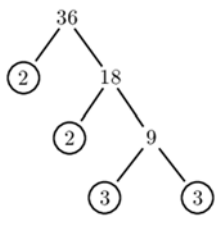


Factors and Multiples		
Factor	A number that divides exactly into another number without a remainder. It is useful to write factors in pairs	The factors of 18 are: 1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 18 The factor pairs of 18 are: 1 & 18, 2 & 9, 3 & 6
Highest Common Factor (HCF)	The biggest number that divides exactly into two or more numbers.	The HCF of 6 and 9 is 3 because it is the biggest number that divides into 6 and 9 exactly.
Multiple	The result of multiplying a number by an integer. The times tables of a number.	The first five multiples of 7 are: 7, 14, 21, 28, 35
Lowest Common Multiple (LCM)	The smallest number that is in the times tables of each of the numbers given.	The LCM of 3, 4 and 5 is 60 because it is the smallest number in the 3, 4 and 5 times tables.

Powers		
Square Number	The number you get when you multiply a number by itself .	1, 4, 9, 16, 25, 36, 49, 64, 81, 100, 121, 144, 169, 196, 225... $9^2 = 9 \times 9 = 81$
Square Root	The number you multiply by itself to get another number. The reverse process of squaring a number.	$\sqrt{36} = 6$ because $6 \times 6 = 36$
Cube Number	The number you get when you multiply a number by itself and itself again .	1, 8, 27, 64, 125... $2^3 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$
Cube Root	The number you multiply by itself and itself again to get another number. The reverse process of cubing a number.	$\sqrt[3]{125} = 5$ because $5 \times 5 \times 5 = 125$
Powers of...	The powers of a number are that number raised to various powers .	The powers of 3 are: $3^1 = 3$ $3^2 = 9$ $3^3 = 27$ $3^4 = 81$ etc.

Primes		
Prime Number	A number with exactly two factors . A number that can only be divided by itself and one. The number 1 is not prime , as it only has one factor, not two.	The first ten prime numbers are: 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29
Prime Factor	A factor which is a prime number.	The prime factors of 18 are: 2, 3
Product of Prime Factors	Finding out which prime numbers multiply together to make the original number. Use a prime factor tree . Also known as ‘prime factorisation’.	 $36 = 2 \times 2 \times 3 \times 3$ or $2^2 \times 3^2$

Standard Form		
Standard Form	$A \times 10^b$ <i>where $1 \leq A < 10$, $b = \text{integer}$</i>	$8400 = 8.4 \times 10^3$ $0.00036 = 3.6 \times 10^{-4}$
Multiplying or Dividing with Standard Form	Multiply: Multiply the numbers and add the powers . Divide: Divide the numbers and subtract the powers .	$(1.2 \times 10^3) \times (4 \times 10^6) = 8.8 \times 10^9$ $(4.5 \times 10^5) \div (3 \times 10^2) = 1.5 \times 10^3$
Adding or Subtracting with Standard Form	Convert in to ordinary numbers, calculate and then convert back in to standard form	$2.7 \times 10^4 + 4.6 \times 10^3 = 27000 + 4600 = 31600 = 3.16 \times 10^4$

Fractions		
Fraction	A mathematical expression representing the division of one integer by another. Fractions are written as two numbers separated by a horizontal line .	$\frac{2}{7}$ is a ‘proper’ fraction. $\frac{9}{4}$ is an ‘improper’ or ‘top-heavy’ fraction.
Numerator	The top number of a fraction.	In the fraction $\frac{3}{5}$, 3 is the numerator.
Denominator	The bottom number of a fraction.	In the fraction $\frac{3}{5}$, 5 is the denominator.
Unit Fraction	A fraction where the numerator is one and the denominator is a positive integer.	$\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{4}$ etc. are examples of unit fractions.
Mixed Number	A number formed of both an integer part and a fraction part .	$3\frac{2}{5}$ is an example of a mixed number.

Simplifying		
x times x	The answer is x^2 not $2x$.	Squaring is multiplying by itself, not by 2.
$p \times p \times p$	The answer is p^3 not $3p$	If $p=2$, then $p^3=2 \times 2 \times 2=8$, not $2 \times 3=6$
$p + p + p$	The answer is $3p$ not p^3	If $p=2$, then $2+2+2=6$, not $2^3 = 8$

Factorising		
Factorise	The reverse of expanding . Factorising is writing an expression as a product of terms by ‘taking out’ a common factor .	$6x - 15 = 3(2x - 5)$, where 3 is the common factor.
Quadratic	A quadratic expression is of the form $ax^2 + bx + c$ where a, b and c are numbers, $a \neq 0$	Examples of quadratic expressions: x^2 $8x^2 - 3x + 7$ Examples of non-quadratic expressions: $2x^3 - 5x^2$ $9x - 1$

Rounding and Estimating		
Rounding	To make a number simpler but keep its value close to what it was. If the digit to the right of the rounding digit is less than 5, round down . If the digit to the right of the rounding digit is 5 or more, round up .	74 rounded to the nearest ten is 70, because 74 is closer to 70 than 80. 152,879 rounded to the nearest thousand is 153,000.
Decimal Place	The position of a digit to the right of a decimal point .	In the number 0.372, the 7 is in the second decimal place. 0.372 rounded to two decimal places is 0.37, because the 2 tells us to round down. Careful with money - don’t write £27.4, instead write £27.40
Significant Figure	The significant figures of a number are the digits which carry meaning (ie. are significant) to the size of the number. The first significant figure of a number cannot be zero . In a number with a decimal, trailing zeros are not significant.	In the number 0.00821, the first significant figure is the 8. In the number 2.740, the 0 is not a significant figure. 0.00821 rounded to 2 significant figures is 0.0082. 19357 rounded to 3 significant figures is 19400. We need to include the two zeros at the end to keep the digits in the same place value columns.
Truncation	A method of approximating a decimal number by dropping all decimal places past a certain point without rounding .	3.14159265... can be truncated to 3.1415 (note that if it had been rounded, it would become 3.1416)

