

3 year GCSE Scheme of Work

At the end of Year 8/start of Year 9, you need to decide whether your students will follow the Foundation or Higher route in Years 9, 10 and 11. There are two options: you can use the results of the End of Year test from Year 8 or you can use the pre-GCSE Baseline test (Foundation or Higher).
Tests for the 3 year SoW for GCSE can be found on Pearson's ActiveLearn Digital Service, which combines front-of-class teaching resources with online homework and practice, as well as planning and assessment materials.

FOUNDATION ROUTE

YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5
GCSE (9-1) Foundation	GCSE (9-1) Foundation	GCSE (9-1) Foundation
Unit 1 Number	Unit 9 Graphs	Unit 18 Fractions, indices and standard form
Unit 2 Algebra	Unit 10 Transformations	Unit 19 Congruence, similarity and vectors
Unit 3 Graphs, tables and charts	Unit 11 Ratio and proportion	Unit 20 More algebra
Unit 4 Fractions and percentages	Unit 12 Right-angled triangles	
Unit 5 Equations, inequalities and sequences	Unit 13 Probability	
Unit 6 Angles	Unit 14 Multiplicative reasoning	
Unit 7 Averages and range	Unit 15 Constructions, loci and bearings	
Unit 8 Perimeter, area and volume 1	Unit 16 Quadratic equations and graphs	
	Unit 17 Perimeter, area and volume 2	

HIGHER ROUTE

YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5
GCSE (9-1) Higher	GCSE (9-1) Higher	GCSE (9-1) Higher
Unit 1 Number	Unit 9 Equations and inequalities	Unit 18 Vectors and geometric proof
Unit 2 Algebra	Unit 10 Probability	Unit 19 Proportion and graphs
Unit 3 Interpreting and representing data	Unit 11 Multiplicative reasoning	
Unit 4 Fractions, ratio and proportion	Unit 12 Similarly and congruence	
Unit 5 Angles and trigonometry	Unit 13 More trigonometry	
Unit 6 Graphs	Unit 14 Further statistics	
Unit 7 Area and volume	Unit 15 Equations and graphs	
Unit 8 Transformation and constructions	Unit 16 Circle theorems	
	Unit 17 More algebra	