Year 10

Students in Year 10 take their GCSE Statistics exams in the summer term. These consist of two calculator papers. The exam board is Edexcel.

In Year 10, alongside revision of Year 7-9 topics, we cover the following topics (bold topics are higher tier only):

Half Term 1
Bearings
Direct proportion
Ratio in mixing/concentration problems
Geometrical problems on coordinate axes
Surface area of a cylinder
The Binomial distribution
Cumulative frequency
Median & interquartile range from cumulative frequency graphs
Basic understanding of outliers
Half Term 2
Solutions to linear equations using graphs
Loci
Comparative pie charts
Trends and trend lines
Moving averages
Mean seasonal variation
Percentiles
Interpercentile and interdecile range
Box plots
Half Term 3
Inverse proportion
Reflections
Enlargements
Outliers
Skewness

Venn diagrams and set notation (e.g. union, intersection)

Conditional probability

The general addition law for dependent events

The multiplication law for independent events

Standard deviation

Standardising data

Use appropriate measures of central tendency and spread to compare data sets

Half Term 4

Roots, intercepts and turning points of quadratic equations

Completing the square

The quadratic formula

Approximate solutions to quadratic equations using graphs

Vectors

Congruence proof

Geometric mean

Histograms

Spearman's rank correlation coefficient

Half Term 5

Plot and interpret graphs in context

Graphs of kinematics problems

Interpret the gradient at a point on a curve as the instantaneous rate of change

Calculate/estimate gradients of graphs and interpret in context

Calculate/estimate areas under graphs and interpret in context

Simplifying algebraic fractions

Multiplication & division of algebraic fractions

Consecutive transformations

Changes and invariance following transformations

Surface area of cones, spheres & composite solids

Pearson's product moment correlation coefficient

The Normal distribution

Use action and warning lines in quality assurance sampling applications

Revision for GCSE Statistics exam

Half Term 6

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Arc length