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## Curriculum overview

Subject	Mathematics	Year group	12
<p><b>Vision statement:</b></p>	<p>At Landau Forte our curriculum exists to ensure all students regardless of background and ability have the opportunity to unlock their potential. We are committed to students being challenged from their previous key stage learning experiences. Our broad and balanced curriculum is ambitious, coherently planned and sequenced, and will provide the platform for preparing students with the foundations for examination success.</p> <p>Our Curriculum Intent has been informed by a wide variety of researchers and is steeped in evidence based research. Christine Counsell summarises the aspiration of our curriculum to empower all learners creating a pathway to success in university, their career and life:</p> <p><i>'A curriculum exists to change the pupil, to give the pupil new power. One acid test for a curriculum is whether it enables even lower attaining or disadvantaged pupils to clamber into the discourse and practices of educated people, so that they gain powers of the powerful.'</i></p> <p>As well as excellent academic success we aim to ensure our students leave us as polite and well-rounded young adults. Our new core values of Compassion, Courage and Curiosity are currently being embedded throughout our curriculum offer to ensure we continue to meet our social, emotional, spiritual and moral obligations.</p>		
<p><b>Curriculum intent:</b></p>	<p>All students acquire the mathematical life skills necessary for the world of work, no matter what their starting point is, catering for all abilities and backgrounds. We have a strong belief that all students can achieve in Maths.</p> <p>Students will be taught to have a firm understanding of number bonds and be confident in using non-calculator strategies for solving problems.</p> <p>Students will be stretched and challenged through problem solving tasks to develop resilience.</p> <p>Students are encouraged to show <b>courage</b> through attempting questions in environment where other students show <b>compassion</b> through a culture of being non-judgmental when questions are answered incorrectly. Students are also encouraged to show <b>curiosity</b> through asking questions and taking a genuine interest in the real life applications of the Maths that they are learning.</p> <p>This will be achieved by staff working together in planning lessons that allow ALL students to achieve/ exceed their potential through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Common lesson planning formats; Expert knowledge of the subject; Differentiated material;</li> <li>Regular use of AfL to assess progress in a lesson; Regular use of formal marking and feedback;</li> <li>Regular summative assessments to ensure appropriate progress and intervention.</li> </ul>		
<p><b>Threshold Concepts (TCs):</b></p>	<p>TC1 Algebraic manipulation - This concept involves recognising mathematical properties and relationships using symbolic representation</p> <p>TC2 Number sense - This concept involves understanding the number system and how they are used in a wide variety of mathematical ways</p> <p>TC3 Shape facts - This concept involves recognising the names and properties of geometry shapes and angles.</p> <p>TC4 Multiplicative reasoning - This concept involves using ratio and proportion and understanding of reciprocals in real world applications</p> <p>TC5 Representing and interpreting data - This concept involves interpreting, manipulating and presenting data in various ways.</p> <p>TC6 Calculator skills - This concept involves fluent application of mathematical operations on a scientific calculator</p> <p>TC7 Understanding and calculating risk - This concept involves knowing the rules of probability in the correct context</p>		



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## KS4 National Curriculum summary:

The national curriculum for mathematics aims to ensure that all pupils:

- become fluent in the fundamentals of mathematics, including through varied and frequent practice with increasingly complex problems over time, so that pupils develop conceptual understanding and the ability to recall and apply knowledge rapidly and accurately.
- reason mathematically by following a line of enquiry, conjecturing relationships and generalisations, and developing an argument, justification or proof using mathematical language
- can solve problems by applying their mathematics to a variety of routine and non-routine problems with increasing sophistication, including breaking down problems into a series of simpler steps and persevering in seeking solutions.

Mathematics is an interconnected subject in which pupils need to be able to move fluently between representations of mathematical ideas. The programme of study for key stage 4 is organised into apparently distinct domains, but pupils should develop and consolidate connections across mathematical ideas. They should build on learning from key stage 3 to further develop fluency, mathematical reasoning and competence in solving increasingly sophisticated problems. They should also apply their mathematical knowledge wherever relevant in other subjects and in financial contexts.

## Learner skills:

Critical thinking



CRITICAL THINKING

Organisation



ORGANISATION

Collaboration



COLLABORATION

Adaptability



ADAPTABILITY

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Self-quizzing



SELF QUIZZING

Term 1 Aug-Oct

Term 2 Nov-Dec

Term 3 Jan-Feb

Term 4 Mar-Apr

Term 5 Apr-May

Term 6 Jun-Jul

## The Big Question

### Big picture questions:

How do I manipulate algebra to help me solve problems?

What are the applications of trigonometry?

What is differentiation?  
How can I use data to draw conclusions?

What are the applications of trigonometry?

What are the applications of integration?

How does differentiation and integration help in mechanics?



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	<p>How do I solve problems with straight line graphs and circles?</p>	<p>How can I solve more complex algebraic problems?</p> <p>How do we describe movement in Maths?</p> <p>How can I use sampling in practice?</p> <p>What is the difference between scalar and vector quantities?</p> <p>How can I use the SUVAT equations to solve problems?</p>		<p>How can I solve more complex algebraic problems?</p> <p>How can I use a calculator to work out multiple probabilities?</p> <p>How can I apply Newton's laws?</p>	<p>What are the uses of logs?</p> <p>How can I use a variety of techniques to interpret the probability of an event happening?</p> <p>What is a hypothesis test?</p>	<p>What is a partial fraction?</p>
<p><b>Content (Linked to TCs):</b></p>	<p>TC1 Algebraic manipulation TC3 Shape facts</p> <p><b>Algebra and functions</b> Algebraic expressions – basic algebraic manipulation, indices and surds Quadratic functions – factorising, solving, graphs and the discriminants</p>	<p>TC1 Algebraic manipulation TC3 Shape facts TC5 Representing and interpreting data TC6 Calculator skills</p> <p><b>Trigonometric ratios and graphs</b></p> <p><b>Further algebra</b> Algebraic Fraction &amp; dividing polynomials The factor Theorem Mathematical Proof and methods of proof</p>	<p>TC1 Algebraic manipulation TC5 Representing and interpreting data TC6 Calculator skills</p> <p><b>Differentiation</b> Definition, differentiating polynomials, second derivatives Gradients, tangents, normals, maxima and minima</p>	<p>TC1 Algebraic manipulation TC3 Shape facts TC6 Calculator skills TC7 Understanding and calculating risk</p> <p><b>Trigonometry</b> Trigonometric identities and equations</p> <p><b>Further algebra</b> The Binomial expansion</p> <p><b>Probability</b></p>	<p><b>Integration</b> Definition as opposite of differentiation, indefinite integrals of <math>x^n</math> Definite integrals and areas under curves</p> <p><b>Exponentials and logarithms</b> Exponential functions and natural logarithms</p> <p><b>Statistical distributions</b> Use discrete distributions to model real-world situations;</p>	<p><b>Kinematics 2 (variable acceleration)</b> Variable force; Calculus to determine rates of change for kinematics Use of integration for kinematics problems</p> <p><b>Algebraic Methods</b> Proof: Examples including proof by deduction* and proof by contradiction Algebraic and partial fractions</p>



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	<p>Equations – quadratic/linear simultaneous</p> <p>Inequalities – linear and quadratic (including graphical solutions)</p> <p>Graphs – cubic, quartic and reciprocal</p> <p>Transformations – transforming graphs – <math>f(x)</math> notation</p> <p><b>Coordinate geometry in the (x, y) plane</b></p> <p>Straight-line graphs, parallel/perpendicular, length and area problems</p> <p>Circles – equation of a circle, geometric problems on a grid</p>	<p><b>Vectors (2D)</b></p> <p>Definitions, magnitude/direction, addition and scalar multiplication</p> <p>Position vectors, distance between two points, geometric problems</p> <p><b>Statistical sampling</b></p> <p>Introduction to sampling terminology; Advantages and disadvantages of sampling</p> <p>Understand and use sampling techniques; Compare sampling techniques in context</p> <p><b>Data presentation and interpretation</b></p> <p>Calculation and interpretation of measures of location; Calculation and interpretation of measures of variation; Understand and use coding</p> <p><b>Quantities and units in mechanics</b></p> <p>Introduction to mathematical modelling and standard S.I. units of length, time and mass</p>	<p><b>Data presentation and interpretation</b></p> <p>Interpret diagrams for single-variable data; Interpret scatter diagrams and regression lines; Recognise and interpret outliers; Draw simple conclusions from statistical problems</p>	<p>Mutually exclusive events; Independent events</p> <p><b>Forces &amp; Newton's laws</b></p> <p>Newton's first law, force diagrams, equilibrium, introduction to <math>i, j</math> system</p> <p>Newton's second law, '<math>F = ma</math>', connected particles (no resolving forces or use of <math>F = \mu R</math>);</p> <p>Newton's third law: equilibrium, problems involving smooth pulleys</p> <p>HUnit7a</p>	<p>Identify the discrete uniform distribution; Calculate probabilities using the binomial distribution (calculator use expected)</p> <p><b>Statistical hypothesis testing</b></p> <p>Language of hypothesis testing; Significance levels</p> <p>Carry out hypothesis tests involving the binomial distribution</p>	<p>Simplifying algebraic fractions</p> <p>Partial fractions</p>
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		<p>Definitions of force, velocity, speed, acceleration and weight and displacement; Vector and scalar quantities</p> <p><b>Kinematics 1 (constant acceleration)</b> Graphical representation of velocity, acceleration and displacement Motion in a straight line under constant acceleration; suvat formulae for constant acceleration; Vertical motion under gravity</p>				
<b>Key vocabulary:</b>	<p>Expression, function, constant, variable, term, unknown, coefficient, index, linear, identity, simultaneous, elimination, substitution, factorise, completing the square, intersection, change the subject, cross-multiply, power, exponent, base, rational, irrational, reciprocal, root, standard form, surd, rationalise, exact, manipulate, sketch, plot, quadratic, maximum, minimum, turning point, discriminant, real roots, repeated roots, intercepts.</p>	<p>Sine, cosine, tangent, interval, period, amplitude, function, inverse, angle of elevation, angle of depression, bearing, degree, identity, special angles, unit circle, symmetry, hypotenuse, opposite, adjacent, intercept.</p> <p>Binomial, coefficient, probability, proof, assumptions, deduction, exhaustion, disproof, counter-example, polynomials, factorisation, quadratic, cubic, quartic,</p>	<p>Differentiation, derivative, first principles, rate of change, rational, constant, tangent, normal, increasing, decreasing, stationary point, maximum, minimum, integer, calculus, function, parallel, perpendicular.</p> <p>Mean, median, mode, variance, standard deviation, range, interquartile range, interpercentile range, outlier, skewness, symmetrical, positive skew, negative skew</p>	<p>Sine, cosine, tangent, interval, period, amplitude, function, inverse, angle of elevation, angle of depression, bearing, degree, identity, special angles, unit circle, symmetry, hypotenuse, opposite, adjacent, intercept.</p> <p>Binomial, coefficient, probability, proof, assumptions, deduction, exhaustion, disproof, counter-example, polynomials, factorisation, quadratic, cubic, quartic,</p>	<p>Calculus, differentiate, integrate, reverse, indefinite, definite, constant, evaluate, intersection.</p> <p>Exponential, exponent, power, logarithm, base, initial, rate of change, compound interest</p> <p>Sample space, exclusive event, complementary event, discrete random variable, continuous random variable, mathematical modelling, independent, mutually exclusive, Venn diagram, tree diagram.</p>	<p>Distance, displacement, velocity, speed, constant acceleration, variable acceleration, retardation, deceleration, gradient, area, differentiate, integrate, rate of change, straight-line motion, with respect to time, constant of integration, initial conditions.</p> <p>Proof, verify, deduction, contradict, rational, irrational, square, root, prime, infinity, square number, quadratic, expansion, trigonometry, Pythagoras.</p>



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	<p>Factorise, intersection, root, manipulate, sketch, plot, quadratic, maximum, minimum, turning point, transformation, translation, polynomial, discriminant, real roots, repeated roots, factor theorem, quotient, intercepts, inequality, asymptote.</p> <p>Equation, bisect, centre, chord, circle, circumcircle, coefficient, constant, diameter, gradient, hypotenuse, intercept, isosceles, linear, midpoint, parallel, perpendicular, proportion, Pythagoras, radius, right angle, segment, semicircle, simultaneous, tangent.</p>	<p>conjecture, prediction, rational number, implies, necessary, sufficient, converse, fully factorise, factor, expand, therefore, conclusion.</p> <p>Vector, scalar, magnitude, direction, component, parallel, perpendicular, modulus, dimension, ratio, collinear, scalar product, position vectors.</p> <p>Population, census, sample, sampling unit, sampling frame, simple random sampling, stratified, systematic, quota, opportunity (convenience) sampling.</p> <p>Mean, median, mode, variance, standard deviation, range, interquartile range, interpercentile range, outlier, skewness, symmetrical, positive skew, negative skew.</p> <p>Modelling, smooth, rough, light, inelastic, inextensible, particle, rigid body, mass, weight, rod, plane, lamina, length, distance (m),</p>		<p>conjecture, prediction, rational number, implies, necessary, sufficient, converse, fully factorise, factor, expand, therefore, conclusion.</p> <p>Force, newtons, mass, weight, gravity, tension, thrust, compression, air resistance, reaction, driving force, braking force, resultant, force diagram, equilibrium, inextensible, light, negligible, particle, smooth, uniform, pulley, string, retardation, free particle.</p>	<p>Binomial, probability, discrete distribution, discrete random variable, uniform, cumulative probabilities.</p> <p>Hypotheses, significance level, one-tailed test, two-tailed test, test statistic, null hypothesis, alternative hypothesis, critical value, critical region, acceptance region, p-value, binomial model, accept, reject, sample, inference.</p>	
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		<p>displacement (m), velocity (m s<sup>-1</sup>), speed (m s<sup>-1</sup>), acceleration (m s<sup>-2</sup>), force (N), retardation (m s<sup>-2</sup>), newtons (N), scalar, vector, direction, magnitude, (normal) reaction, friction, tension, thrust, compression</p> <p>Distance (m), displacement (m), speed (m s<sup>-1</sup>), velocity (m s<sup>-1</sup>), acceleration (m s<sup>-2</sup>), retardation (m s<sup>-2</sup>), deceleration (m s<sup>-2</sup>), scalar, vector, 2D, linear, area, trapezium, gradient, equations of motion, gravity, constant, 9.8 m s<sup>-2</sup>, vertical.</p>				
<b>Assessment:</b>	<b>KLT 1</b>	<b>KLT 2</b>	<b>PPE 1</b>	<b>KLT 3</b>	<b>Progression exams</b>	<b>Progression exams resit</b>
<b>Key/Historical misconceptions in this unit:</b>	<b>What it means to have a real root.</b>	<b>Confusion of constant and variable acceleration, distance time graphs and velocity time graphs</b>	<b>Recalling basic trigonometry</b>  <b>Differentiation for first principals, understanding limits, integrating with respect to the incorrect variable</b>	<b>Using the correct base for natural logs, rearranging logs and exponentials, laws of logs</b>	<b>Two tailed and one tailed, level of significance, interchanging horizontal and vertical transformations formations, interchanging stretch</b>	<b>Whether to differentiate or integrate for mechanics</b>



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					<p>and compressions of transformations</p> <p>Incorrectly using the tabulated values.</p> <p>Integer values for binomial distribution, binomial PD and binomial CD.</p>	
<b>Sequencing:</b>	<p>We have chosen to sequence the year 12 curriculum like this because it builds on the higher concepts learnt in year 11 and progresses forward to provide students with the skills for year 13. Students start with the key algebraic topics which underpin most of the topics which will follow over the course.</p>					