# Scheme of Work - Functional Skills Level 2



Course delivery information: Functional Skills Level 1 (Construction)

Duration: 36 weeks

#### Aims:

#### Performance - Learners can:

- Understand routine practical problems in a wide range of familiar and unfamiliar contexts and situations
- Identify the situation or problem and the mathematical methods to tackle it
- Select and apply a range of mathematics to find solutions
- Use appropriate checking procedures and evaluate their effectiveness at each stage
- Interpret results, consider the accuracy and appropriateness of results and solutions, and communicate solutions to practical problems in familiar, unfamiliar, routine and un-routine contexts and situations
- Draw conclusions in light of situations and provide mathematical justifications

### Regular resources/textbooks:

Smartboard, WB & Pens, Power Point, paper & pens for group work, textbook, internet and LRC resources.

Week/ Session	Content	Learning Objectives: students will be able to	Assessment of Learning	Teaching and Learning Activities	Resources	Functional Skills Standards (including ECM theme)
1	Induction Initial assessmen t	Discussion the FS requirements and progression opportunities Answer questions on the Profiler assessment	Q&A Profiler Assessment	<ul> <li>Introduce the Functional Skills - discuss assessment and portfolio requirements etc.</li> <li>Paper or computer-based diagnostic assessments</li> </ul>	Handouts Whiteboard Assessment s Computers	
2	Initial assessmen t 1:1 feedback	Complete the Profiler assessment Complete autumn term progress sheets	Profiler Assessment	Continue paper/computer- based diagnostic assessments	Assessment s Computers	
3	Language of Maths Place value	Read, write order and compare large numbers  Discuss negative numbers in practical contexts  Read temperatures on a thermometer  Use negative numbers in a practical context, e.g. temperature below zero, loss in trading	Observation of ordering activity  Q&A  Peer checking: Correctly read and record temperature - feedback to learners  Discussion on government spending figures on public services	<ul> <li>Activity - Order a set of monthly trading figures for a year, including losses.</li> <li>Worksheet - write the value of a digit in a number</li> <li>Cards activity - Order a set of +ve and -ve numbers (smartboard)</li> <li>Paired activity - Describe a set of numbers (more than, less than, equal to) (smartboard)</li> <li>Paired activity - measure and record body temperatures</li> </ul>	Matching cards Thermomet ers Worksheets Computer Smartboard	Read, write, order and compare positive and negative numbers of any size.  Understand the meaning of negative numbers in a practical context, for example temperature below zero, loss in trading.

4	Relationsh ip between multiples, factors and prime numbers	Use mental and written methods of calculation to generate results when solving problems using whole numbers of any size  Complete calculations using the words <i>multiple</i> , prime number and <i>factor</i> and relate them to multiplication and division facts	Successful completion of problem solving worksheet & mental maths game  Observation of activity	Discuss different methods that can be used for mental and written calculations and share short cuts and 'tricks', with explanations, factors.  Use a number square and cross off multiples of numbers in turn to find prime numbers. Practise breaking down numbers into prime factors.	Activity cards Worksheets Follow on game cards Dominoes Smartboard Computer Number square	Understand multiple and factor, and relate them to multiplication and division facts. Understand primes and know prime numbers up to 20. Give the level of accuracy of results
5	Ratio and Proportion (Context of sharing according to input - direct or inverse)	Solve problems involving the number of parts in a given ratio, and the value of one part  Discus examples of inverse proportion (e.g. more people on a job means less time to complete the job)	Checking/Marking of progress/completion of problem solving worksheet  Peer checking: Scale quantities up (or down), using direct proportion, e.g. recipes, etc  Observation and accurate calculation of inverse proportion.	<ul> <li>Discussion - ratio in everyday situation (smartboard)</li> <li>Worksheets - problem solving</li> <li>Group activity - calculation of inverse proportion</li> </ul>	Activity cards Worksheets Scale drawing Smartboard Computer	Understand ratio written in the form 3:2, sharing £60 in the ratio 3:2.  Understand how to work out the number of parts in a given ratio, and the value of 1 part.
6	Simple Algebra Representi ng variables and	Use formula to calculate cost of gas bills  Evaluate expressions and make substitutions in given formulae in words and symbols to produce results.	Observation of Smartboard activity - Matching expressions  Peer checking - Discussion	<ul> <li>Discussion - examples of practical applications of algebra.</li> <li>Board work - match expressions in words and symbols.</li> <li>Convert expressions from</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Worksheets Calculators Smartboard Computer	Understand that words and symbols in expressions and formulae represent variable quantities (numbers) not things, so 2a + 2b cannot be explained as 2 apples and 2 bananas.

constant factors)			words to symbols, and vice versa. (smartboard).  • Worksheets - calculate gas bills, commission on sales using formulae.  • Paired activity - changing temperature from Fahrenheit to Celsius, using formula.		Understand that the contents of brackets must be worked out first.
7 Recap of first half term topics and completio n of mini project.	Complete mini project. Q & A session	Direct questioning  Mark the assignment and give feedback	Learners to complete mini project (work out profit & loss in a business) and answer oral questions (e.g. House hold or small business budgeting)     Set homework	Mini project	Use efficient methods to carry out calculations involving two or more steps, including efficient use of a calculator.  Understand that when there is no operator between a number and a variable, two variables, or a bracket, multiplication is implied.  Make substitutions in given formulae in words and symbols.  ECM5

## HALF TERM

Week/ Session	Content	Learning Objectives: students will be able to	Assessment of Learning	Teaching and Learning Activities	Resources	Functional Skills Standards (including ECM theme)
8	Evaluation of a number as fraction of another	Identify and recognise equivalent fractions  Use fraction to compare two numbers	Checking/marking of progress/completion of worksheet	<ul> <li>Starter activity - equivalent fractions</li> <li>Board work - Represent the outcome of observations as a fraction</li> <li>Discuss - strategies for estimating one number as a fraction of another,</li> <li>Worksheet - Evaluate quantities as fractions,</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Smartboard Computer worksheet	Know how to change fractions to equivalent fractions with a common denominator.  Identify equivalences between fractions, decimals and percentages.  Understand that quantities must be in the same units to evaluate and compare.
9	Equivalent fractions	Match equivalent fractions	Observation of matching cards game  Q & A  Accurate completion of worksheet	<ul> <li>Discussion - examples of fractions and its equivalencies in everyday life (use leaflets, adverts and headlines). Understand that fractions add up to one whole</li> <li>Activity - use fraction to work out increase in wages or VAT (Smartboard)</li> <li>Card activity - matching equivalent fractions, decimal and percentages</li> </ul>	Leaflets Whiteboard Matching cards Worksheets Drag and drop exercise.	Know how to change fractions to equivalent fractions with a common denominator  Evaluate one number as a fraction or percentage of another.

10	Decimals	Add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals up to three places  Use exchange rate to calculate the amount of foreign currency required	Successful completion of task  Checking/marking of progress/completion of worksheet	<ul> <li>Discussion - rounding answers on a calculator and the degree of accuracy that might be appropriate, e.g. calculations with money-Activity calculate gross pay/week and net pay/</li> <li>Search for goods on European online shopping sites and convert the prices from € to £ sterling</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Ordering cards Smartboard computers	Add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals up to three places and check answers in the context of measurements and money
11	Percentag e of quantities	Calculate cost of credit  Solve problems involving percentages  Order and compare percentages and demonstrate understanding of percentage increase and decrease.  Calculate VAT of given amounts.	Q&A  Checking/marking the progress/completed task  Peer-checking	<ul> <li>Discuss quick ways of finding VAT</li> <li>Use interest rates to compare the cost of a loan</li> <li>Paired Activity - Practise examples in context, e.g. percentage increase or decrease of household bill, fuel.</li> <li>Discus impact of a change in interest rates on mortgages, savings etc.</li> <li>Adding 30% to prices as a profit margin in a business. Use any methods.</li> </ul>	Worksheets Interest rates from banks. Internet	Use fractions, decimals and percentages to order and compare amounts or quantities and to solve practical problems. Choose to use a fraction, decimal or percentage to work out VAT.

12	Evaluation of one number as a percentag e of another	Calculate one number as percentage of another.  Know and use strategies to check answers obtained with a calculator	Direct questioning  Peer checking - feedback to learners	<ul> <li>Discussion - percentages using the attributes of the group, e.g. what percentage of the group is male,</li> <li>Activity - match calculations to answers Smartboard / skillswise)</li> <li>Activity - Use a calculator to check the answers to calculations done by other methods (manual or by another person).</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Matching cards Smartboard Computers Calculators	Evaluate one number as a fraction or percentage of another.  Understand that quantities must be in the same units to evaluate and compare.
13	Equivalent fractions, decimals and percentag es	Complete a table of equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages  Convert percentage savings and profit to fraction and decimals	Observation of activity.  Q&A	<ul> <li>Boardwork - show learners how to convert between fractions, decimals and percentages.</li> <li>Paired activity - complete a table of equivalencies</li> <li>Matching game (Skillswise)</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Matching cards Worksheets Computers	Understand that fractions, decimals and percentages are different ways of expressing the same thing.  Use fractions, decimals and percentages to order and compare amounts or quantities and to solve practical problems
14	Completio n of project involving Fraction, decimal and percentag es	Complete problem solving paper / mini project covering work completed during second half term	Formative assessment of student's work Directed questioning	<ul> <li>Learners to complete mini project (e.g. planning a Xmas party for a youth club)</li> <li>Set homework according to ability</li> </ul>	Mini project	Carry out calculations with numbers of any size in practical contexts  Understand and use equivalencies between fractions, decimals and percentages  ECM5

# XMAS BREAK

Week/ Session	Content	Learning Objectives: students will be able to	Assessment of Learning	Teaching and Learning Activities	Resources	Functional Skills Standards (including ECM theme)
15	Recap of Fractions, decimals and percentag es Feedback of first term's topics	Apply fraction, decimal and percentage in problem solving situations  Review autumn term progress sheet and complete targets for spring term	Checking/marking of worksheet  Directed questioning	<ul> <li>Worksheets - Problem solving involving hire purchase.</li> <li>Feedback from tutor - evaluate students progress with regard to their learning and their personal development</li> </ul>	Worksheets Calculator Progress Record Form	Add and subtract using halves, thirds, quarters, fifths and tenths.  Add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals up to three places and check answers
16	Metric & Imperial measurem ent	Categorise metric and imperial units of length, distance, weight, capacity  Read scales to different levels of accuracy, including reading between marked divisions	Observation of activity  Observation of measuring tasks to varying degree of accuracy with the appropriate instrument.	<ul> <li>Discuss the appropriate units of measure for length, distance, weight, capacity, and the use of metric and imperial units</li> <li>Activity - estimate, measure and record length and weights and capacities of supplied items</li> <li>Paired activity - read both metric and imperial amounts for lengths, weights and capacities.</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Quiz questions Worksheets Measuring tape Bathroom and kitchen scales Flip charts Smartboard	Calculate, measure and record dates and times in different formats and know the relationship between units of time, for example second, minute, hour, day, week, month and year.

17	Conversio n of metric and imperial units	Calculate with units of measure within the same system  Use a measuring instrument accurately  Convert metric units to imperial units and vice versa	Observation of activity. Q&A.  Observation of measuring activity  Checking/marking the progress/completed worksheet	<ul> <li>Discussion - metric and imperial units</li> <li>Work out the best value of products of different weights or capacities.</li> <li>Board work - How to convert between different units (review x &amp; ÷ by 10, 100 and 1000)</li> <li>Worksheets - Converting between different units (calculate cost of petrol per gallon</li> <li>Activity -match metric and imperial amounts with different units (smartboard)</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Worksheets Liquids and containers Smartboard	Calculate with units of measure between systems, using conversion tables and scales, and know how to use approximate conversion factors  Estimate, measure and compare length, distance, weight, capacity and temperature, including reading Celsius and Fahrenheit scales and conversion tables.
18	Area and perimeter of composite shapes	Use given formulae to find areas of composite shapes (e.g. non-rectangular rooms or plots of land)  Break down a composite shape into regular shapes	Observation of activity.  Q&A.  Checking/marking the progress/completed worksheet	<ul> <li>Discussion - finding the perimeter of composite shapes, such as rooms, which are not drawn to scale and do not have all the measurements included, and devise ways of finding the lengths of all the edges</li> <li>Activity - Calculate how much tiles required for the floor, ceiling tiles and wallpaper border needed.</li> <li>Calculate the cost of both</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Worksheets Matching cards Measuring instruments Smartboard	Know what is meant by perimeter, circumference, diameter and radius.  Understand and use given formulae for finding perimeters and areas of common and composite shapes, circumference and area of circular surfaces

				the floor and ceiling tiles.		
19	Scale Drawing	Draw an accurate scale plan of the new beauty salon using a scale expressed as a ratio  Accurately work out distances from the scale on a map.	Observation of activity Successful completion of task. Q&A	<ul> <li>Discuss scales and how they are used. Work from several examples such as If the scale is 1:100 on a plan, what would a centimetre represent? What would 10 cm represent?</li> <li>Activity - Produce a scale drawing of the salon showing furniture layout. Use different scales, e.g. 1:20, 1:10, and 1:50.</li> </ul>	Tracing paper Whiteboard Internet Smartborad	Work out dimensions from scale drawings. Estimate amounts using proportions, for example the length of the room is about three times its width, and the stockroom is about two-thirds full.
20	Measurem ents and scale drawings	Measure a room and present the dimensions in form of scale drawing.  Calculate the area and perimeter of the room.	Observation of set task. Check marked work.	<ul> <li>Learners to measure the café and plan a redecoration</li> <li>Produce a scale drawing of café</li> <li>Set homework</li> </ul>	Measuring tape Rulers Whiteboard	Know that measurements must be in the same units when calculating perimeters, areas or volumes.  Understand the symbol for pi and know its approximate value  Understand and use given formulae for finding volumes of common shapes

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21	2D and 3D shapes	Use common 2D representations of 3-D objects  Solve problems involving 2-D shapes and parallel lines	Feedback to learner  Observation of activity  Checking/marking the progress/completed worksheet	<ul> <li>Investigate and describe different representations of 3-D objects in 2-D, e.g. nets of solids, plans, elevations.</li> <li>Discuss practical examples of using parallel lines, e.g. hanging wallpaper, laying tiles or paving stones.</li> <li>Activity - Use the properties of parallel lines to solve everyday problems</li> </ul>	2-D and 3-D objects Drawing papers Internet Whiteboard	Recognise and use common 2D representations of 3D objects, for example in maps and plans.  Solve problems involving 2D shapes and parallel lines, for example laying carpet tiles
22	Extracting Data	Extract and interpret information from lists, tables, charts and graphs	Observation of activity.  Q&A	Discuss the difference between continuous and discrete data. A useful example is that the size of shoe someone wears is discrete, but the length of their foot is continuous.      Board work - Look at the	Whiteboard Holiday brochure Graph paper Smartboard Internet	Know how to extract discrete and continuous data from tables, spreadsheets, bar charts, pie charts and line graphs with more than one line.

				use of different scales and their effect on the graph. Comment on trends from the slope of the graph.  Activity - Online game, Extract information from tables in catalogues, brochures, web sites.		
23	Organising and representing data.	Measure the height of everyone in the class and present information as a chart / graph.  Collect and record data from exchange rates or a particular share issue over a period of time. Display the data on a chart or graph	Check correct information included on chart  Observation of activity and correct completion of chart or graph	<ul> <li>Discussion - Use given sets of data and discuss the most suitable form of representation.</li> <li>Activity - Measure and record classmates' height; present the data in a suitable form.</li> <li>Worksheets - Plot a graph showing exchange rates over a period.</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Internet Tape rule	Draw conclusions from scatter diagrams, understanding that correlation does not imply causality.  Understand how to use scales in diagrams, charts and graphs.
24	Present findings in a suitable way	Present outcome of investigation using a pie chart and bar chart.	Check correct information included on chart  Observation of activity Correct completion of chart	<ul> <li>Activity - investigate the menu offered in the canteen on Tuesday and find out the most and least popular.</li> <li>Present findings using pie chart.</li> </ul>	Canteen Menu Graph paper	Know how to extract discrete and continuous data from tables, spreadsheets, bar charts, pie charts and line graphs with more than one line.
25	Collecting and presenting data	Carry out an investigation and present the outcome in a suitable form	Check result of investigation.	<ul> <li>Activity - collecting and presenting data - e.g. Investigate the most popular music</li> </ul>	Quiz questions Worksheets Square	Know how to extract discrete and continuous data from tables, spreadsheets, bar charts, pie charts and line

			Directed questioning	genre in the college to prepare for the end of year performance	Paper Smartboard	graphs with more than one line.  Know how to choose a suitable format and scale to fit the data and ensure all charts, graphs and diagrams are labelled.
26	Averages & range	Calculate mean, median and mode.  Discuss the distinctions that each average is useful for different purposes.  Find the range and use it to describe the spread within sets of data	Observation of activity  Listen to discussion points  Peer checking - feedback to learners	<ul> <li>Discuss the use of mean, median and mode.</li> <li>Discussion - the use of range in everyday language, e.g. price range, age range</li> <li>Q&amp;A - extracting information from different sources</li> <li>Activity - Compare the distribution of pay scales in two organisations.</li> <li>Paired Activity - Collect data of interest and compare the range</li> </ul>	Graph papers Whiteboard Computers - Excel to produce charts and graphs	Find the mean, median and mode and understand that each average is useful for different purposes.  Use the range to describe the spread within a set of data, for example sales results.  Use the average and range to compare two sets of data
27	Recap of data handling Feedback	Complete the revision questions on last term's topics  Review spring term progress sheet and complete targets	Checking/marking of worksheet	Worksheets - Investigate     BMI of 20 people and     calculation the percentage     of each weight categories     within your chosen sample	Worksheets Calculator Progress Record Form	Collect and represent discrete and continuous data, using ICT where appropriate ECM3

to	for summer term		
students		<ul> <li>Feedback with tutor -         evaluate students progress         with regard to their learning         and their personal         development</li> </ul>	

## **EASTER BREAK**

Week/ Session	Content	Learning Objectives: students will be able to	Assessment of Learning	Teaching and Learning Activities	Resources	Functional Skills Standards (including ECM theme)
28	Probabilit y	Accurately record the range of possible outcomes of combined events in tree diagrams or in tables.	Checking/marking the progress/completed worksheet	<ul> <li>Discuss the possible outcomes of an event using simple examples such as tossing a coin, picking a single playing card from a pack, throwing a die, the possible gender of a baby, the outcome of a football match for one team</li> <li>Activity - chances of winning using scratch cards</li> </ul>	Whiteboard Worksheets Quiz questions Squared paper Smartboard	Understand that probability is an expression of likelihood and can be written as a fraction, decimal or percentage.  Identify the range of possible outcomes of combined events and record the information in tree diagrams or tables.  ECM3

29	Practice test	Complete practice FS assessments	Check answers on practice test.	Completing the questions and activities on FS assessment	Assignments Calculators Protractors Pen / Paper Graph paper	Use and interpret discrete and continuous data, using ICT where appropriate, statistical measures, tables and diagrams Use statistical methods to investigate situations ECM 3
30	Feedback	Feedback on practice paper both as a class and individuals	Q & A	Discussion Direct questioning	Assignments Calculators Protractors Pen / Paper Graph paper	
31	Summativ e assessmen t  Practice Test for some if needed	Start functional skills assessments	Mark work completed	Completing the questions and activities on FS assessment	Assignments Calculators Protractors Pen / Paper Graph paper	
32	Summativ e assessmen t	Continue / complete functional skills assessment	Mark work completed	Completing the questions and activities on FS assessment	Assignments Calculators Protractors Pen / Paper Graph paper	ECM 3

33	Summativ e assessmen t	Continue / complete functional skills assignment	Mark work completed	Completing the questions and activities on FS assessment	Assignments Calculators Protractors Pen / Paper Graph paper	ECM 3
33	Introduce Project 1- Redesignin g the interior of a beauty salon	Discus the appropriate research method and resources required to complete the task.	Observation of activity.  Q&A	Gather as much information as possible from internet, brochures and flyers  Select and cost the new furniture for the beauty room.	Project Calculators Pen Ruler Graph Paper	ECM 3 & 5
34	Presentati on of Research findings and group feedback	Present findings of their research using appropriate charts and diagrams	Q&A.  Observation of task	<ul> <li>Present their research findings to the whole class</li> <li>Explain the rationale behind their choice of holiday destination</li> <li>Discuss issues encountered and receive feedback from peers</li> </ul>	Project Feedback sheets Computers	ECM 3 & 5
35	Introduce Project 2- Financial managem ent	Present personal monthly budget plan to the group	Observation of presentation  Q&A	Discuss ways of managing spending     Calculate monthly budget     Present their research findings to the whole class     Explain the rationale behind their spending     Discuss problem encountered and receive feedback from peers	Project Feedback sheets Computers	ECM 3 & 5

3	36	Whole	Review individual student's	Q&A	<ul> <li>Whole class evaluation</li> </ul>	Progress	ECM 3 & 5
		Class	progress sheets		of tasks	sheets	
		Evaluation			<ul> <li>Discuss progression</li> </ul>	Questionnai	
		and			opportunities for the next	re	
		Review			academic year		
		Progress			,		