PCHS Curriculum Information 2023-24

Course Title: GCSE Maths | Exam Board: AQA | Specification Code: 8300H

How will students be assessed?

Students will be informally assessed twice per half term, during lessons, with short written assessments, for which they will receive feedback but no grades. Students will be formally assessed termly using written tests based on GCSE questions which incorporate both problem solving and procedural recall. This will help them become GCSE ready and will assess their knowledge and their ability to apply that knowledge to unfamiliar questions. In the summer term of Year 10 students will sit two 60 minute exams, one non calculator and one calculator paper which will assess their Mathematical knowledge to date.

KEY CONTENT

Half Term 1

Unit 19: Calculating with percentages

Unit 20: Compound measures and bounds

Unit 21: Statistical measures

Half Term 2

Unit 22: Index notation

Unit 23: Surds

Unit 24: Bearings and scale drawings

Half Term 3

Unit 25: Construction and loci

Unit 26: Number recap and extension - recurring decimals, quadratic sequences

Unit 27: Congruence and similarity

Half Term 4

Unit 28: Introduction to trigonometry

Unit 29: Simultaneous equations

Unit 30: Calculating and displaying data 2 - histograms and scatter graphs

Half Term 5

Unit 31: More graphs - parallel and perpendicular lines

Unit 32: Volume

Unit 33: Advanced algebra - quadratics

Half Term 6

Unit 34: Inequalities Unit 35: Probability 2