## Maths Assessment Year 6: Algebra Term 2

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1. Use simple formulae.
a) Calculate the value of the letter in each equation:

| $2 a=18$ | $a=$ |
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| $45=9 b$ | $b=$ |
| $7 c=56$ | $c=$ |

b) Calculate the value of the letter in each equation:

| $3 d-6=9$ | $d=$ |
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| $81=4 e+13$ | $e=$ |
| $25-7 f=11$ | $f=$ |

c) In these equations, $\mathbf{x}$ is worth 6 . Calculate the value of $\mathbf{y}$.

| $y=2 x+13$ | $y=$ |
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| $100-7 x=y$ | $y=$ |
| $y=x^{2}$ | $y=$ |

d) The cost of producing a pack of pens is calculated as follows:

Cost $=$ number of pens $\times 12 p+5 p$ for the box
How much will a pack of 6 pens cost to produce?


A pack of pens costs $£ 2.45$. How many pens are in the pack?

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2. Generate and describe linear number sequences.
a) Fill in the first two terms in this sequence:

|  |  | 108 | 119 | 130 |
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b) 16 is the first term in this sequence. What is the eighth term?

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\begin{array}{llll}
16 & 21 & 26 & 31
\end{array}
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c) Find the missing numbers in this linear sequence:

| 35 |  | 53 |  |
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d) The formula $3 n-\mathbf{7}$ can be used to calculate the value of the terms in this sequence:
$-4$
2
5
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Fill in the missing information in this table:

| term | calculation | value |
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| 1 st | $3 \times 1-7$ | -4 |
| 5th |  |  |
| 10 th |  | 23 |
| 20 th | $3 \times 20-7$ |  |

e) The sequence 5, 8, 11, 14 can be expressed as $\mathbf{3 n + 2}$, where $\boldsymbol{n}$ is the term.
i. Express the sequence $7,11,15,19$, where $\mathbf{n}$ is the term.

ii. What is the $10^{\text {th }}$ term?

iii. Which term is 123 ?

3. Express missing number problems algebraically.
a) A taxi driver uses the following charges: $£ 4$ journey charge and $£ 2$ per mile. Circle the formula that could be used to calculate how much the taxi driver will charge for each journey.
$\mathbf{m}$ stands for the number of miles.

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4 m+2 \quad 4 m-2 \quad 2 m+4 \quad 2 m-4
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b) The letter $\mathbf{p}$ is 10 less than the letter $\mathbf{q}$.

Write 2 algebraic expressions to show the relationship between $\mathbf{p}$ and $\mathbf{q}$, using different operations.

c) Circle any expression that is not an accurate simplification of the expression $a+a+a+b$ :
$3 a+b$
$b+3 a$
$3 a=b$
d) An online shop sells football shirts for $£ 8$, with $£ 5$ for delivery. To calculate the cost of each order the shop uses the following formula:
$8 n+5$
$\boldsymbol{n}$ stands for the number of shirts in each order.
i. Calculate the cost of ordering 12 shirts.

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ii. A football club places an order costing $£ 365$. Calculate how many shirts are ordered.

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e) A school supplier sells boxes of A4 paper for $£ 4$, and offers a $£ 2$ discount on any order paid for in advance. Write the formula the supplier would use for calculating what to charge for any order paid in advance.
Use $\mathbf{n}$ to represent the number of boxes purchased.


## 4. Find pairs of numbers that satisfy an equation with two unknowns.

a) Find 3 different possible pairs of values for $a$ and $b$ in this equation, where $a$ and $b$ are whole numbers:
$a b=12$

| Value of $a$ | Value of $b$ |
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b) Find 3 different possible pairs of values for $a$ and $b$ in this equation, where $a$ and $b$ are whole numbers:

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a b-15=17
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| Value of $a$ | Value of $b$ |
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c) Calculate the value of each letter:

| $e f=21$ | $e+f=10$ | $e<f$ | $e=\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ |
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| $g-h=3$ | $g+h=9$ | $g=\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ | $h=\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ |
| $i \div j=4$ | $i j=16$ | $i=\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ | $j=\ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$ |

5. Enumerate possibilities of combinations of two variables.

In this equation, $\mathbf{a}$ and $\mathbf{b}$ are different whole numbers that are between 10 and 20.
a) Write the calculations that would show all the possible values of $a$ and $b$.
$a-b=6$
b) Use this equation to fill in the missing information in the table below:
$a+11=3 b$

| Value of $a$ | Value of $b$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 |  |
|  | 5 |
| 10 | 6 |

