

YEAR 9 CURRICULUM

Subject: Mathematics

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Topics of Study:

- > Manipulating algebraic expressions, solving equations and sequences.
- Properties of shapes, area, volume and transformations
- Analysing and representing data.
- > Types of number, arithmetic, estimating and rounding.
- Probability
- Ratio and percentages.

Assessment overview:

- > Assessments take place in accordance with the school assessment calendar.
- Students are given a GCSE paper at each assessment point.

Homework:

Homework is set weekly. It may be a revision of core skills, or based on current class work.

Extra curricular opportunities:

- Top set Year 9 students do "Challenge" lessons where they work on problem solving activities in teams.
- Bedford Borough Maths Challenge
- > Pi day in March

The following websites are recommended to extend learning:

- > Mathswatch
- > MyMaths
- (all students have logins for both of these sites)

