MATRICES

# (i) Specific Objectives

- The learner should be able to:
- (a) define a matrix;
- (b) state the order of a matrix;
- (c) define a square matrix;
- (d) determine compatibility in addition and multiplication of matrices;
- (e) add matrices;
- (f) multiply matrices;
- (g) identify matrices;
- (h) find determinant of a 2 x 2 matrix;
- (i) find the inverse of a 2 x 2 matrix;
- (j) use matrices to solve simultaneous equations.

- (a) Matrix
- (b) Order of a matrix
- (c) Square matrix
- (d) Compatibility in addition and multiplication of matrices
- (e) Multiplication of a matrix by a scalar
- (f) Matrix multiplication
- (g) Identify matrix

- (h) Determinant of a 2 x 2 matrix
- (i) Inverse of a 2 x 2 matrix
- (j) Singular matrix
- (k) Solutions of simultaneous equations in two unknowns.

#### **2.17.2 MATRICES AND TRANSFORMATIONS**

## (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) relate image and object under a given transformation on the cartesian plane;
- (b) determine the matrix of a transformation;
- (c) perform successive transformations;
- (d) determine and identify a single matrix for successive transformation;
- (e) relate identity matrix and transformation;
- (f) determine the inverse of a transformation;
- (g) establish and use the relationship between area scale factor and determinant of a matrix;
- (h) determine shear and stretch transformations;
- (i) define and distinguish isometric and non-isometric transformation;
- (j) apply transformation to real life situations.

#### (ii) Content

- (a) transformation on the Cartesian plane
- (b) identification of transformation matrix
- (c) successive transformations
- (d) single matrix of transformation for successive transformations
- (e) identity matrix and transformation
- (f) inverse of a transformations
- (g) area scale factor and determinant of a matrix
- (h) shear and stretch (include their matrices)
- (i) isometric and non-isometric transformations
- (j) application of transformation to real life situations.

#### 2.18.0 NAVIGATION

# 2.18.1 LONGITUDE AND LATITUDES

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) define the great and small circles in relation to a sphere (including the earth);
- (b) establish the relationship between the radii of small and great circles;
- (c) locate a place on the earth's surface in terms of latitude and longitude;
- (d) calculate the distance between two points along the great circles and small circles (longitude and latitude) in nautical miles (nm) an kilometers (km);
- (e) calculate time in relation to longitudes;
- (f) calculate speed in knots and kilometres per hour.

- (a) Latitude and longitude (great and small circles)
- (b) The Equator and Greenwich Meridian
- (c) Radii of small and great circles
- (d) Position of a place on the surface of the earth
- (e) Distance between two points along the small and great circles in nautical miles and kilometres
- (f) Distance in nautical miles and kilometres along a circle of latitude
- (g) Time and longitude
- (h) Speed in knots and Kilometres per hour.

# 2.19.0 AREA APPROXIMATION

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) approximate the area of irregular shapes by counting techniques;
- (b) derive the trapezium rule;
- (c) apply trapezium rule to approximate areas of irregular shapes;
- (d) apply trapezium rule to estimate areas under curves;
- (e) derive the mid-ordinate rule;
- (f) apply mid-ordinate rule to approximate area under curves.

# (ii) Content

- (a) Area by counting techniques
- (b) Trapezium rule
- (c) Area using trapezium rule
- (d) Mid-ordinate
- (e) Area by the mid-ordinate rule.

# 2.20 0 ELEMENTARY CALCULUS

# **2.20.1 DIFFERENTIATION**

# (i) Specific Objectives

- (a) find average rates of change and instantaneous rates of change;
- (b) find the gradient of a curve at a point using tangent;
- (c) relate the delta notation to rates of change;
- (d) find the gradient function of a function of the form  $y = x^n$  (n is a positive integer);
- (e) define derivative of a function, derived function of a polynomial and differentiation;
- (f) determine the derivative of a polynomial;
- (g) find equations of tangents and normals to the curves;
- (h) sketch a curve;
- (i) apply differentiation in calculating distance, velocity and acceleration;
- (j) apply differentiation in finding maxima and minima of a function.

- (a) Average and instantaneous rates of change
- (b) Gradient of a curve at a point
- (c) Gradient of  $y=x^n$  (where n is a positive integer)
- (d) Delta notation ( $\Delta$ ) or  $\delta$
- (e) Derivative of a polynomial
- (f) Equations of tangents and normals to the curve
- (g) Stationery points
- (h) Curve sketching
- (i) Application of differentiation in calculation of distance, velocity and acceleration
- (j) Maxima and minima.

### 2.20.2 INTEGRATION

# (i) Specific Objectives

The learner should be able to:

- (a) carry out the process of differentiation;
- (b) interpret integration as a reverse process of differentiation;
- (c) relate integration notation to sum of areas of trapezia under a curve;
- (d) integrate a polynomial;
- (e) apply integration in finding the area under a curve;
- (f) apply integration in kinematics.

- (a) Differentiation
- (b) Reverse differentiation
- (c) Integration notation and sum of areas of trapezia
- (d) Indefinite and definite integrals
- (e) Area under a curve by integration
- (f) Application in kinematics.