Summer Term plan

Year 12 Mathematics A Level

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Mechanics Assessment	Exponentials and Logarithms
Students will take a Mechanics assessment on	 Manipulate logs and exponentials
Wednesday 4 May covering all the work from the	 Be able to use the laws of logarithms
Mechanics section, this will be followed by a	 know that log_a a = 1 and log_a 1 = 0 for a > 0
feedback and review session.	 Solve equations of the form a^x = b
 Parametric Equations Using parametric equations and converting between parametric and cartesian equations Differentiation Consider the shape of functions looking at 	 Use logarithmic graphs to estimate parameters in relationships of the form y = axⁿ and y = kb^x, given data for x and y. Understand and use exponential growth and decay; use in modelling, consider limitations and refinements of exponential models
concavity and points of inflection	Functions
Differentiating Trigonometric functions	• Use graphs of the modulus of a linear equation
Differentiating Exponential and Logarithmic	• Use composite functions, inverse functions,
Tunctions	and their graphs
Product rule	 Define a function as a mapping, including the range and domain
Ouotient rule	Ise correct language and notation to describe
Differentiating Inverse functions	functions accurately
	 Find and use inverse functions
	 Understand the effects of combinations of transformations
	 Fractions Simplify rational expressions Decompose rational functions into Partial
	fractions
	Trigonometry
	 Work with radian measure, including use for arc length and area of sector
	Understand and use the standard small angle
	approximations of sine, cosine and tangent •
	 Understand and use the definitions of secant, cosecant and cotangent and of arcsin, arccos
	and arctan; their relationships to sine, cosine
	and tangent; understanding their graphs; their
	ranges and domains
	 Use trigonometric formulae for compound angles, double angles and half angles

UCAS Prediction exams 4 July – 12 July

Students will be given past paper practise to enable them to consolidate their learning and will have revision sessions leading up to the exams.

The assessment is made up of two papers

- Core with Mechanics
- Core with Statistics

Core makes up two thirds of the assessment with Statistics and Mechanics a sixth each.