First Practice Test 1
Levels 6-8
Calculator not allowed

First name

Last name

School

Remember

- The test is 1 hour long.
- You must not use a calculator for any question in this test.
- You will need: pen, pencil, rubber, ruler and a pair of compasses.
- Some formulae you might need are on page 2.
- This test starts with easier questions.
- Try to answer all the questions.
- Write all your answers and working on the test paper – do not use any rough paper. Marks may be awarded for working.
- Check your work carefully.
- Ask your teacher if you are not sure what to do.
Instructions

Answers
This means write down your answer or show your working and write down your answer.

Calculators
You must not use a calculator to answer any question in this test.

Formulae
You might need to use these formulae

Trapezium

Area = \( \frac{1}{2} (a + b)h \)

Prism

Volume = area of cross-section \( \times \) length
1. Match each expression on the left with the equivalent expression on the right. The first one is done for you.

- $3d + d$ matches $3$
- $3d - d$ matches $3d$
- $3d \times d$ matches $2d^2$
- $3d \div d$ matches $2d^3$
2.   Look at the two triangular prisms.

They are joined to make the new shape below.
Complete the views of the new shape on the grid.

The first one is done for you.

View from the TOP

View from the FRONT

View from the SIDE

Square grid

3. I am thinking of a number.

My number is a multiple of 6

What three other numbers must my number be a multiple of?

________________, ____________ and ____________
4. There are **25 pupils** in a class.

The table shows information about their test results in maths and English.

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(a) How many pupils had the **same level** in both maths and English?

(b) How many pupils had a **higher** level in **maths** than in **English**?
5. The diagram shows a square with a **perimeter** of **12 cm**.

![Square](image)

Not drawn accurately

Six of these squares fit together to make a rectangle.

![Rectangle](image)

Not drawn accurately

What is the **area** of the **rectangle**?

You **must** give the correct unit with your answer.
6. The table shows whether pupils in a class walk to school.

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(a) What percentage of the boys walk to school?

(b) What percentage of the pupils in this class walk to school?
7. A pupil recorded the times of 23 people running the 100 metres. The stem-and-leaf diagram shows the results.

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(a) Two of the people ran the 100 metres in 14.7 seconds. How many of them ran the 100 metres faster than this?

\[ \underline{\text{people}} \]

1 mark

(b) What was the range of times?

\[ \underline{\text{seconds}} \]

2 marks

(c) What was the median time?

\[ \underline{\text{seconds}} \]

1 mark
8. (a) For each sequence below, tick (✓) the correct box to show if it is increasing, decreasing or neither.

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(a) 2 marks

(b) A different sequence has this expression for the $n$th term:

$$\frac{1}{(n + 1)^2}$$

Work out the first four terms in the sequence.

1 mark
9. Find the value of \( x \)

\[
6 + 2x = x - 6
\]

\[
x = \frac{1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5}{1 \times 2 \times 3} = \frac{(1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5)^2}{(1 \times 2 \times 3)^2} = \frac{(1 \times 2 \times 3 \times 4 \times 5)^2}{(1 \times 2 \times 3)^2}
\]

1 mark

2 marks
11. This map of part of America shows Chicago and New York.

The scale is **1cm to 100 miles**.

Atlanta is further south than both Chicago and New York.

It is **710 miles** from Chicago and **850 miles** from New York.

Use accurate construction to show Atlanta on the map.

You **must** leave in your construction lines.

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2 marks
12. Point A has coordinates (4, 3) and point B has coordinates (10, 3) They lie on a horizontal line.

Another point, P, lies on the same horizontal line. 
P is twice as far from A as it is from B.

What could the coordinates of point P be? 
There are two possible answers. Give them both.

(_____, _____) or (_____, _____)

2 marks
In this question, consider only positive values of $x$.

Look at this function.

$$p = 3x$$

As $x$ increases, $p$ increases.

For each function below, tick (✓) the correct box.

$q = x - 2$
As $x$ increases, $q$ decreases

$r = \frac{1}{2}x$
As $x$ increases, $r$ decreases

$s = 2 - x$
As $x$ increases, $s$ decreases

$t = \frac{1}{x}$
As $x$ increases, $t$ decreases

2 marks
14. In a bag, there are red and blue cubes in the ratio 4 : 7

I add 10 more red cubes to the bag.

Now there are red and blue cubes in the ratio 6 : 7

How many blue cubes are in the bag?
15. (a) A straight line goes through the points (0, 1), (2, 5) and (4, 9)

The equation of the straight line is \( y = 2x + 1 \)

Is the point (7, 12) on this straight line?

[ ] Yes [ ] No

Explain your answer.

(b) A different straight line goes through the points (0, 1), (2, 7) and (4, 13)

Write the equation of this straight line.
16. (a) Explain why $\sqrt{89}$ must be between 9 and 10

(b) $\sqrt{389}$ is also between two consecutive whole numbers.

What are the two numbers?

_____________ and ____________

17. Here are the rules of a game.

Each person chooses heads or tails at random, then a coin is thrown.
People who choose the side shown by the coin are left in the game.
The rest are out of the game.

If a group of 1000 people are going to play this game, how many people might you expect to be left in the game after 5 throws?

_______________ people
18. The diagram shows the net of a cube made of 6 squares.

\[ K(20, 10) \]

What are the coordinates of the points \( L \) and \( M \)?

\[ L \text{ is } (__, ____) \, 1 \text{ mark} \]

\[ M \text{ is } (__, ____) \, 1 \text{ mark} \]
19. (a) Ed writes:
\[
\frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 10^3 = 5^3
\]
Show why Ed is incorrect.

(b) Sasha writes:
\[
\frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 6 \times 10^8 = 3 \times 10^4
\]
Show why Sasha is incorrect.

(c) Work out \( \frac{1}{2} \text{ of } 1.65 \times 10^6 \)
Give your answer in standard form.
20. Jane and Delia work together.

Delia’s pay is exactly **twice** as much as Jane’s.

They are each going to get a pay increase.

(a) If they each get a **pay increase of £2000**, tick (✔) the true statement below.

- [ ] Delia’s pay will be more than twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] Delia’s pay will be exactly twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] Delia’s pay will be less than twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] There is not enough information to tell.

1 mark

(b) If instead they each get a **5% pay increase**, tick (✔) the true statement below.

- [ ] Delia’s pay will be more than twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] Delia’s pay will be exactly twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] Delia’s pay will be less than twice as much as Jane’s.
- [ ] There is not enough information to tell.

1 mark
21. Look at this factorisation.

\[ x^2 + 5x + 6 = (x + 2)(x + 3) \]

Write numbers to make a correct factorisation below.

\[ x^2 + 7x + \underline{_____} = (x + \underline{_____})(x + \underline{_____}) \]

Now write different numbers to make a correct factorisation.

\[ x^2 + 7x + \underline{_____} = (x + \underline{_____})(x + \underline{_____}) \]
22. Dario has five cards showing different shapes.

He is going to mix them up, then take out one card at random. Then he is going to take out a second card without replacing the first card.

(a) What is the probability that he will take out the square first and then the circle?

(b) What is the probability that he will take out the square and the circle, in either order?
23. The graph shows the straight line with equation $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 1$

(a) For each point in the table, tick (✓) the correct box to show if it is **above** the line, **on** the line or **below** the line.

The first one is done for you.

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(b) Write the equation of a different straight line that is always **below** the line with equation $y = \frac{1}{2}x + 1$
24. Each expression below represents either a length, an area or a volume.

\( a, b \) and \( c \) all represent lengths.

For each expression, tick (✓) the correct one.

The first one is done for you.

\[
2a + c
\]

✓ length  ❌ area  ❌ volume

\[
3ab
\]

❌ length  ✓ area  ❌ volume

\[
4a(b + c)
\]

❌ length  ❌ area  ✓ volume

\[
a^2b
\]

❌ length  ❌ area  ✓ volume

2 marks
25. The cumulative frequency diagram shows the speeds of cars on a motorway on a Monday and a Thursday.

(a) The speed limit is **70 mph**.

On **Monday**, about what proportion of these cars were going faster than the speed limit?

(b) On one of the days, it rained all day.

Which day is this more likely to be?

- [ ] Monday
- [ ] Thursday

Explain your answer.
26. Look at this information about a pair of numbers, $k$ and $n$

\[
\begin{align*}
  k &< n \\
  \text{and} & \quad k^2 > n^2
\end{align*}
\]

Give an example of what the numbers could be.

\[
k = \underline{\hspace{2cm}} \quad \quad n = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}
\]

1 mark

27. I think of two numbers, $x$ and $y$

$x - y$ is half of $x + y$

Write $x$ in terms of $y$

\[
x = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}
\]

2 marks
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