

Term 1: Unit 1 Measurement and Algebra**Year 9 Australian Curriculum Achievement Standard:**

By the end of Year 9, students solve problems involving simple interest. They interpret ratio and scale factors in similar figures. Students explain similarity of triangles. They recognise the connections between similarity and the trigonometric ratios. Students compare techniques for collecting data from primary and secondary sources. They make sense of the position of the mean and median in skewed, symmetric and bi-modal displays to describe and interpret data.

Students apply the index laws to numbers and express numbers in scientific notation. They expand binomial expressions. They find the distance between two points on the Cartesian plane and the gradient and midpoint of a line segment. They sketch linear and non-linear relations. Students calculate areas of shapes and the volume and surface area of right prisms and cylinders. They use Pythagoras' Theorem and trigonometry to find unknown sides of right-angled triangles. Students calculate relative frequencies to estimate probabilities, list outcomes for two-step experiments and assign probabilities for those outcomes. They construct histograms and back-to-back stem-and-leaf plots.

Unit Overview:

Students solve problems involving composite shapes and the volume and surface area of right prisms and cylinders. They expand binomial expressions and begin to factorise more complex expressions.

Assessment Overview:**Task:**

Item 1: Measurement and Algebra Skills

In-class exam (technology-free section included) - Term 1 Week 9

Key Skill/s:

Partitioning composite shapes into simple shapes as a strategy for solving problems involving area. Solving problems involving surface area and volume of cylinders and prisms. Applying index laws to variables as well as numbers. Understanding the relationship between expansion and factorisation and identifying algebraic factors in algebraic expressions.

Conditions:

Length: Up to 60 minutes

Two sections: Technology-active and Technology-free

Exam conditions (following KSHS exam protocol)

Guaranteed Vocabulary:	Design Question Four Strategy	Design Question Five Strategy	21 st Century Skill:
Composite shape Surface area Volume Capacity Index laws Expanding Binomials Factorising Algebraic factor	Element 9: <u>Using Structured Practice Sessions</u> Students will primarily be practising exercises with routinely set homework and feedback structure. Students will practice a variety of questions and contexts Students will be encouraged to write their own questions and these can be swapped with other students to increase engagement and collaboration	Element 12: <u>Engaging students in Cognitively Complex Tasks</u> Students will use the reading as a mathematician strategy to interpret higher level problems and develop strategies to solve them.	Students will: Critical thinking: analytical thinking, problem-solving, decision-making, reasoning, reflecting & evaluating, intellectual flexibility Creative thinking, curiosity & imagination, identifying alternatives, seeing or making new links Communication: effective oral and written communication, using language, symbols and texts Collaboration and teamwork: participating & contributing Personal and social skills: management (self, career, time, planning and organising), character (resilience, mindfulness, open- and fair-mindedness, self-awareness)
Guaranteed Skills/Language Features:	Reading Comprehension Skill and Strategy	Cognitive Verbs	ICT to Enhance Learning:
Calculating the area of composite shapes Develop the formulae for surface area Apply the surface area and volume formulae Convert between volume and capacity Expand binomials Factorise expressions with numerical and algebraic factors	Reading as a Mathematician Students will complete the following steps when starting a problem: 1. Scan the whole problem. 2. Identify the task. 3. Reread the problem. What is important to help you solve the problem? 4. Translate - (create a mathematical model) 5. Solve the problem.	Identify Recall Create Develop Calculate Understand Apply	Scientific Calculators Use of spreadsheets Online apps

Learning Goals:

Strands and Sub-Strands	Australian Curriculum Content Descriptors	Australian Curriculum Elaborations	Kirwan High Learning Goals
<p>Using units of measurement</p>	<p>Calculate areas of composite shapes (ACMMG216)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> understanding that partitioning composite shapes into rectangles and triangles is a strategy for solving problems involving area 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify the common shapes within composite shapes Recall and apply the area formulae for common shapes Calculate the area of composite shapes
	<p>Calculate the surface area and volume of cylinders and solve related problems (ACMMG217)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> analysing nets of cylinders to establish formulas for surface area 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create and analyse the net of a cylinder Develop the formula for the surface area of a cylinder Calculate the volume and capacity of a cylinder and solve problems
	<p>Solve problems involving the surface area and volume of right prisms (ACMMG218)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> solving practical problems involving surface area and volume of right prisms 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create and analyse the net of a prism Develop the formula for the surface area of a prism Calculate the volume of a prism
<p>Patterns and Algebra</p>	<p>Apply the distributive law to the expansion of algebraic expressions, including binomials, and collect like terms where appropriate (ACMNA213)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> understanding that the distributive law can be applied to algebraic expressions as well as numbers understanding the relationship between expansion and factorisation and identifying algebraic factors in algebraic expressions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apply the distributive law to expand algebraic expressions, including binomials, and collect like terms

General Capabilities: This unit provides opportunities for students to engage in following capabilities:

<p>Literacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Comprehending texts through listening, reading and viewing✓ Composing texts through speaking, writing and creating<input type="checkbox"/> Text knowledge<input type="checkbox"/> Grammar knowledge✓ Word knowledge<input type="checkbox"/> Visual knowledge <p>Numeracy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Estimating and calculating with whole numbers✓ Recognising and using patterns and relationships<input type="checkbox"/> Using fractions, decimals, percentages, ratios and rates<input type="checkbox"/> Using spatial reasoning<input type="checkbox"/> Interpreting statistical information✓ Using measurement	<p>ICT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Applying social and ethical protocols and practices when using ICT<input type="checkbox"/> Investigating with ICT<input type="checkbox"/> Creating with ICT<input type="checkbox"/> Communicating with ICT<input type="checkbox"/> Managing and operating ICT <p>Critical and creative thinking</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">✓ Inquiring - identifying, exploring and organising information and ideas✓ Generating ideas, possibilities and actions✓ Reflecting on thinking and processes✓ Analysing, synthesising and evaluating reasoning and procedures	<p>Personal and social capability</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Self-awareness<input type="checkbox"/> Self-management<input type="checkbox"/> Social awareness<input type="checkbox"/> Social management <p>Ethical understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Understanding ethical concepts and issues<input type="checkbox"/> Reasoning in decision making and actions<input type="checkbox"/> Exploring values, rights and responsibilities <p>Intercultural understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><input type="checkbox"/> Recognising culture and developing respect<input type="checkbox"/> Interacting and empathising with others<input type="checkbox"/> Reflecting on intercultural experiences and taking responsibility
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Cross Curriculum Priorities:

<input type="checkbox"/> Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander histories and cultures	<input type="checkbox"/> Asia and Australia's engagement with Asia	<input type="checkbox"/> Sustainability
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Differentiation [for small groups or individuals]:

The learning experiences within this unit can be differentiated by increasing:

- The frequency of exposure for some students
- The intensity of teaching by adjusting the group size
- The duration needed to complete tasks and assessment

Teachers are encouraged to use hands on, visual approaches or real life where necessary. This provides clear links to the outside world and provides concrete examples for students. Increasing the complexity of problems will also allow an opportunity for higher order thinking and for students to solve problems with multiple steps.