 

**Year 8 – Spring Assessment 2**

**Time: 45 minutes Calculator allowed**

 **Name: .................................... Maths Teacher: .........................**

 **Date: ......................... Maths Class: .........................**

Answer all the questions

Read the questions carefully

Show your working

Check your answers

Mark (45)





**Things I need to practise:**

**Things I did well:**

**Q1.**          **Screenwash**

          Screenwash is used to clean car windows.

To use Screenwash you mix it with water.



(a)     In **winter,** how much water should I mix with **150ml of Screenwash**?

  .......................... ml

1 mark

(b)     In **summer,** how much Screenwash should I mix with **450ml of water**?

  .......................... ml

1 mark

(c)     Is this statement correct?

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| **25%** of **winter** mixture is **Screenwash**. |

Tick () Yes or No.

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|  | True |   |   | False |   |

Explain your answer.



1 mark

**Q2.**          **Cutting a cake**

          Ben is **10** years old.

          Cindy is **15** years old.

          Tom is **20** years old.

                                                              

          They are going to cut a cake into 3 slices from the centre.

          The size of the slices will be proportional to their ages.

          What will the **angle** at the centre of **Ben’s** slice be?



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2 marks

**Q3.**   (a)     One morning last summer Ravi carried out a survey of the birds in the school garden.

          He saw 5 pigeons, 20 crows, 25 seagulls and 45 sparrows.

          Complete the line below to show the ratios.

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|   | Pigeons | : | Crows | : | Seagulls | : | Sparrows |
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(b)     What percentage of all the birds Ravi saw were sparrows?



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1 mark

**Q4.**          **Yoghurt**

          A dessert has both fruit and yoghurt inside.

                        

          **Altogether**, the mass of the fruit and yoghurt is **175g**.

          The **ratio** of the mass of **fruit** to the mass of **yoghurt** is **2 : 5**

          What is the mass of the yoghurt?



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2 marks

**Q5.**          **Tennis prizes**

          Each year, there is a tennis competition in Australia and another one in France.

          The table shows how much money was paid to the winner of the men’s
competition in each country in 2002.

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| Country | Money |
| Australia | 1000 000 Australian dollars (£1 = 2.70 Australian dollars) |
| France | 780 000 Euros (£1 = 1.54 Euros) |

          Which country paid **more** money?

          You **must** show your working.



          Tick () the country that paid more.

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|  |   | Australia |   |  France |

2 marks

**Q6.**          **Grey and black designs**

(a)     In this design, the ratio of **grey to black** is **3 : 1**

          What **percentage** of the design is black?



  ............................%

1 mark

(b)     In this design, **60%** is **grey** and the rest is black.

          What is the ratio of **grey to black**?

          Write your ratio in its simplest form.





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2 marks

**Q7.**          Here are some exchange rates.

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| £1 = 2.03 American dollars |
| £1 = 2.15 Canadian dollars |

Use the exchange rates to answer this question.

(a)     How many **more Canadian** dollars than American dollars would you get for £250?



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| dollars |

2 marks

(b)     How many **more pounds (£)** would you get for 250 American dollars than for 250 Canadian dollars?



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| £ |

2 marks

**Q8.**          **Ratio**

(a)     On this necklace the ratio of black beads to white beads is **1 : 3**

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          How many **more** black beads do you need to add to make the
ratio of black to white **3 : 1**?

 ................... black beads

1 mark

(b)     Here is the necklace again.



          How many **more** black beads and white beads do you need to add to make the ratio of black to white **3 : 2**?

 ....................... black beads, ....................... white beads

1 mark

**Q9.**          **Red and blue cubes**

          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?



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2 marks

**Q10.**          **Shadows**

          Tom’s height is 1.8m.

          He stands near a tree.



Not drawn accurately

          At 4pm, the length of Tom’s shadow is 2.7m.

          At 4pm, the length of the tree’s shadow is 6.3m.

          What is the height of the tree?



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2 marks

**Q11.**          **Best buy**

          You can buy jars of the same jam in two sizes.


454g for £1.59                                         340g for £1.25

          Which jar is better value for money?

          You **must** show working to explain your answer.



          Tick () your answer.

               A                  B

2 marks

**Q12.**          **Juice**

          The table shows a recipe for a fruit drink.

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| Type of juice | Amount |
| Orange | litre |
| Cranberry | litre |
| Grape | litre |
|   | Total 1 litre |

          I want to make **1litres** of the same drink.

          Complete the table below to show how much of each type of juice to use.

          Show your working.



|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Type of juice | Amount |
| Orange | litre |
| Cranberry | litre |
| Grape | litre |
|   | Total 1 litres |

2 marks

**Q13.**          **Centenarians**

          People who live to be 100 years old are called centenarians.

          In 1998 there were **135 000** centenarians.

          The **ratio** of **male** to **female** was **1 : 4**

          How many **female** centenarians were there in 1998?

          Show your working.



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2 marks

**Q14.**          **Oranges and lemons**

          Ifill a glass with orange juice and lemonade in the ratio **1** : **4**

          Idrink  of the contents of the glass, then I fill the glass using orange juice.

Now what is the ratio of orange juice to lemonade in the glass?

Show your working, and write the ratio in its simplest form.



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3 marks

**Q15.**          **Star shapes**

          The diagram shows two shapes that are mathematically similar.



(a)     What is the value of *k*?

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1 mark

(b)     I want to draw another shape that is mathematically similar to the ones in the diagram, but of a different size.

          Give the length and width of a shape I could draw.

 length .............................. cm                width .............................. cm

1 mark

**Q16.**          **Coffee**

          A cup of coffee costs £1.75
The diagram shows how much money different people get when you buy a cup of coffee.



 (a)     Complete the table to show what **percentage** of the cost of a cup of coffee goes to retailers, growers and others.

          Show your working.

          

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| Retailers | % |
| Growers | % |
| Others | % |

**2 marks**

(b)     Some people think the growers should get more.
Suppose the percentages change to:

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| Retailers | 23% |
| Growers | 10% |
| Others | 67% |

          Suppose the **retailers** still got **44p** from each cup of coffee sold.
How much would a cup of coffee cost?
Show your working.



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**2 marks**

**Q17.**          **Sale**

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| A shop had a sale. All prices were reduced by 15% |  |

          A pair of shoes cost **£38.25** in the sale.

          What price were the shoes before the sale?

          Show your working.



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| £ |

2 marks

**Q18.**          Here are the dimensions of a solid gold bar.

                                             

Use the information below to calculate how much this gold bar is worth in British pounds (£).

•        The gold bar is a cuboid.

•        The density of gold is 19.3 grams per cm3

•        1 ounce is 28.35 grams.

•        The price of gold is 670 US dollars per ounce.

•        1 US dollar is 0.508 British pounds.



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| £ |

3 marks