GRADE 11 ESSENTIAL – BASIC REFERENCE NOTES

A basic selection of Grade 11 Essential Concepts and Formulae. Of course you are likely to have more and to have examples on your doubled-sided study sheet.

Algebra. If y = ax + b, then $x = \frac{y-b}{a}$

Proportions, solve by cross multiply (lazy algebra): If $\frac{x}{a} \neq \frac{b}{c}$; then $x = \frac{ab}{c}$

Interest and Credit

A = P + I, the Final Amount an investment or loan is worth is the Principal plus the Interest earned or owing.

Simple: $I = P^*r^*t$; where I is the Interest [\$], P is Principal [\$], r is yearly Annual Percentage Rate (APR)[%], and t is time in years. *Hint!!*: 3 months = $3/12^{ths}$ or 0.25 of a year, etc!

Compound: $A = P * \left(1 + \frac{r}{s}\right)^{n*s}$; where P is Principal [\$], **r** is the **yearly** interest rate as a decimal (*eg*: 8.5% = 0.085), **s** is the number of periods per year the interest is compounded, and **n**

is the time in **years**.

Periods: *Monthly*: $\mathbf{s} = 12$. *Quarterly*: $\mathbf{s} = 4$. *Semi-Annual*: $\mathbf{s} = 2$. *Weekly*: $\mathbf{s} = 52$. *Bi-Weekly*: $\mathbf{s} = 26$; etc

Simple and Compound Interest pretty are very close over short period or low interest rate. Much better to pay off a loan monthly rather than at end of loan term!

Monthly Loan tables: *payment amounts in table are for each thousand you borrow* (loan tables will be provided)

Geometry

Formulae .You will have a separate substantial and familiar sheet of Geometry Formulae provided.
Conversions. You have a separate substantial and familiar sheet of unit Conversion Factors provided.
Names of shapes: prisms: rectangular faces joining edges of two congruent base shapes;
pyramids: triangles faces connected to edges of base shape and meeting at a point.

Statistics

Circle Graph (Pie Chart) size of Sector (Slice): n% of a full circle of $360^\circ = \frac{n}{100} * 360^\circ$

Line Graph, Bar Graph, Histograms: Category (independent variable) along bottom axis, Frequency (Count) (dependent variable) along vertical axis. Frequency *must be percent* of total if multiple bar graph! (eg: comparing sample of 25 girls with sample of 50 boys)

Relations and Patterns

slope = $\frac{rise}{run} = \frac{change in y}{change in x} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = 'm'$ equation of a line: y = mx + b; 'b' is where the line intercepts the vertical y-axis

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This is teacher's very basic 'reference notes', hopefully your own are more detailed with examples and explained in your own style. You may want to add some fractions, prior grades, etc also!

TRIGONOMETRY



!! make sure calculator in degree mode !! or use trig tables



Trigonometry Cosine Law:

Cosine Law for *side a* across from angle A: $\mathbf{a}^2 = \mathbf{b}^2 + \mathbf{c}^2 - 2^* \mathbf{b}^* \mathbf{c}^* \mathbf{cos}(\mathbf{A})$ Cosine Law for *angle* **A** given three sides: $\mathbf{cos}(\angle \mathbf{A}) = \frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}$ or $\angle A = \mathbf{cos}^{-1}\left(\frac{b^2 + c^2 - a^2}{2bc}\right)$ Various arrangements of formula: $\mathbf{a}^2 = \mathbf{b}^2 + \mathbf{c}^2 - 2^* \mathbf{b}^* \mathbf{c}^* \mathbf{cos}(\mathbf{A})$ $\mathbf{b}^2 = \mathbf{a}^2 + \mathbf{c}^2 - 2^* \mathbf{a}^* \mathbf{c}^* \mathbf{cos}(\mathbf{B})$; or $\mathbf{c}^2 = \mathbf{a}^2 + \mathbf{b}^2 - 2^* \mathbf{a}^* \mathbf{b}^* \mathbf{cos}(\mathbf{C})$

Trigonometry Sine Law:

 $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C} \qquad \text{or} \qquad \frac{\sin A}{a} = \frac{\sin B}{b} = \frac{\sin C}{c}$



Design

Scale = model size : actual size = $\frac{model \ size}{actual \ size}$

Examples:

1/50,000 scale map of Winnipeg means 1 unit on map = 50,000 units in reality. So 1 cm on map is 50,000 cm actual, so 1 cm on map is 500 m, so one cm is 0.5 km

5:1 scale is a 'blow up' enlargement. 5 units on the picture of the bug is really one unit actual

Useful Conversions

Metric Conversions: 1 km = 1,000 m; 1 m = 100 cm; 1 cm = 10 mmImperial Conversions: 1 ft = 12 in; 1 yd = 3 feet; 1 mile [mi] = 5,280 ftMetric \leftrightarrow Imperial : 3.28 ft = 1 m; 1 in = 2.54 cm; 1 km = 0.62 mi

PROBLEM SOLVE METHODS

Guess and Check; Draw Diagram; **Make List**; Work Backwards (ie: Algebra); **Use Formula**; Use Tables; **Make into Simpler Problem(s)**; Use Logic; **Estimate**; Make sure not **M**issing Information (maybe there is actually a solution, maybe you need more info!!)