

## Preparing for GCSE Maths – Advice from HLS Maths Department

# Let's Get Maths Cracked!



Complete a section in your weekly Maths revision booklet



**KEEP CALM AND EARN RAFFLE TICKETS**

Attend a maths catch up!

Can you win the weekly Easter Egg Draw?



Do 3 extra follow on tasks correctly

6 revision booklets will be issued over the Spring and Summer term

6 weekly prize draws from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March!

Final prize draw after Easter

### Key Exam Dates – GCSE Maths

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May (AM) - Paper 1F/4H – 1h 30 mins – Calculator  
 Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June (AM) - Paper 2F/5H – 1h 30 mins – Non-Calculator  
 Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June (AM) - Paper 3F/6H – 1h 30 mins – Calculator

### Key Exam Dates – GCSE Statistics (111/MaC and 112/MaC only)

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June (PM) – Statistics Paper 1 – 1h 30 mins – Calculator  
 Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June (PM) – Statistics Paper 2 – 1h 30 mins – Calculator

### Key Exam Dates – Level 2 Further Maths (111/MaC only)

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June (PM) – Paper 1– 1h 45 mins – Calculator  
 Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June (PM) – Paper 2 – 1h 45 mins – Calculator

### After School Revision Classes

Foundation - Tuesday in MA1 (Mr Cole)  
 Higher (Grade 5/6) – Mondays in MA5 (Miss Bason and Miss Hornsby)  
 Higher (Grade 6+) – Mondays in MA4 (Mr Fox/Mr Heath/Mr Kingston)

#### How should I revise maths?

You need to answer new questions – just reading over your notes won't work.

#### Where do I find questions to practice?

- Complete your weekly Maths homework
- Complete the weekly 'Let's Get Maths Cracked'; booklets – each one has 5 sections – do 1 section each day!
- Complete extra Follow On Tasks from your trial exams
- On Maths Predicted papers (remember we do OCR): <https://www.onmaths.com/>

#### How do I know which topics to do extra practice on?

Use your purple **Analysis Sheets** – these are in your book from your trial exam

#### Where can I find extra practice questions?

- <https://www.mathsgenie.co.uk/gcse.html> - Graded exam question booklets, videos and answers

#### Prefer someone to talk you through it?

#### Use the On Maths Papers

<https://www.onmaths.com/>

They have walkthroughs to show you how to do any questions you are unsure of

#### Equipment Checklist

Pens	
Pencils	
Ruler	
Eraser	
Protractor	
Pair of Compasses	
Scientific Calculator	

Not sure what to revise – work through the booklets on the next grade up from your trial exam