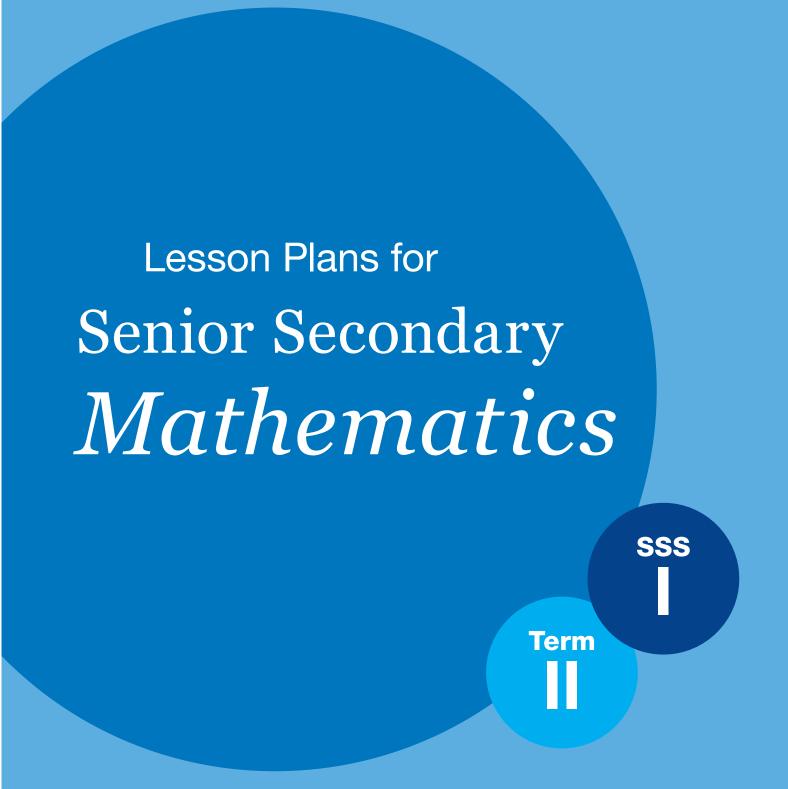


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# **Foreword**

These Lesson Plans and the accompanying Pupils' Handbooks are essential educational resources for the promotion of quality education in senior secondary schools in Sierra Leone. As Minister of Basic and Senior Secondary Education, I am pleased with the professional competencies demonstrated by the writers of these educational materials in English Language and Mathematics.

The Lesson Plans give teachers the support they need to cover each element of the national curriculum, as well as prepare pupils for the West African Examinations Council's (WAEC) examinations. The practice activities in the Pupils' Handbooks are designed to support self-study by pupils, and to give them additional opportunities to learn independently. In total, we have produced 516 lesson plans and 516 practice activities — one for each lesson, in each term, in each year, for each class. The production of these materials in a matter of months is a remarkable achievement.

These plans have been written by experienced Sierra Leoneans together with international educators. They have been reviewed by officials of my Ministry to ensure that they meet the specific needs of the Sierra Leonean population. They provide step-by-step guidance for each learning outcome, using a range of recognized techniques to deliver the best teaching.

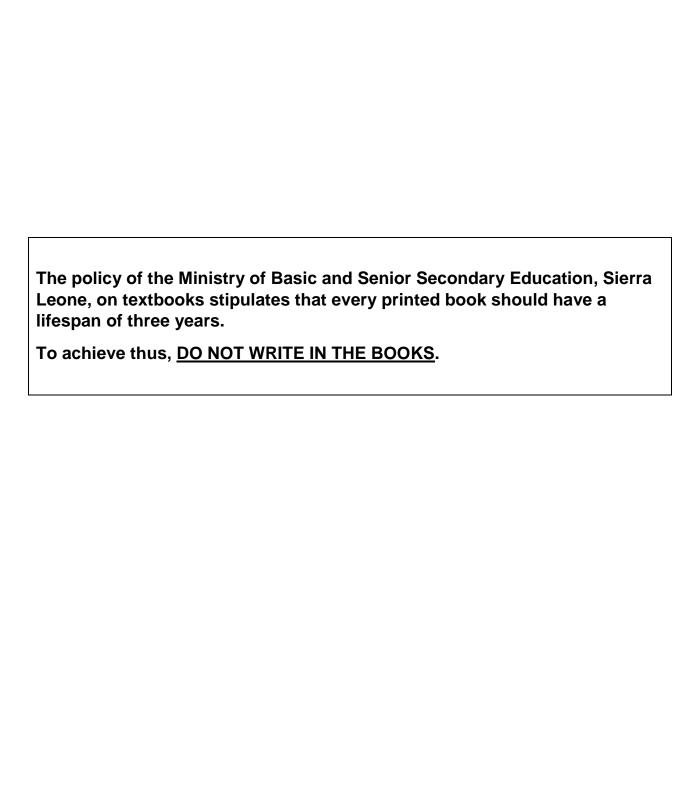
I call on all teachers and heads of schools across the country to make the best use of these materials. We are supporting our teachers through a detailed training programme designed specifically for these new lesson plans. It is really important that the Lesson Plans and Pupils' Handbooks are used, together with any other materials they may have.

This is just the start of educational transformation in Sierra Leone as pronounced by His Excellency, the President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, Brigadier Rtd Julius Maada Bio. I am committed to continue to strive for the changes that will make our country stronger and better.

I do thank our partners for their continued support. Finally, I also thank the teachers of our country for their hard work in securing our future.

Mr. Alpha Osman Timbo

Minister of Basic and Senior Secondary Education



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# Introduction

# to the Lesson Plans

These lesson plans are based on the National Curriculum and the West Africa Examination Council syllabus guidelines, and meet the requirements established by the Ministry of Basic and Senior Secondary Education.



The lesson plans will not take the whole term, so use spare time to review material or prepare for examinations.



Teachers can use other textbooks alongside or instead of these lesson plans.



Read the lesson plan before you start the lesson. Look ahead to the next lesson, and see if you need to tell pupils to bring materials for next time.





Make sure you understand the learning outcomes, and have teaching aids and other preparation ready – each lesson plan shows these using the symbols on the right.



Preparation



If there is time, quickly review what you taught last time before starting each lesson.



Follow the suggested time allocations for each part of the lesson. If time permits, extend practice with additional work.



Lesson plans have a mix of activities for the whole class and for individuals or in pairs.



Use the board and other visual aids as you teach.



Interact with all pupils in the class – including the quiet ones.



Congratulate pupils when they get questions right! Offer solutions when they don't, and thank them for trying.

# KEY TAKEAWAYS FROM SIERRA LEONE'S PERFORMANCE IN WEST AFRICAN SENIOR SCHOOL CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION – GENERAL MATHEMATICS<sup>1</sup>

This section, seeks to outline key takeaways from assessing Sierra Leonean pupils' responses on the West African Senior School Certificate Examination. The common errors pupils make are highlighted below with the intention of giving teachers an insight into areas to focus on, to improve pupil performance on the examination. Suggestions are provided for addressing these issues.

#### **Common errors**

- 1. Errors in applying principles of BODMAS
- 2. Mistakes in simplifying fractions
- 3. Errors in application of Maths learned in class to real-life situations, and vis-aversa.
- 4. Errors in solving geometric constructions.
- 5. Mistakes in solving problems on circle theorems.
- 6. Proofs are often left out from solutions, derivations are often missing from quadratic equations.

# **Suggested solutions**

- 1. Practice answering questions to the detail requested
- 2. Practice re-reading questions to make sure all the components are answered.
- 3. If possible, procure as many geometry sets to practice geometry construction.
- 4. Check that depth and level of the lesson taught is appropriate for the grade level.

<sup>1</sup> This information is derived from an evaluation of WAEC Examiners' Reports, as well as input from their examiners and Sierra Leonean teachers.

#### **FACILITATION STRATEGIES**

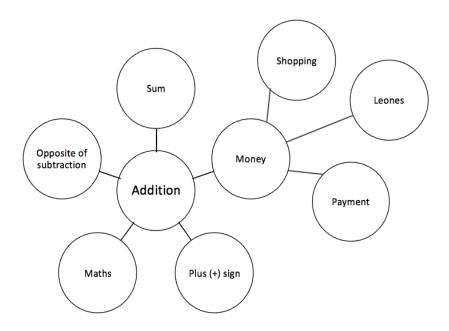
This section includes a list of suggested strategies for facilitating specific classroom and evaluation activities. These strategies were developed with input from national experts and international consultants during the materials development process for the Lesson Plans and Pupils' Handbooks for Senior Secondary Schools in Sierra Leone.

#### Strategies for introducing a new concept

- **Unpack prior knowledge:** Find out what pupils know about the topic before introducing new concepts, through questions and discussion. This will activate the relevant information in pupils' minds and give the teacher a good starting point for teaching, based on pupils' knowledge of the topic.
- Relate to real-life experiences: Ask questions or discuss real-life situations where the topic of the lesson can be applied. This will make the lesson relevant for pupils.
- **K-W-L:** Briefly tell pupils about the topic of the lesson, and ask them to discuss 'What I **k**now' and 'What I **w**ant to know' about the topic. At the end of the lesson have pupils share 'What I learned' about the topic. This strategy activates prior knowledge, gives the teacher a sense of what pupils already know and gets pupils to think about how the lesson is relevant to what they want to learn.
- Use teaching aids from the environment: Use everyday objects available in the classroom or home as examples or tools to explain a concept. Being able to relate concepts to tangible examples will aid pupils' understanding and retention.
- **Brainstorming:** Freestyle brainstorming, where the teacher writes the topic on the board and pupils call out words or phrases related that topic, can be used to activate prior knowledge and engage pupils in the content which is going to be taught in the lesson.

#### Strategies for reviewing a concept in 3-5 minutes

• **Mind-mapping:** Write the name of the topic on the board. Ask pupils to identify words or phrases related to the topic. Draw lines from the topic to other related words. This will create a 'mind-map', showing pupils how the topic of the lesson can be mapped out to relate to other themes. Example below:



- Ask questions: Ask short questions to review key concepts. Questions that ask
  pupils to summarise the main idea or recall what was taught is an effective way to
  review a concept quickly. Remember to pick volunteers from all parts of the
  classroom to answer the questions.
- Brainstorming: Freestyle brainstorming, where the teacher writes the topic on the board and pupils call out words or phrases related that topic, is an effective way to review concepts as a whole group.
- **Matching:** Write the main concepts in one column and a word or a phrase related to each concept in the second column, in a jumbled order. Ask pupils to match the concept in the first column with the words or phrases that relate to in the second column.

# Strategies for assessing learning without writing

- Raise your hand: Ask a question with multiple-choice answers. Give pupils time
  to think about the answer and then go through the multiple-choice options one by
  one, asking pupils to raise their hand if they agree with the option being
  presented. Then give the correct answer and explain why the other answers are
  incorrect.
- **Ask questions:** Ask short questions about the core concepts. Questions which require pupils to recall concepts and key information from the lesson are an effective way to assess understanding. Remember to pick volunteers from all parts of the classroom to answer the questions.
- Think-pair-share: Give pupils a question or topic and ask them to turn to seatmates to discuss it. Then, have pupils volunteer to share their ideas with the rest of the class.
- Oral evaluation: Invite volunteers to share their answers with the class to assess their work.

### Strategies for assessing learning with writing

- Exit ticket: At the end of the lesson, assign a short 2-3 minute task to assess
  how much pupils have understood from the lesson. Pupils must hand in their
  answers on a sheet of paper before the end of the lesson.
- Answer on the board: Ask pupils to volunteer to come up to the board and answer a question. In order to keep all pupils engaged, the rest of the class can also answer the question in their exercise books. Check the answers together. If needed, correct the answer on the board and ask pupils to correct their own work.
- Continuous assessment of written work: Collect a set number of exercise books per day/per week to review pupils' written work in order to get a sense of their level of understanding. This is a useful way to review all the exercise books in a class which may have a large number of pupils.
- Write and share: Have pupils answer a question in their exercise books and then invite volunteers to read their answers aloud. Answer the question on the board at the end for the benefit of all pupils.
- **Paired check:** After pupils have completed a given activity, ask them to exchange their exercise books with someone sitting near them. Provide the answers, and ask pupils to check their partner's work.
- Move around: If there is enough space, move around the classroom and check pupils' work as they are working on a given task or after they have completed a given task and are working on a different activity.

#### Strategies for engaging different kinds of learners

- For pupils who progress faster than others:
  - Plan extension activities in the lesson.
  - Plan a small writing project which they can work on independently.
  - Plan more challenging tasks than the ones assigned to the rest of the class.
  - Pair them with pupils who need more support.
- For pupils who need more time or support:
  - Pair them with pupils who are progressing faster, and have the latter support the former.
  - Set aside time to revise previously taught concepts while other pupils are working independently.
  - Organise extra lessons or private meetings to learn more about their progress and provide support.
  - Plan revision activities to be completed in the class or for homework.
  - Pay special attention to them in class, to observe their participation and engagement.

Lesson Title: Powers and roots of	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
logarithms – Numbers greater than 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L049	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Bring logarith	m and antilogarithm
be able to calculate powers and roots of	tables, availab	ole in term 1 Lesson
numbers greater than 1 using logarithms.	Plans.	

# Opening (3 minutes)

1. Write a revision problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $\frac{36.88}{2.08}$ .

2. Ask pupils to solve the problems in their exercise books.

3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

Numbers	Logarithms
36.88	1.5668
2.08	- 0.3181
Subtract	1.2487

Antilog 1.2487 = 17.73

- 4. Remind pupils of the steps to divide logarithms if needed: find the logarithms, subtract, then find the antilog.
- 5. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on calculating powers and roots of numbers greater than 1 using logarithms.

# **Teaching and Learning** (24 minutes)

- 1. Explain the **finding powers with logarithms:** 
  - For very large numbers or decimal numbers, it is difficult to find the power without a calculator.
  - The product rule allows us to find the powers of numbers using logarithms.
  - We can find any power of numbers in the logarithm using the following steps:
    - Find the logarithm of the numbers.
    - Multiply the result by the power.
    - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 2. Write the following problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $138^2$ .
- 3. Explain the solution to pupils on the board.

#### Solution:

**Step 1.** Find the logarithm: log 138 = 2.1399

**Step 2.** Multiply by the power:  $2.1399 \times 2 = 4.2798$ 

**Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: antilog 4.2798 = 19,040. Since the characteristic is 4, the integer part should be 5 digits.

You can also show the work in a table:

Number	Logarithm	
$138^{2}$	$2.1399 \times 2 = 4.2798$	

antilog 4.2798 = 19,040

Therefore,  $138^2 = 19,040$ 

- 4. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate 2.13<sup>5</sup>.
- 5. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

Solution:

**Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 2.13 = 0.3284$ 

**Step 2.** Multiply by the power:  $0.3284 \times 5 = 1.6420$ 

**Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: antilog 1.6420 = 43.85. Since the characteristic is 1, the integer part should be 2 digits.

6. Explain finding roots with logarithms:

- It is also difficult to find the root of many numbers without a calculator. We can use logarithms to find the roots.
- We can find the square, cube or other roots of a logarithm using the following steps:
  - Find the logarithm of the number.
  - Divide the result by the root.
  - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 7. Write the following problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $\sqrt{5}$ .
- 8. Explain the solution to the pupils on the board.

Solution:

**Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 5 = 0.6990$ 

**Step 2.** Divide by the root:  $0.6990 \div 2 = 0.3495$ 

**Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: antilog 0.3495 = 2.236

Therefore  $\sqrt{5} = 2.236$ 

You can also show the work in a table:

Number	Logarithm
$\sqrt{5}$	$0.6990 \div 2 = 0.3495$

anti $\log 0.3495 = 2.236$ 

Therefore,  $\sqrt{5} = 2.236$ 

- 9. Write another problem on the board: Use the logarithm table to evaluate  $\sqrt[3]{46.5}$ .
- 10. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

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Solution:

**Step 1.** Find the logarithm: log 46.5 = 1.6675

**Step 2.** Divide by the root:  $1.6675 \div 3 = 0.5558$ 

**Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: antilog 0.5558 = 3,596

Since the characteristic is 0, the integer part has 1 digit.

Therefore,  $\sqrt[3]{46.5} = 3.596$ 

- 11. Write another problem on the board: Use logarithm tables to evaluate:
  - a.  $245.5^2 \times 1.08^3$
  - b.  $\sqrt[4]{(42.5)^2}$
- 12. Discuss: How do you think we will solve these problems? What steps will we take?
- 13. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - a. We apply the order of operations (BODMAS), and use the steps we know for solving powers, roots, and multiplication using logarithms.
  - b. We can find the logarithms of the numbers, and apply all of the operations necessary before applying the antilogarithm to the result.
  - c. For problem a., we will apply the powers to both numbers, then apply multiplication.
  - d. For problem b., we will apply the power, then apply the root.
- 14. Solve problem a. on the board, explaining each step.
  - Step 1. Draw the table and write the 2 terms of concern under "Number".
  - **Step 2.** In the second column, find the logarithms, and write the multiplication for the powers.
  - **Step 3.** In the 3<sup>rd</sup> column, write the results of the multiplication and add them.
  - **Step 4.** Find the antilogarithm of the result.

Number	Logarithm	
245.5 <sup>2</sup>	$2.3901 \times 2 =$	4.7802
$1.08^{3}$	$0.0334 \times 3 =$	+ 0.1002
		4.8804

antilog 4.8804 = 75,930

Therefore,  $245.5^2 \times 1.08^3 = 75,930$ 

- 15. Solve problem b. on the board, explaining each step.
  - Step 1. Find the logarithm of 42.5.
  - **Step 2.** Find  $42.5^2$  by multiplying the logarithm by 2.
  - **Step 3.** Find  $\sqrt[4]{42.5^2}$  by dividing the result by 4.
  - **Step 4.** Find the antilogarithm of the result.

Number	Logarithm
42.5	1.6285
$42.5^2$	$1.6285 \times 2 = 3.257$
$\sqrt[4]{42.5^2}$	$3.257 \div 4 = 0.8143$

anti $\log 0.8143 = 6.521$ 

Therefore,  $\sqrt[4]{(42.5)^2} = 6.521$ 

# Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board: Use the logarithm tables to evaluate each of the following. Use a calculator to verify your results.
  - a.  $378.2^2$
  - b.  $\sqrt[3]{85}$
  - c.  $\sqrt[5]{100^3}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently or with seatmates.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to simultaneously solve the problems on the board. Other pupils should check their work.

#### **Solutions:**

a.

Number Logarithm	
$387.2^2$	$2.5879 \times 2 = 5.1758$

anti
$$\log 5.1758 = 149,900$$

Therefore, 
$$387.2^2 = 149,900$$

b.

Number	Logarithm	
<sup>3</sup> √85	$1.9294 \div 3 = 0.6431$	

antilog 
$$0.6431 = 4.396$$

Therefore, 
$$\sqrt[3]{85} = 4.396$$

C.

Number	Logarithm
100	2.0000
$100^{3}$	$2.0000 \times 3 = 6.000$
$\sqrt[5]{100^3}$	$6.000 \div 5 = 1.2000$

anti
$$log 1.2000 = 15.85$$

Therefore, 
$$\sqrt[5]{100^3} = 15.85$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L049 in the Pupil Handbook.

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Lesson Title: Logarithms – Numbers less	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
than 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L050	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will	<b>Preparation</b>	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on the	
be able to find the logarithms of numbers	board.	
less than 1 using logarithm tables.		

#### Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write the following revision problems on the board: Find the logarithms of the following numbers: a. 82.47 b. 209.3
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the answers on the board. (Answers: a. log 82.47 = 1.9163; b. log 209.3 = 2.3207)
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on finding the logarithms of numbers less than 1 using logarithm tables.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - We will consider logarithms of numbers which lie between 0 and 1. In other words, decimal numbers less than 1.
  - Here again, we bring in the standard form of the number, where the power of 10 gives us the characteristic.
- 2. Write on the board:  $0.0314 = 3.14 \times 10^{-2}$
- 3. Explain:
  - 0.0314 is a number between 0 and 1.
  - When we write it in standard form, −2 is the power on 10.
  - Therefore, −2 is the characteristic of the log of 0.0314.
  - An easy rule that works for decimals is that the characteristic is equal to the number of zeros trailing the decimal plus 1. The number has 1 zero after the decimal, so the characteristic is −2.
- 4. Write on the board:  $\log 0.0314 = \overline{2}$  ...
- 5. Explain:
  - The characteristic is not written with a negative sign.
  - We put the minus sign on top of the characteristic, thus 2 is pronounced "bar"
     but not "minus" 2.
- 6. Write the general rule on the board: A decimal number should be expressed in its standard form  $a \times 10^{-n}$  in which case the characteristic of the logarithm is  $\bar{n}$ .
- 7. Explain: The mantissa is found using the logarithm tables, in the same way as with numbers greater than 1.

- 8. Use the logarithm table to find the mantissa. Remind pupils to find the row marked 31, and the column marked 4. The result is 0.4969.
- 9. Explain: We must write this mantissa to the negative number that we found for the characteristic.
- 10. Write on the board:  $\log 0.0314 = \bar{2}.4969$
- 11. Write a problem on the board: Find  $\log 0.0512$
- 12. Invite a volunteer to express the figures in standard form. (Answer:  $0.0512 = 5.12 \times 10^{-2}$ )
- 13. Invite another volunteer to write down the characteristic. (Answer: Characteristic =  $\overline{2}$ ).
- 14. Ask pupils to find the mantissa in their logarithm tables. After a moment, invite a volunteer to write the mantissa on the board. (Answer: 0.7093)
- 15. Write the solution on the board:  $\log 0.0512 = \overline{2}.7093$ .
- 16. Write the following problem on the board: Find the logarithm of 0.0009887.
- 17. Invite volunteers to write down the standard form and characteristic on the board. (Answer: Standard form:  $0.0009887 = 9.887 \times 10^{-4}$ ; Characteristic:  $\overline{4}$ ).
- 18. Ask pupils to find the mantissa in their logarithm tables. After a moment, invite a volunteer to write the mantissa on the board (Answer: 0.9951).
- 19. Ask pupils to write the complete solution in their exercise book. Remind them to add the characteristic and mantissa.
- 20. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $\log 0.0009887 = \overline{4.9951}$ )
- 21. Write another problem on the board: Find the logarithm of 0.1234.
- 22. Invite volunteers to write the standard form and characteristic on the board. (Answers:  $0.1234 = 1.234 \times 10^{-1}$ ; characteristic =  $\bar{1}$ )
- 23. Ask pupils to solve with seatmates.
- 24. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Solution: The mantissa given in the log table is 0.0913. Thus,  $\log 0.1234 = \overline{1}.0913$ ).

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write four problems on the board: Find the logarithms of the following numbers:
  - a. 0.000419

c. 0.062

b. 0.0842

d. 0.0075

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite four volunteers one at a time to write their answers on the board.

#### **Answers:**

a.  $\log 0.000419 = \overline{4}.6222$ 

c.  $\log 0.062 = \overline{2}.7924$ 

b.  $\log 0.0842 = \bar{2}.9253$ 

d.  $\log 0.0075 = \overline{3}.8751$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L050 in the Pupil Handbook.

# [NOTE]

There is another way of finding the logarithm of a decimal number. Explain this to pupils as needed.

You will find that if you use a scientific calculator, you get a different result than the results given in this lesson. Below, another method of calculating logarithms is given, which gives the same answer as the scientific calculator. For the purpose of these lessons and the WASSCE exam, the method described in the above lesson plan is preferable. This makes calculations with logarithms in later lessons more straightforward.

Example problems and solutions using the alternative method:

1. Find the logarithm of 0.0314.

Solution:

**Step 1.** Express the number in standard form:  $3.14 \times 10^{-2}$ 

**Step 2.** Write -2 as the characteristic.

**Step 3.** Use the logarithm table to find the mantissa. This is in the row marked 31, and the column marked 4. The result is 0.4969.

**Step 4.** Add the mantissa to the negative number that we found for the characteristic:  $-2 + 0.4969 = -1.5031 = \overline{1}.5031$ 

**Answer:**  $\log 0.0314 = \overline{1}.5031$ 

2. Find log 0.0512.

Solution:

**Step 1.** Express the number in standard form:  $5.12 \times 10^{-2}$ 

**Step 2.** Write -2 as the characteristic.

**Step 3.** Use the logarithm table to find the mantissa. This is in the row marked 51, and the column marked 2. The result is 0.7093.

**Step 4.** Add the mantissa to the negative number that we found for the characteristic:  $-2 + 0.7093 = -1.2907 = \overline{1}.2907$ .

**Answer:**  $\log 0.0512 = \overline{1}.2907$ 

Lesson Title: Antilogarithms – Numbers	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
less than 0		
Lesson Number: M1-L051	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to find the antilogarithms of numbers less than 0 using antilogarithm tables.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olems in Opening on the

# Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write revision problems on the board: Find the logarithm of the following numbers:
  - a. 0.592 b. 0.00786
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write their answers on the board and explain. (Answers: a.  $log 0.592 = \overline{1}.7723$ ; b.  $log 0.00786 = \overline{3}.8954$ )
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is in finding antilogarithms of numbers less than 1 using logarithm tables.

# **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - Recall that an antilogarithm is the exact opposite of a logarithm of a number.
  - Antilog tables are used for determining the inverse value of the mantissa.
  - The position of the decimal point can be determined from the characteristic.
- 2. Write a problem on the board: Find the antilog of  $\bar{1}$ . 9087.
- 3. Explain the steps for finding the inverse value of the mantissa. This is done in the same way as with the antilogarithms of numbers greater than 1:
  - Find 0.9087 in the antilogarithm table. It gives the value 8,104.
  - We know that there is 1 integer digit in the antilog, because the integer in the problem (the characteristics) is 1. We get 0.8104.
- 4. Write on the board: antilog $\overline{1}$ . 9087 = 0.8104
- 5. Explain how to determine the placement of the decimal point:
  - We move the decimal point base on the characteristic in the problem (the integer digit). Write the number of zeros after the decimal based on the characteristic. Remember that there are 1 fewer zeros than the characteristic.
  - In the example above, the characteristic was  $\overline{1}$ . Therefore, we change 8,104 to 0.8104. Remember that a characteristic of  $\overline{1}$  means that there are no zeroes between the decimal point and 8.
- 6. Write a problem on the board: Find the antilog of  $\overline{7}$ . 5231.

7. Explain the solution to the pupils. Hold up the antilog tables to show how to find the answer, and write the answer on the board.

#### Solution:

- The fractional part of  $\bar{7}$ . 5231 is 0.5231. 0.5231 in the antilog tables gives 3335 (demonstrate this).
- The integer part of  $\overline{7}$ . 5231 is  $\overline{7}$ . This shows that we are going to write down six zeros between the decimal point and 5.
- Therefore, antilog  $\overline{7}$ . 5231 = 0.0000003335
- 8. Write on the board: Find the number whose logarithm is  $\bar{2}$ . 4875.
- 9. Write this on the board as both a logarithm and antilog:  $\log x = \overline{2}$ . 4875,  $x = \overline{2}$ antilog  $\bar{2}$ . 4875
- 10. Explain the solution to the pupils using the logarithm table, and write the answer on the board.
  - The fractional part of  $\overline{2}$ . 4875 is 0.4875. 0.4875 in the antilog tables gives 3073.
  - The integer  $\bar{2}$  shows that we should write 1 zero between the decimal and 3.
  - Therefore, the number whose logarithm is  $\bar{2}$ . 4875 is 0.03073.
- 11. Write 2 problems on the board: Find the antilogarithms of the following numbers:
  - 3.4785
- b.  $\bar{2}$ . 3045
- 12. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problems.
- 13. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 14. Invite two volunteers to write the answers on the board and explain using the antilog tables.

(Answer: a. Antilog  $\bar{3}$ . 4785 = 0.003009 b. Antilog  $\bar{2}$ . 3045 = 0.02016)

# **Practice** (13 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Find the antilogarithms of the following numbers:
  - a.  $\bar{1}$ . 4739
  - b.  $\bar{3}.8743$
  - c.  $\bar{2}$ , 7630
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. After 10 minutes, ask them to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite three volunteers to write their answers on the board.

#### Answers:

- a.  $\bar{1}.4739 = 0.2978$
- b.  $\overline{3}.8743 = 0.007487$
- c.  $\overline{2}$ . 7630 = 0.05794

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-T2-W13-L051 in the Pupil Handbook.

# [NOTE]

There is another way of finding the antilogarithm of a number less than 0. Explain this to pupils as needed.

You will find that if you use a scientific calculator, you get a different result from the results given in this lesson. Below, another method of calculating antilogarithms is given, which gives the same answer as the scientific calculator. For the purpose of these lessons and the WASSCE exam, the method described in the above lesson plan is preferable. This makes calculations with antilogarithms in later lessons more straightforward.

Example problems and solutions using the alternative method:

**Example 1.** Find the antilog of  $\overline{1}$ . 9087.

#### Solution:

Make  $\bar{1}$ . 9087 positive by adding 2, but also subtract 2 so it's equivalent.

$$-1.9087 = -2 + (2 - 1.9087)$$
$$= -2 + 0.0913$$
$$= -2.0913$$

Using the table, antilog of -2.0913 = 0.01234.

Therefore, antilog $\bar{1}$ . 9087 = 0.01234.

**Example 2.** Find the antilog of  $\overline{7}$ . 5231.

#### Solution:

Make  $\overline{7}$ . 5231 positive by adding 8, but also subtract 8 so it's equivalent.

$$-7.5231 = -8 + (8 - 7.5231)$$
$$= -8 + 0.4769$$
$$= -8.4769$$

Using the table, antilog of -8.4769 = 0.00000002998.

Therefore, antilog $\overline{7}$ . 5231 = 0.00000002998.

Lesson Title: Multiplication and division	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
using logarithms – Numbers less than 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L052	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to multiply and divide numbers less than 1 using logarithms.	Preparation	olems in Opening on the

#### Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Review logarithms and antilogarithms. Write the following problems on the board:
  - a. Find the logarithm of 0.00648
  - b. Find the anti-logarithm of  $\bar{1}$ . 0877
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 3. Ask volunteers to call out their answers. Write them on the board. (Answers: a.  $\overline{3.8116}$ ; b. 0.1224)
- 4. Revise log and antilog tables briefly if needed.
- 5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on the multiplication and division of numbers less than 1 using logarithms.

# **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Evaluate  $0.056 \times 0.95$
- 2. Remind pupils how to multiply numbers using logarithms.
  - We can multiply 2 numbers using logarithms.
  - There are 3 steps:
    - Find the logarithms of the numbers.
    - Add the logarithms.
    - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 3. Solve the problem on the board. Explain each step to pupils.

#### Solution:

**Step 1** and **Step 2.** Find the logarithms and add. Use the table as shown.

Numbers	Logarithms
0.056	2.7482
0.95	+ 1.9777
Add the logs for	2.7259
multiplication	2.7207

**Step 3.** Find the antilog of  $\overline{2}$ . 7259.

From the table, we have 5320. There is 1 zero after the decimal place, since the characteristic is  $\overline{2}$ . Therefore, the solution is 0.0532.

4. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate  $0.0978 \div 0.06$ 

#### 5. Explain the division rule:

- i. We can also divide 2 numbers using logarithms.
- ii. There are 3 steps:
  - Find the logarithms of the numbers.
  - Subtract the logarithm of the denominator from the numerator.
  - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 6. Explain: Note that for multiplication, the second step is to add the logarithms. For division, the second step is to subtract the logarithms.
- 7. Solve the problem on the board. Explain each step to pupils.

#### Solution:

**Step 1.** and **Step 2.** Find the logarithms and subtract. Use the table as shown.

Numbers	Logarithms
0.0978	2.9903
0.06	$-\bar{2}.7782$
Subtract the logs for division	0.2121

Step 3. Find the antilog of 0.2121.

From the table, we have 1,629. The integer part should be 1 digit, since the characteristic is 0. Therefore, the solution is 1.629.

#### 8. Explain:

- · Calculation using logarithms follows the laws of indices.
- Recall that the logarithms we are handling are based on powers of 10, although there is no need to write out the base 10 every time.
- Thus, when we add the logarithms for multiplication and subtract for division, this is similar to applying the multiplication and division rules for indices.
- 9. Write a problem on the board: Evaluate  $\frac{0.093\times0.062}{0.0036}$
- 10. Explain: When you multiply and divide more numbers, follow the same 3 steps.
- 11. Ask volunteers to give the 3 steps needed to solve the problem. (Answer: Find the logarithms of the numerator, add, find the logarithm of the denominator, subtract the answer of the denominator from the numerator and find the antilogarithm.)
- 12. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 13. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board and explain.

#### Solution:

Numbers	Logarithms
0.093	2.9685
0.062	<u>+2.7924</u>
	3.7609
0.0036	<u>-3.5563</u>
	0.2046

Using the antilog table for 0.2046, we find 1,602. The solution is 1.602.

- 14. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate  $\frac{0.008547}{0.367}$
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 16. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

Numbers	Logarithms
0.008547	3.9319
0.367	− 1.5647
	2.3672

Using the antilog table for  $\overline{2}$ . 3672, we find 2329. The solution is 0.02329.

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Evaluate  $0.7685 \times 0.03415$
  - b. Evaluate  $\frac{0.05427 \times 0.00462}{0.09876 \times 0.04}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Explain to the pupils about question b. above. Apply the normal order of operations. Find a single logarithm representing the numerator and a single logarithm representing the denominator. Then apply division (subtract).
- 4. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 5. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board. Other pupils to check their work.

#### Solutions:

a.

Number	Logarithm
0.7685	$\bar{1}.8857$
0.03415	2.5334
	2.4191

Using the antilog table for  $\overline{2}$ . 4191, we find 2,625. The solution is 0.02625.

b.

Multiply the numerator:

Number	Logarithm	
0.05427	2.7346	
0.00462	+ 3.6646	
		<del>4</del> .3992
0.09876	2.9946	
0.04	+ \(\bar{2}\).6021	
		$-\bar{3}.5967$
		2.8025

Using the antilog table for  $\overline{2}$ . 8025, we find 6346. The solution is 0.06346.

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L052 in the Pupil Handbook.

# [NOTE]

There is another way of multiplying and dividing logarithms, which uses the methods described in the notes at the end of lessons 50 and 51. The result of the calculations will be the same whether you use the method described in the lesson above, or that described below.

**Example 1.** Evaluate:  $\frac{0.093 \times 0.062}{0.0036}$ 

#### Solution:

Number	Logarithm
0.093	<u>1</u> .0315
0.062	+ 1.2076
0.0036	$ \bar{2}.2391 $ $ -\bar{2}.4437 $
0.0030	0.2046

Using the antilog table for 0.2046, we find 1602. The solution is 1.602.

#### **Example 2.** Evaluate $0.7685 \times 0.03415$

#### Solution:

Number	Logarithm
0.7685	$\overline{0}$ . 1144
0.03415	+ 1.4666
	₹.5810

Make  $\overline{1}.5810$  positive by adding 2, but also subtract 2 so it's equivalent.

$$-1.5810 = -2 + (2 - 1.5810)$$
$$= -2 + 04190$$
$$= \overline{2}.4190$$

Using the antilog table for  $\bar{2}$ . 4190, we find 2625. The solution is 0.02625.

Lesson Title: Powers and roots of	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
logarithms – Numbers less than 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L053	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to calculate powers and roots of	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Bring logarithm and antilogarithm	
be able to calculate powers and roots of	tables, available in the Term 1	
numbers less than 1 using logarithms.	Lesson Plans.	

#### Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write the following revision problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $0.005219 \times 0.0964$ .
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

## Solution:

Numbers	Logarithms	
0.005219	3.7175	
0.0964	+ 2.9841	
Add	<del>4</del> .7016	

Using the antilog table for  $\overline{4}$ . 7016, we have 5030. The solution is 0.000503.

- 4. Remind pupils of the steps to divide logarithms if needed: find the logarithms, subtract, then find the antilog.
- 5. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on calculating powers and roots of numbers less than 1 using logarithms.

# **Teaching and Learning** (24 minutes)

- 1. Explain finding powers with logarithms:
  - For very small numbers or decimal numbers, it is difficult to find the power without a calculator.
  - The product rule allows us to find the powers of numbers using logarithms.
  - We can find any power of numbers in a logarithm using the following steps:
    - Find the logarithm of the numbers.
    - Multiply the result by the power.
    - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 2. Write a problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $0.085^3$ .
- 3. Explain the solution to the pupils on the board.

#### Solution:

**Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 0.085 = \overline{2}.9294$ 

**Step 2.** Multiply by the power:  $\overline{2}$ . 9294  $\times$  3 =  $\overline{4}$ . 7882

**Step 3.** From the antilog table, we find 6141 for  $\overline{4}$ . 7882. Since the characteristic is  $\overline{4}$ , we add 3 zeros after the decimal. antilog  $\overline{4}$ . 7882 = 0.0006141.

You can also show the work in a table:

Number	Logarithm	
$0.085^{3}$	$\bar{2}$ . 9294	
	<u>× 3</u>	
	$\bar{4}$ . 7882	

From the antilog table we find 6,141. Therefore,  $0.085^3 = 0.0006141$ .

- 4. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate 0.59<sup>2</sup>.
- 5. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

#### Solution:

- **Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 0.59 = \overline{1}.7709$
- **Step 2.** Multiply by the power:  $\bar{1}.7709 \times 2 = \bar{1}.5418$
- **Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: Antilog  $\overline{1}$ . 5418 = 3481. The solution is 0.3481.
- 6. Explain finding roots with logarithms:
  - It is also difficult to find the roots of many numbers without a calculator. We can use logarithms to find roots.
  - We can find the square, cube or other roots of a number using the following steps:
    - Find the logarithm of the number.
    - Divide the result by the root.
    - Find the antilogarithm of the result.
- 7. Write a problem on the board: Use logarithms to evaluate  $\sqrt[4]{0.0007}$ .
- 8. Write the solution on the board, explaining each steps to pupils:
  - **Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 0.0007 = \overline{4}.8451$
  - **Step 2.** Divide by the root:  $\bar{4}.8451 \div 4 = \bar{1}.2113$
  - **Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: antilog  $\overline{1}$ . 2113 = 0.1627

Therefore  $\sqrt[4]{0.0007} = 0.1627$ 

You can also show the work in a table:

Number	Logarithm	
$\sqrt[4]{0.0007}$	<del>4</del> .8451	
	<u>÷ 4</u>	
	<u>1</u> . 2113	

antilog  $\overline{1}$ . 2113 = 0.1627; Therefore,  $\sqrt[4]{0.0007}$  = 0.1627

9. Write another problem on the board: Use the logarithm table to evaluate  $\sqrt{0.00429}$ .

10. Invite volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

Solution:

- **Step 1.** Find the logarithm:  $\log 0.00429 = \bar{3}.6325$
- **Step 2.** Divide by the root:  $\bar{3}.6325 \div 2 = \bar{2}.8163$
- **Step 3.** Find the antilogarithm: Antilog  $\overline{2}$ . 8163 = 0.06551

Therefore,  $\sqrt{0.00429} = 0.06551$ 

- 11. Write another problem on the board: Use logarithm tables to evaluate:
  - c.  $0.25^2 \times 0.417^3$
  - d.  $\sqrt[3]{(0.398)^2}$
- 12. Discuss: How do you think we will solve these problems? What steps will we take?
- 13. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - We apply the order of operations (BODMAS), and use the steps we know for solving powers, roots, and multiplication using logarithms.
  - We can find the logarithms of the numbers, and apply all of the operations necessary before applying the antilogarithm for the result.
  - For problem a., we will apply the powers to both numbers, then apply multiplication.
  - For problem b., we will apply the power, then apply the root.
- 14. Solve problem a. on the board, explaining each step.
  - Step 1. Draw the table and write the 2 terms of concern under "Number".
  - **Step 2.** In the second column, Find the logarithms, and write the multiplication for the powers.
  - **Step 3.** In the 3<sup>rd</sup> column, write the results of the multiplication and add them.
  - **Step 4.** Find the antilogarithm of the result.

Number	Logarithm	
$0.25^{2}$	$\bar{1}$ . 3979 × 2 =	2.7958
$0.417^{3}$	$\bar{1}.6201 \times 3 =$	$+\bar{2}.8603$
		3.6561

Antilog  $\bar{3}$ . 6561 = 0.004530

Therefore,  $0.25^2 \times 0.417^3 = 0.00453$ 

- 15. Solve problem b. on the board, explaining each step.
  - **Step 1.** Find the logarithm of 0.398.
  - **Step 2.** Find  $0.398^2$  by multiplying the logarithm by 2.
  - **Step 3.** Find  $\sqrt[3]{0.398^2}$  by dividing the result by 3.
  - **Step 4.** Find the antilogarithm of the result.

Number	Logarithm	
0.398	1.5999	
$0.398^2$	$\bar{1}.5999 \times 2 = \bar{1}.1998$	
$\sqrt[3]{0.398^2}$	$\bar{1}.1998 \div 3 = \bar{1}.7333$	

Anti $\log \bar{1}.7333 = 0.5412$ 

Therefore,  $\sqrt[3]{(0.398)^2} = 0.5412$ 

# Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board: Use logarithm tables to evaluate each of the following. Use a calculator to verify your results.
  - a.  $(0.267)^5$
  - b.  $\sqrt[3]{0.03887}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently or with seatmates.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to solve the problems on the board at the same time. Other pupils should check their work.

#### Solutions:

a.

Number	Logarithm	
$0.267^{5}$	$\bar{1}$ . 4265	
	<u>× 5</u>	
	3.1325	

Anti $\log 3.1325 = 0.001357$ 

Therefore,  $(0.267)^5 = 0.001357$ 

b.

Number	Logarithm	
$\sqrt[3]{0.03887}$	$\bar{2}.5896$	
	<u>÷ 3</u>	
	$\bar{1}$ . 5299	

Anti $\log \bar{1}.5299 = 0.3388$ 

Therefore,  $\sqrt[3]{0.03887} = 0.3388$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L053 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Laws of Logarithms – Part	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
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Lesson Number: M1-L054	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Bring logarithm tables.	
will be able to identify that $log_{10}(pq) =$		
$\log_{10} p + \log_{10} q.$		

# Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write the following revision problem on the board: Simplify  $6x^2 \times 4x^3$
- 2. Ask pupils to work with seatmates and solve the problem.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board (Answer:  $6x^2 \times 4x^3 = (6 \times 4)x^{2+3} = 24x^5$ ).
- 5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on the first law of logarithms.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Discuss: What is the rule when you multiply two indices with the same base together, for example  $x^2 \times x^3$ ? (Answer: The rule is that you keep the base and add the exponents.)
- 2. Write on the board:  $\log_a xy = \log_a x + \log_a y$
- 3. Explain:
  - This is the first law of logarithms.
  - Remember that logarithms are like exponents.
  - The log of a product is the sum of the logarithms of the 2 factors that give the product when multiplied.
  - The logarithms should all have the same base. Remember that when there is not a base given, we are working in base 10.
- 4. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\log 3 + \log 4$
- 5. Write the solution on the board and explain:  $\log 3 + \log 4 = \log(3 \times 4) = \log 12$
- 6. Explain:
  - The log of a sum is NOT the sum of the logs.
  - The log of a sum **cannot** be simplified  $(\log_a(x+y) \neq \log_a x + \log_a y)$ .
- 7. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\log_{10} 3 + \log_{10} 7$ .
- 8. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 9. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $\log_{10} 3 + \log_{10} 7 = \log_{10}(3 \times 7) = \log_{10}(21)$ )
- 10. Write on the board: Expand log<sub>2</sub> 20
- 11. Discuss:

- What do you think is meant by expand?
- Can you think of another way to write this logarithm?
- 12. Allow pupils to share ideas and explain: We can write it as the sum of the logarithms of any of its factors that multiply to give 20.
- 13. Invite volunteers to write the possible answers on the board. Example answers:
  - $\log_2 4 + \log_2 5$
  - $\log_2 2 + \log_2 2 + \log_2 5$
  - $\log_2 10 + \log_2 2$
  - $\log_2 20 + \log_2 1$
- 14. Write on the board: Expand  $\log_5 9x$ .
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 16. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 17. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $\log_5 9x = \log_5 9 + \log_5 x$ )
- 18. Write 4 more problems on the board. Simplify the following if possible. If not possible, write "impossible":
  - a.  $\log_4 x + \log_4 y$
  - b.  $\log_3 8 + \log_3 5$
  - c.  $\log_2(6p + 7)$
  - d.  $\log_4 3 + \log_7 5$
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 20. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board. (Answers: a.  $\log_4 xy$ ; b.  $\log_3 40$ ; c. impossible; d. impossible)
- 22. Explain:
  - For problem c., remember that we cannot simplify the logarithm of a sum.
  - For problem d., remember that we cannot combine logarithms with different bases. The bases must be the same.
- 23. Write another problem on the board: Given that  $\log_{10} 5 = 0.6990$  and  $\log_{10} 7 = 0.8451$ , calculate  $\log_{10} 35$ .
- 24. Ask any volunteer to expand  $\log_{10} 35$  on the board using the logarithms given in the problem. (Answer:  $\log_{10} 35 = \log_{10} 5 + \log_{10} 7$ )
- 25. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to substitute the values of  $\log_{10} 5$  and  $\log_{10} 7$ , and simplify.
- 26. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $\log_{10} 35 = \log_{10} 5 + \log_{10} 7 = 0.6990 + 0.8451 = 1.5441$ )
- 27. Ask pupils to find  $\log_{10} 35$  using the logarithm table. They should find the same answer, 1.5441.

## Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problems on the board: Given that  $\log_5 2 = 0.431$  and  $\log_5 3 = 0.682$ , find the values of: a.  $\log_5 6$  b.  $\log_5 8$  c.  $\log_5 12$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite three volunteers, one at a time, to write the solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$\log_5 6 = \log_5(2 \times 3)$$
  
 $= \log_5 2 + \log_5 3$   
 $= 0.431 + 0.682$   
 $= 1.113$   
b.  $\log_5 8 = \log_5(2 \times 2 \times 2)$   
 $= \log_5 2 + \log_5 2 + \log_5 2$   
 $= 0.431 + 0.431 + 0.431$   
 $= 1.293$   
c.  $\log_5 12 = \log_5(2 \times 2 \times 3)$   
 $= \log_5 2 + \log_5 2 + \log_5 3$   
 $= 0.431 + 0.431 + 0.682$   
 $= 1.544$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L054 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Laws of Logarithms – Part 2	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L055	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils  will be able to identify that $\log_{10}\left(\frac{p}{q}\right) = \log_{10}p - \log_{10}q.$	Preparation Write the problem in Opening on the board.	

# Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write the following revision problem on the board: Find the value of r:  $\log_5 0.04 = r$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$r = \log_5 0.04$$
  
 $5^r = 0.04$  Write in index form  
 $5^r = \frac{1}{25}$   
 $5^r = 25^{-1}$   
 $5^r = 5^{-2}$ 

5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on the division rule of logarithms.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Discuss: What is the rule when you divide two values with the same base (Example:  $a^5 \div a^2$ )? (Answer: Keep the base and subtract the exponents.)
- 2. Write on the board:  $\log_a \left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = \log_a x \log_a y$
- 3. Explain:
  - This is the second law of logarithms.
  - Remember that logarithms are like exponents.
  - When there is a quotient in the logarithm, you can subtract the logarithm of the divisor from the logarithm of the dividend.
  - Logarithms should have the same base to apply this law.
- 4. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\log 8 \log 2$
- 5. Write the solution on the board:  $\log 8 \log 2 = \log \left(\frac{8}{2}\right) = \log 4$
- 6. Explain:
  - The log of a difference is NOT the difference of the logs.

- The log of a difference **cannot** be simplified  $(\log_a(x-y) \neq \log_a x \log_a y)$ .
- 7. Write the following problem on the board: Expand  $\log_{10} \frac{10}{3}$ .
- 8. Write the solution on the board and explain:  $\log_{10} \frac{10}{3} = \log_{10} 10 \log_{10} 3$
- 9. Write another problem on the board: Express as a single logarithm:  $\log_3 21 \log_3 7$
- 10. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Solution:  $log_3 21 log_3 7 = log_3 (21 \div 7) = log_3 3$ )
- 12. Write 4 more problems on the board: Simplify the following if possible. If not possible, write "impossible":
  - a.  $\log_{10} 2x \log_{10} x$
  - b.  $\log_2 7 \log_3 7$
  - c.  $\log_7 81 \log_7 9$
  - d.  $\log(2x y)$
- 13. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 14. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 15. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board. (Solutions: a.  $\log_{10} \frac{2x}{x} = \log_{10} 2$ ; b. impossible; c.  $\log_7 \left(\frac{81}{9}\right) = \log_7 9$ ; d. impossible)
- 16. Write a problem on the board: Solve for x if  $x = \log_5 1 \log_5 25$
- 17. Discuss: How can we solve this problem? What steps would you take?
- 18. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - Simplify using the second law of logarithms, then apply what we know about the relationship between logarithms and indices.
  - We will solve using the steps we used in the opening problem.
- 19. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step:

#### Solution:

**Step 1.** Simplify: 
$$x = \log_5 1 - \log_5 25 = \log_5 \frac{1}{25}$$

**Step 2.** Write in index form: 
$$5^x = \frac{1}{25}$$

**Step 3.** Solve for 
$$x$$
:

$$5^{x} = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$5^{x} = 25^{-1}$$

$$5^{x} = 5^{-2}$$

$$x = -2$$

- 20. Write another problem on the board: Given that  $\log_5 2 = 0.431$  and  $\log_5 3 = 0.682$ , find the value of  $\log_5 \left(\frac{2}{3}\right)$ .
- 21. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 22. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

23. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $\log_5 2 - \log_5 3 = 0.431 - 0.682 = -0.251$ )

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write 4 problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\log_2 12 \log_2 4$ .
  - b. Expand: log 0.24.
  - c. Given that  $\log_{10} 7 = 0.8451$  and  $\log_{10} 3 = 0.4771$ , find  $\log_{10} \left(\frac{9}{7}\right)$ .
  - d. Find y if  $y = \log_3 6 + \log_3 6 \log_3 3$
- Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

#### **Solutions:**

a. 
$$\log_2 12 - \log_2 4 = \log_2 \frac{12}{4} = \log_2 3$$
  
b.  $\log 0.24 = \log_5 \left(\frac{24}{100}\right)$   
 $= \log 24 - \log 100$   
c.  $\log_{10} \left(\frac{9}{7}\right) = \log_{10} 9 - \log_{10} 7$   
 $= \log_{10} (3 \times 3) - \log_{10} 7$   
 $= \log_{10} 3 + \log_{10} 3 - \log_{10} 7$   
 $= 2\log_{10} 3 - \log_{10} 7$   
 $= 2\log_{10} 3 - \log_{10} 7$   
 $= 2(0.4771) - 0.8451$   
 $= 0.9542 - 0.8451$   
 $= 0.1091$   
d.  $y = \log_3 6 + \log_3 6 - \log_3 4$   
 $= \log_3 \frac{6 \times 6}{4}$   
 $= \log_3 \frac{36}{4}$   
 $y = \log_3 9$   
Index form:  $3^y = 9$   
 $3^y = 3^2$   
 $\therefore y = 2$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L055 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Laws of Logarithms – Part	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
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Lesson Number: M1-L056	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	<b>Preparation</b>	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problem in Opening on the	
will be able to identify that $\log_{10}(p^n) =$	board.	
$n\log_{10}p$ .		

#### Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Given that  $\log 10 = 1$  and  $\log 3 = 0.4771$ , find  $\log 0.3$ .
- 2. Discuss: What steps would you take? (Example answer: Rewrite log 0.3 as logarithms of 10 and 3 using the second law of indices, then substitute the given values.)
- 3. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently.
- 4. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 5. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### **Solution:**

$$\log 0.3 = \log \frac{3}{10}$$

$$= \log 3 - \log 10$$

$$= 0.4771 - 1$$

$$= -0.5229$$

6. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on powers within a logarithm.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $\log_a m^r = r \log_a m$
- 2. Explain:
  - When a logarithmic term has an exponent, the third law of logarithms says that we can transfer the exponent to the front of the logarithm.
  - In the statement on the board, the  $\log m$  with exponent r is r times the  $\log \log m$ .
  - This rule can also be used for expanding and simplifying logarithms.
- 3. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\log_{10} 3^5$
- 4. Write the answer on the board:  $\log_{10} 3^5 = 5 \log_{10} 3$
- 5. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\log_8 x^6$ .
- 6. Ask pupils to write the answer in their exercise books. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $\log_8 x^6 = 6\log_8 x$ )
- 7. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate  $\log_3 9$
- 8. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step:

#### Solution:

$$\log_3 9 = \log_3 3^2$$
 Substitute  $9 = 3^2$   
 $= 2\log_3 3$  Apply the power rule  
 $= 2 \times 1$  Substitute  $\log_3 3 = 1$   
 $= 2$ 

- 9. Remind pupils of these basic rules for simplifying logarithms:
  - $\log_a a = 1$ ; the logarithm of any number to the base of the same number is 1.
  - $\log_a 1 = 0$ ; the logarithm of one (1) in any base is zero.
- 10. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\log 0.9$  if  $\log 3 = 0.4771$ .
- 11. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step.

#### Solution:

$$\log 0.9 = \log \frac{9}{10}$$
Convert to a fraction
$$= \log 9 - \log 10$$
Apply the division rule
$$= \log 3^2 - \log 10$$
Substitute  $9 = 3^2$ 

$$= 2 \log 3 - \log 10$$
Apply the power rule
$$= 2(0.4771) - 1$$
Substitute  $\log 3 = 0.4771$  and  $\log 10 = 1$ 

$$= 0.9542 - 1$$

$$= -0.0458$$

- 12. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $2 \log_5 \left(\frac{4}{5}\right)$ .
- 13. Ask pupils to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give the steps, write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$2\log_{5}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right) = \log_{5}\left(\frac{4}{5}\right)^{2}$$

$$= \frac{4^{2}}{\log_{5}\frac{5^{2}}{5^{2}}}$$

$$= \log_{5}2^{4} - \log_{5}5^{2}$$

$$= 4\log_{5}2 - 2\log_{5}5$$

$$= 4\log_{5}2 - 2$$

## Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Given that  $\log_{10} 2 = 0.3010$  and  $\log_{10} 7 = 0.8451$ , calculate  $\log_{10} 2.8$ .
  - b. Find the value of  $\frac{\log_x 64}{\log_x 4}$ .
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently or with seatmates.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite two volunteers to write their answers on the board at the same time.

#### **Answers:**

a. 
$$\log_{10} 2.8 = \log_{10} \left(\frac{28}{10}\right)$$
  
 $= \log_{10} \left(\frac{7 \times 4}{10}\right)$   
 $= \log_{10} 7 + \log_{10} 4 - \log_{10} 10$   
 $= \log_{10} 7 + \log_{10} 2^2 - \log_{10} 10$   
 $= \log_{10} 7 + 2\log_{10} 2 - \log_{10} 10$   
 $= 0.8451 + 2(0.3010) - 1$   
 $= 0.8451 + 0.6020 - 1$   
 $= 0.4771$   
b.  $\frac{\log_x 64}{\log_x 4} = \frac{\log_x 4^3}{\log_x 4} = \frac{3\log_x 4}{\log_x 4} = 3$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L056 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Define and describe sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
and elements of a set		
Lesson Number: M1-L057	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to use various ways of writing and describing sets in terms of their members or elements.	Preparation Write the words board.	in Opening on the

## Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write these words on the board: banana, lemon, cabbage, onion, apple, lettuce, okra, orange, cherry, black beans, legumes and mango.
- 2. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to sort the objects on the board into groups. They may use any property they have in common.
- 3. Ask volunteers to raise their hands and call out the groups of objects and state the common property.

### **Example answers:**

Fruit: banana, lemon, apple, orange, cherry, and mango

Vegetables: cabbage, onion, lettuce, okra, black beans, and legumes

Note that pupils may also sort by colour, shape, size or another characteristic.

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on ways of writing and describing sets in terms of their members or elements.

## **Teaching and Learning** (25 minutes)

#### 1. Explain:

- A **set** is a collection of objects that have something in common or follow a rule.
- For example, the common groups of food we just listed are referred to as sets because they have common properties.
- We can have a set of vegetables and a set of fruit. We could have a set of green foods, or a set of round foods.
- 2. Ask volunteers to give the districts in Sierra Leone that start with letter "k". Write them on the board as a set:

K = {Kambia, Kono, Kailahun, Kenema, Koinadugu}

#### 3. Explain:

- This is the set K, which is the set of districts in Sierra Leone that start with the letter K. These districts share a common property, which is their first letter.
- When we talk about sets, we use a special language and notation.
- The objects which make up a set are called **elements** or members of the set.
- We list the elements of a set inside curly brackets.

- We usually use a capital letter for the name of the set (A, B, C, ...) and sometimes use lowercase letters (a, b, c, ...) for the elements of the set.
- 4. Write on the board: Kono  $\in K$
- 5. Explain: The symbol ( $\in$ ) means "is a member of". The element Kono is a member of set K.
- 6. Write on the board:  $B = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$
- 7. Write on the board:  $2 \in B$
- 8. Ask pupils to write statements that the other elements are members of *B* in their exercise books.
- 9. Invite volunteers to write the statements on the board. (Answers:  $4 \in B$ ,  $6 \in B$ ,  $8 \in B$ )
- 10. Write on the board:  $3 \notin A$
- 11. Explain: This statement says that 3 is not a member of *A*. The symbol ∉ means "is not a member of".
- 12. Write the following problem on the board: M is the set of months of the year with an even number of letters. Write the set M.
- 13. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to list the set in their exercise books.
- 14. Invite any volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer: M={February, June, July, August, November, December})
- 15. Write on the board: n(M) = 6.
- 16. Explain:
  - A "cardinality of a set" or the "cardinal number of a set" is the number of elements in the set. It is denoted like this, with the letter n and brackets.
  - This statement says that the set M has 6 elements.
- 17. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to find the cardinality of K, the set of districts that start with K.
- 18. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer: n(K) = 5)
- 19. Write on the board:  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 1,000\}$
- 20. Discuss: What is the cardinality of this set? (Answer: n(A) = 1,000)
- 21. Explain: Sometimes the members of set may be too many for us to list them all. For example, the set *A* of integers from 1 to 1,000. It is tedious to list all its members so we usually list few of the first elements continue with three dots (...) and write the last number.
- 22. Write on the board:  $B = \{2, 4, 6, 8, ...\}$
- 23. Explain: This is the set *B* of all even numbers. It continues forever, so does not have a cardinality.
- 24. Write three problems on the board:
  - a. Write the set P of prime numbers between 1 and 15.
  - b. List all the elements of the set of odd prime numbers between 1 and 20.
  - c. Describe the set {10, 20, 30, ...} in words.
- 25. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.

- 26. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 27. Invite three volunteers to write the answers on the board one after another.

#### **Answers:**

- a.  $P = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13\}$
- b. {3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19}
- c. The set of multiples of 10.

## Practice (11 minutes)

- 1. Write the following three problems on the board:
  - a. Describe the set in words: {1, 2, 3, ...}
  - b. List the elements of set *Q* and determine its cardinality:

 $Q = \{\text{even numbers between 7 and 29}\}$ 

c. If  $P = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$ , insert the appropriate symbol ( $\in$  or  $\notin$ ) in the blank spaces:

iv. 9 P v. -5 P

- i. 1 \_\_ P ii. 0 \_\_ P iii. 7 \_\_ P 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 3. Allow them to solve the problems in their exercise books.
- 4. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 5. Invite three volunteers to write their answers on the board at the same time. (Answers: a. Example answers: The set of the counting numbers; positive integers; positive whole numbers. b.  $Q = \{8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28\}; n(Q) = 11; c. i. <math>1 \in P$ , ii.  $0 \notin P$ , iii.  $7 \in P$ , iv.  $9 \notin P$ , v.  $-5 \notin P$ )

## Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L057 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Define and describe sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
and elements of a set		
Lesson Number: M1-L058	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to use various ways of writing and describing sets in terms of their members or elements.	Preparation Write the exercise the board.	se from Opening on

## Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Write the set A of counting numbers greater than 50 but less than 1001.
  - b. List all the members of the set of months of the year with an odd number of letters.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise book.
- 3. Invite any volunteers to solve the problem simultaneously on the board. (Answers: a.  $A = \{51, 52, 53, ... 1000\}$ ; {January, March, April, May, September, October})
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on writing and interpreting sets using set notation.

## **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $Q = \{x \mid x \text{ is a district in Sierra Leone}\}$
- 2. Read the statement aloud and have pupils repeat: *Q* is the set of *x* such that *x* is a district in Sierra Leone.
- 3. Explain:
  - Here, the set Q is given by a property, instead of listing the members.
  - This is another way of writing a set. We call this "set-builder notation".
  - Set-builder notation involves describing a set in terms of its characteristic or property, where only those with that property are considered elements.
  - The members of set Q are all of the districts in Sierra Leone.
  - In this example, *x* is used as a symbol to represent a member of the set under consideration.
  - The vertical line | is read as "such that".
- 4. Write on the board:  $P = \{x \mid x > 0\}$   $P = \{x : x > 0\}$
- 5. Explain: These statements say the same thing. We can write set-builder notation using either a vertical bar ( | ) or a colon ( : ).
- 6. Discuss: What are the elements of set P? (Answer: P is numbers greater than 0; it is the set of all positive numbers.)
- 7. Write another example on the board:  $A = \{n \mid -3 < n < 3\}$

- 8. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to list the elements of A.
- 9. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2\}$ )
- 10. Write the following problem on the board: Use set-builder notation to describe the set of Sierra Leonean tribes.
- 11. Invite any volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $\{x: x \text{ is a Sierra Leonean tribe}\}$ )
- 12. Write the sets on the board:
  - $A = \{x: x > 0\}$
  - $B = \{x | x \neq 11\}$
  - $C = \{x: x < 5\}$
- 13. Read each set out loud, and have pupils repeat. They are read as:
  - A: The set of all *x* such that *x* is a number greater than zero.
  - B: The set of all x such that x is any number except 11.
  - C: The set of all x such that x is any number less than 5.
- 14. Write on the board: List the members of the following sets and determine the cardinality of each:
  - a.  $A = \{x : x \text{ is a multiple of 5 but less than 60} \}$ .
  - b.  $B = \{x: 2 \le x \le 15, \text{ where } x \text{ is an integer} \}$
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problems.

Invite volunteers to write the answers on the board. (Answers: a. A =

$$\{5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50, 55\}; n(A) = 11; b. B =$$

- $\{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15\}; n(B) = 14\}$
- 16. Write on the board: Write in set-builder notation:  $A = \{-3, -2, -1, ..., 3\}$
- 17. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 18. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{x : x \text{ is an integer between } -4 \text{ and } 4\}$  or  $A = \{x : -4 < x < 4\}$ .)

#### Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problems on the board:
  - a. List the elements of each set and determine the number of elements:
    - i.  $E = \{x: 18 < x \le 23\}.$
    - ii.  $Q = \{x: x \text{ is an even number between 5 and 35} \}$
    - iii.  $C = \{x: x \text{ is a multiple of 5 but less than 50} \}$
  - b. Use set-builder notation to describe the set of prime integers.
  - c. List the elements of the set  $A = \{x : x \text{ is a month of the year that doesn't have } 31 \text{ days} \}$ .
  - d. Write in set-builder notation:  $B = \{0, 1, 2, 3, ..., 100\}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 3. Allow them to solve the problems in their exercise books.

- 4. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 5. Invite volunteers to write their answers on the board at the same time.

#### **Answers:**

a. i.  $E = \{19, 20, 21, 22, 23\}; n(E) = 5$ ii.  $Q = \{6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34\}; n(Q) = 15$ iii.  $C = \{5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45\}; n(C) = 9$ b.  $\{x: x \text{ is a prime number}\}$ c.  $A = \{\text{February, April, June, September, November}\}$ d.  $B = \{x \mid 0 \le x < 100\}$ 

## Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L058 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Finite and infinite sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L059	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to define and identify	Preparation Write the exercise in Opening on the board.	
finite and infinite sets.	board.	

## Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write a revision problem on the board: List the elements of the set  $Q = \{x : x \text{ is a prime number less than } 15\}$  and determine the number of elements of the set.
- 2. Ask pupils to write the answer in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, \}$ ; n(A) = 6)
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on finite and infinite sets.

## **Teaching and Learning** (23 minutes)

- 1. Discuss and allow pupils to share their ideas:
  - What is the meaning of finite? (Answer: Something is finite if it has an end, or a definite number.)
  - What is the meaning of infinite? (Answer: Something is infinite if it continues forever without ending.)
- 2. Write 2 sets on the board:  $P = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}$   $Q = \{0, 1, 2, 3, ...\}$
- 3. Discuss:
  - How many elements are there in P? (Answer: 7 elements)
  - How many elements are there in Q? (Answer: An infinite number of elements.)
- 4. Explain:
  - Set P is finite, because it has an end. Set Q is infinite, because it continues on forever.
  - A set is finite if it comes to an end, and infinite if it does not end.
  - An infinite set is uncountable, and the last element cannot be found.
  - We add "ellipses" (...) at the end of infinite sets to show that the elements go on forever.
- 5. Write on the board: n(P) = 7
- 6. Explain: We can only use set notation to give the cardinality of a finite set.
- 7. Write on the board:  $Q = \{natural\ numbers\ less\ than\ 25\}.$
- 8. Ask pupils: Is this a finite or infinite set? How do you know?
- 9. Give a few moments for pupils to discuss this with seatmates.
- 10. Have any volunteer to share their answer. (Answer: It is finite because we can list and count all its members.)

- 11. Ask a volunteer to tell how many elements there are in Q. Write the answer on the board. (Answer: n(Q) = 24).
- 12. Write on the board:  $Q = \{1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 24\}$ .
- 13. Remind pupils that this is how we can list out the elements of Q. We use ellipses (...) in the middle of finite sets to write a long list of elements.
- 5. Write two examples of infinite sets on the board:
  - a.  $Z = \{3, 6, 9, 12, \dots\}$
  - b.  $W = \{0, 1, 2, 3, ...\}$
- 6. Ask volunteers to describe the sets in their own words. For example:
  - a. The set of all positive multiples of 3
  - b. The set of numbers equal to or greater than 0.
- 7. Write 2 problems on the board:
  - a. If A is the set of letters in the word "hello", write the elements of set A and find n(A).
  - b. *C* is the set of numbers which are multiples of 4. Write down the elements of *C* and state whether *C* is finite or infinite.
- 8. Ask pupils to discuss the problem with seatmates and write down the answers.
- 9. Ask volunteers to share their answers with the class. Allow discussion.

#### **Answers:**

- a.  $A = \{h, e, l, o\}; n(A) = 4$ . Note hat l is not repeated in set notation, and A is a finite set.
- b.  $C = \{4, 8, 12, 16, ...\}$  and C is an infinite set.
- 10. Write another problem on the board: State which of the following sets are finite and which are infinite:
  - a. The set of integers divisible by 5.
  - b. The set of counting numbers greater than 11.
  - c.  $\{x: x \text{ is a positive integer, } x < 10\}$
  - d. {2, 4, 6, ..., 100}
- 11. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates
- 12. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 13. Ask any four volunteers to write their answers on the board. (Answers: a. infinite; b. infinite; c. finite; d. finite.)

### Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: State whether each of the following sets is finite or infinite. For finite sets, list the elements and write the cardinality.
  - a.  $S = \{x : x \text{ is a multiple of } 10\}$
  - b.  $T = \{1, 2, 3, ...\}$
  - c.  $A = \{-2 < x \le 3\}$

- d.  $Q = \{x : x \text{ is a vowel in the English alphabet}\}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite volunteers one at a time to write their answers on the board. (Answers: a. infinite; b. infinite; c. finite,  $= \{-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$ , n(A) = 6; d. finite,  $Q = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$ ; n(Q) = 5.)

## Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L059 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Null/empty, unit and	Theme: Numbers and	Numeration
universal sets		
Lesson Number: M1-L060	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to define and identify null/empty sets, unit sets, and universal sets.	Preparation Write the exercise board.	se in Opening on the

## Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: State whether each set is finite or infinite:
  - a.  $\{a, b, c, d, ..., z\}$
  - b.  $s = \{s: x^2 81 = 0\}$
  - c.  $T = \{x: x \text{ is a triangle}\}$
  - d.  $Q = \{..., 3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, ...\}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Ask four volunteers to call out their answers. (Answers: a. finite; b. finite; c. infinite; d. infinite)
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on defining and identifying null/empty set, unit set and universal sets.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $M = \{\}$   $M = \emptyset$
- 2. Explain null/empty set:
  - The 2 statements on the board say the same thing. The set *M* doesn't have any elements.
  - *M* is called a null set, or empty set. A null or empty set is a set that does not contain anything.
  - It can be symbolised with empty, curly brackets or the null symbol  $(\emptyset)$ .
- 3. Give examples of null sets, and encourage volunteers to give their own examples:
  - A set of dogs with six legs.
  - The sets of integers which are both even and odd numbers.
- 4. Write the problems on the board: Find the elements of  $A = \{ \text{odd numbers divisible by } 2 \}$
- 5. Allow 1 minute for the pupils to discuss with seatmates.
- 6. Allow pupils to share their ideas with the class, then explain that there is no odd number that can be divided by 2.
- 7. Write on the board:  $A = \{\}$
- 8. Write on the board:  $B = \{0\}$

- 9. Discuss: What kind of set is B? How many elements does it have?
- 10. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain unit sets:
  - *B* is not empty. It has 1 element, which is the number 0.
  - *B* is known as a unit set, or a singleton. This is a set with exactly one element.
- 11. Give examples of unit sets, and encourage volunteers to give their own examples:
  - Months with 28 days.
  - Current presidents of Sierra Leone.
- 12. Write on the board:  $U = \{all \text{ students in the school}\}$
- 13. Explain universal set:
  - A universal set is the set of all elements or objects under consideration.
  - We can use sets to discuss different groups of pupils in the school. For example, we have Form one, Form two and Form three students in the school.
     We have female and male students in the school. The universal set is the set of all pupils under consideration; in other words, all pupils in the school.
  - A universal set is denoted by E or U.
- 14. Write on the board. Given that  $U = \{5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\}$ , list the elements of the following sets:
  - a.  $A = \{x: x \text{ is a factor of } 60\}$
  - b.  $B = \{x: x \text{ is a prime number}\}.$
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the elements of set A, the factors of 60, using **only** the elements of the universal set on the board.
- 16. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{5, 6, 10, 12\}$ )
- 17. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the elements of set B, the set of prime numbers, using **only** the elements of the universal sets. (Answer:  $B = \{5,7,11\}$ ).
- 18. Discuss and make sure pupils understand the difference between the 3 types of sets:
  - Remember the set written as {} is an empty set. It contains nothing. The set written as {0} is not an empty set. It is a unit set containing one element. The universal set is the set of all elements under consideration.
- 19. Write three problems on the board:
  - a. Let  $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, ..., 10\}$ . List the elements of the set  $A = \{\text{numbers less than 7}\}$ .
  - b. State whether each of the following is a null set or unit set:
    - i. {Sierra Leoneans who are 4 m tall}
    - ii.  $\{x: x \text{ is an integer, and } 3 + x = 10\}$
    - iii. {secondary students of age 3 years}
- 20. Ask pupil to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 21. Go round and check to see what they are doing. Clear any misconception.
- 22. Invite volunteers to write down their answers on the board. (Answer: a.  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$ ; b. i. Null set; ii. Unit set; iii. Null set)

### Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problems on the board:
  - Decide whether each of the following is an empty set or a unit set:
    - i. {teachers with two heads}
    - ii. {months with 32 days}
  - iii. {days of the week that start with M}
  - iv. {whole numbers which have only one factor}
  - v. {months with 3 letters}
  - Given that  $U = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j\}$ , list the elements of the following:
    - i.  $V = \{vowels\}$
    - ii.  $C = \{ \text{letters of the word "cabbag"} \}$
    - iii.  $T = \{\text{letters of the word "teacher"}\}$
- 2. Ask pupil to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite volunteers to write their answers on the board. (Answers: a. i. empty set; ii. empty set; iii. unit set; iv. unit set; v. unit set; b. i.  $V = \{a, e, i, \}$ ; ii.  $C = \{c, a, b, g, e\}$ ; iii.  $T = \{e, a, c, h\}$ )

## Closing (1minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L060 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Equivalent and equal sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L061	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the exercise problem in the	
will be able to define and identify	practice section on the board.	
equivalent and equal sets.		

### Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Define the following terms in one sentence:
  - a. Null/empty set. b. Unit set c. Universal Set
- 2. Ask pupils to write the sentences in their exercise books.
- 3. Ask volunteers to read out their answers. Allow multiple volunteers to share and discuss.

## Example answers:

- a. A null/empty set is a set that does not contain any element in it.
- b. A unit set is a set with exactly one element.
- c. A universal set is a set of all elements under consideration.
- 4. Explain that today's lesson is on defining and identifying equivalent and equal sets.

## Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $A = \{1, 5, 7\}$  and  $B = \{a, b, c\}$ .
- 2. Discuss: What do you notice about the two sets on the board? Are there any similarities?
- 3. Allow volunteers to share their ideas. (Answer: They have the same number of elements; n(A) = 3 and n(B) = 3.).
- 4. Explain Equivalents Sets:
  - Two sets are equivalent if they have the same number of elements. The examples *A* and *B* on the board are equivalent.
  - Another way to say this is that they have the same cardinality. There is one-toone correspondence, which means that for each element in the set A, there
    exists an element in the set B till the sets get exhausted.
- 5. Write on the board:  $A \leftrightarrow B$
- 6. Explain: This is the symbol we use to show that 2 sets are equivalent
- 7. Explain:
  - All the null / empty sets are equivalent to each other.
  - Not all infinite sets are equivalent to each other. For example, consider the set
    of all real numbers (which includes decimals, fractions, surds, and so on.) and
    the set of integers. It seems that there are more real numbers, although both
    sets are infinite.

- 8. Write on the board: If  $A = \{x : x \text{ is a natural number less than 6} \}$  and  $B = \{x : x \text{ is a vowel of English alphabet} \}$ , show that the sets are equivalent.
- 9. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 10. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   $B = \{a, e, i, o, u\}$ ; n(A) = n(B) = 5).
- 11. Write on the board:  $P = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $Q = \{2, 3, 1\}$
- 12. Discuss: What do you notice about the two sets on the board? Are there any similarities?
- 13. Allow volunteers to share their ideas. (Answer: They have the same elements; P = Q)

### 14. Explain **Equal Sets:**

- Equal sets are sets which have the same members. The examples *P* and *Q* on the board are equivalent because they contain exactly the same elements.
- The order in which the members of a set are written does not matter.
- 15. Write on the board: P = Q
- 16. Explain: We use an equals sign to show that 2 sets are equal.
- 17. Write on the board:  $A = \{dog, cat, horse\}$  and  $B = \{cat, horse, dog, dog\}$ .
- 18. Discuss: Can you say if they are equal sets or equivalent sets?
- 19. Ask pupils to think about this for 1 minute and write down any ideas they have.
- 20. Ask any volunteers to share their ideas with the class, then explain:
  - Set *A* has 3 unique elements and set *B* also has 3 unique elements and can be written as {cat, horse, dog}. Therefore, the 2 sets are equal because they have exactly the same elements.
  - To be equal, every element of set A must be in set B. Every element in set B must be in set A. This is true for these sets.
  - Set A and B are also equivalent because they have the same number elements n(A) = n(B) = 3.
- 21. Write on the board: All equal sets are equivalent but not all equivalent sets are equal.
- 22. Write on the board.  $\{P = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\} \ Q = \{2, 1, 4, 5, 3\}, \ R = \{a, b, c, d, e\}. \ S = \{Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday\}.$
- 23. Ask pupils to discuss with seatmates which of these sets are equal and which are equivalent to each other.
- 24. Have pupils from around the classroom volunteer to give their answers. (Answer: P, Q, R, S are equivalents sets because n(P) = n(Q) = n(R) = n(S) = 5;. P and Q are equal sets.).
- 25. Write on the board: Identify the equal and equivalent sets from the following:
  - a. {1, 2, 3, 4, 5} and {7, 6, 3, 4, 5}
  - b. {3, 5, 7, 9, ...} and {prime numbers}
  - c.  $\{x: 3x = 9\}$  and  $\{3\}$
  - d. {odd numbers from 1 to 10} and {1, 2, 3, 4, 5}
  - e. {months with 5 letters} and {March, April}

- f. { } and {2}
- g. {days of the week} and {2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 15}
- h.  $\{x \mid -1 \le x < 3\}$  and  $\{-1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$
- 26. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 27. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 28. Ask volunteers to share their answers with the class. Make sure everyone understands. (Answers: Equivalent sets: a, c, d, e, g, h; Equal sets: c, e, h)

### Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problems on the board:
  - a. The 4 sets *A*, *B*, *C*, and *D* are described below:

$$A = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$$

 $B = \{x : x \text{ is a letter of the word LOVE}\}$ 

 $C = \{x : x \text{ is a letter of the word ALLOY}\}$ 

 $D = \{x : x \text{ is a letter of the word LOYAL}\}$ 

Use  $\leftrightarrow$  (is equivalent to) or = (is equal to) to write as many statements as you can using these 4 sets.

- b. What is the difference between equivalent and equal sets? Write 1 sentence.
- 2. Ask pupil to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to write their answers on the board. (Answers: a. All of the sets are equivalent because they all have 4 elements: A ← B; A ← C; A ← D; B ← C; B ← D; C ← D; Only C and D are equal, C = D; b. Two sets are said to be equivalent if they have exactly the same number of elements while two sets are said to be equal if they have exactly the same members.)

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L061 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Subsets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L062	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the exercise in the practice	
be able to:	section on the board.	
Describe and identify subsets of a		
given set.		
Represent subsets with Venn		
diagrams.		
3. Use the correct symbols for		
intersection.		

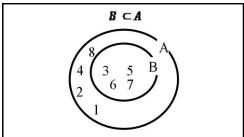
## Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write a problem on the board. List the elements of the following sets:  $P = \{x : x \text{ is a multiple of 4 less than 30}\}$ ,  $Q = \{x : x \text{ is an even number between 7 and 29}\}$ .
- 2. Allow time for pupils to list the elements of the two sets.
- 3. Ask volunteers to raise their hands to share answers. Write the answers on the board. (Answer:  $P = \{4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28\}$ ;  $Q = \{8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28\}$ ).
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is to describe, identify and represent subsets with Venn diagrams.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $A = \{1,2,3,4,5\}$  and  $B = \{1,2,3\}$ .
- 2. Ask pupils what they notice about the 2 sets, and allow them to share their ideas.
- 3. Explain:
  - If every element in set B is present in set A, then B is a subset of A.
  - In this example, the 3 elements of B (1, 2, and 3) are in the set A. Therefore, B is a subset of A.
  - We use a special notation for this relationship between the two sets.
- 4. Write on the board:  $\{1, 2, 3\} \subset \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$   $(B \subset A)$
- 5. Explain:
  - This is the symbol that shows subset.
  - This is read as "set *B* is a subset of set *A*".
  - It can also be read as "B contained A".
- 7. Explain: The symbol ⊂ means "subset of" and ⊄ means "not a subset of".
- 6. Write on the board:  $P = \{1, 3, 4\}$  and  $Q = \{1, 4, 3, 2\}$
- 7. Discuss: Are either of these sets a subset of the other?

- 8. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain: P is a subset of Q, because every element in P is also in Q.
- 9. Write on the board:  $P \subset Q$  but  $Q \not\subset P$
- 10. Explain:
  - This says that *P* is a subset of *Q* but *Q* is not a subset of *P*.
  - There is an element in Q (2) that is not in P.
- 11. Write on the board:  $A = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8\}$  and  $B = \{3, 5, 6, 7\}$ .
- 12. Ask pupils to write a subset statement in their exercise books. Invite a volunteer to write the statement on the board. (Answer:  $B \subset A$ )
- 13. Explain:
  - We can draw a Venn diagram showing the relationship between sets A and B.
  - B is a subset of A, so it will be inside of A.
- 14. Draw the Venn diagram as shown:



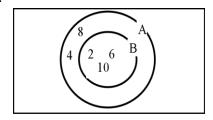
## 15. Explain:

- The elements 3, 5, 6, 7 are in A and B.
- The elements 1, 2, 4, 8 are in A but they are not in B.
- 16. Write on the board:  $C = \{5, 8\}$
- 17. Discuss: Is this a subset of A or B? (Answer: It is a subset of A, because both 5 and 8 appear in A.)
- 18. Ask pupils to write down 3 more subsets of set A in their exercise books.
- 19. Invite volunteers to write their answers on the board. (Example answers:  $\{1, 2, 4, 8\}, \{3, 4\}, \{6\}, \{4\}$ )
- 20. Write on the board:  $\{\ \} \subset A$ .
- 21. Explain:
  - This says "the empty set is a subset of *A*".
  - The empty set has nothing in it, and one of the subset of set *A* also has nothing in it. Therefore, the empty set { } is a subset of *A*.
- 22. Write the following problem on the board. If  $A = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10, \}$  and  $B = \{2, 6, 10\}$ 
  - a. Use the set notation to write B is the subset of A.
  - b. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate the relationship between sets *A* and *B*.
- 23. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 24. Walk around to check their answers and clear misconceptions.

25. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board.

### **Answers:**

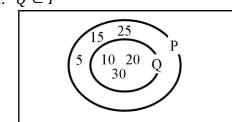
- a.  $B \subset A$
- b.



## Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board.
  - a.  $P = \{5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30\}$  and  $Q = \{10, 20, 30\}$ . Use set notation to write that set Q is a subset of set P and illustrate the two sets in a Venn diagram.
  - b. Write all the subsets you can find for the set  $\{p, q, r\}$ .
- 2. Ask pupils to answer the question independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around the classroom to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write their answers on the board and explain.

  Answers:
  - a.  $Q \subset P$



b. { }, {p}, {q}, {r}, {p, q}, {p, r}, {q, r}, {p, q, r}

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L062 in the Pupil Handbook.

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Lesson Title: Intersection of 2 Sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L063	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the exer	cise in Opening on the
be able to:	board.	
1. Describe and identify the intersection of		
2 sets.		
2. Represent the intersection of 2 sets with		
a Venn diagram.		
3. Use the correct symbols for		
intersection.		

## Opening (3 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board:
  - a. Write the following in symbols:
    - i. C is a subset of M.
    - ii. {apple} is an element of the universal set.
  - b. Write the following in words:
    - i. A⊂B ii. D∉F
- 2. Allow pupils to solve the problems in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the answers on the board. (Answers: a. i.  $C \subset M$ ; ii. apple  $\in U$ ; b. i. A is a subset of B; ii. D is not an element of F).
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is describing, identifying and representing the intersection of two sets.

## **Teaching and Learning** (26 minutes)

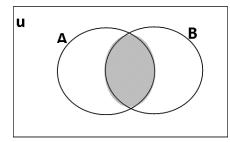
- 1. Explain: The intersection of the two sets *A* and *B* is the set that contains all elements of *A* that also belongs to *B* (or all elements of *B* that also belongs to *A*) but no other elements.
- 2. Write on the board:

*A*: {1 orange, 1 pineapple, 1 banana, 1 apple}

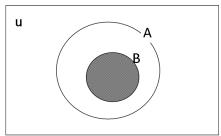
B: {1 spoon, 1 orange, 1 knife, 1 fork, 1 apple}

- 3. Discuss: Do A and B have any common elements? What are they? (Answer: They have common elements "1 orange" and "1 apple")
- 4. Write on the board:  $A \cap B = \{1 \text{ orange}, 1 \text{ apple}\}$
- 5. Explain:
  - The intersection of the two sets *A* and *B* is the set of elements that are common to both set *A* and set *B*.
  - It is denoted with the symbol on the board ( $\cap$ ) and is read "A intersection B".

- Basically, we can find the intersection by looking for the elements that 2 sets have in common.
- 6. Explain:
  - The intersection of the two sets can be drawn using a Venn diagram.
  - A Venn diagram is an important tool allowing relationships between sets to be visualised graphically.
- 7. Draw the Venn diagrams on the board:
  - a.  $A \cap B$



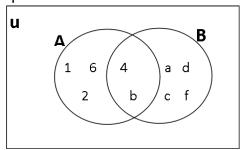
b.  $B \subset A$ 



- 8. Explain:
  - These Venn diagrams show intersections of sets. The shaded portion shows the intersection of the two sets *A* and *B*.
  - In Venn diagram b, B is also a subset of A. Their intersection is the entire set B.
- 9. Write a problem on the board: Consider the following two sets *A* and *B*.

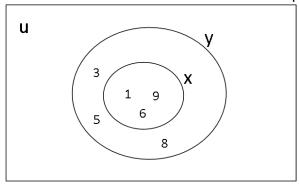
$$A = \{b, 1, 2, 4, 6\}$$
 and  $B = \{4, a, b, c, d, f\}$ 

- a. Find  $A \cap B$
- b. Draw one Venn diagram to illustrate both sets.
- 10. Ask pupils to write in their exercise books the elements that are common in set A and B. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $A \cap B = \{4, b\}$ )
- 11. Draw the Venn diagram for part *b* on the board:



- 12. Write on the board:  $X \subset Y$ , then  $X \cap Y = X$ .
- 13. Explain: This is what we saw in Venn diagram b; if one set is the subset of another, then the intersection is the entire subset.
- 14. Write on the board:  $X = \{1, 6, 9\}$  and  $Y = \{1,3,5,6,8,9\}$ . Find  $X \cap Y$ , and draw a Venn diagram to show the relationship.
- 15. Ask volunteers to give the elements of  $X \cap Y$ , and write it on the board. (Answer:  $X \cap Y = \{1, 6, 9\}$ )

- 16. Explain to the pupils that  $X \cap Y = \{1, 6, 9\}$  is equal to set X. This shows that  $X \cap Y = X$ .
- 17. Draw the Venn diagram on the board to illustrate the relationship.



18. Write another problem on the board: Consider the following sets:

$$A = \{1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10\}$$

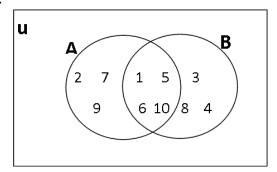
$$B = \{1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10\}$$

- a. Find  $A \cap B$
- b. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate both sets.
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 20. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board.

#### **Answers:**

c. 
$$A \cap B = \{1, 5, 6, 10\}$$

d.



# Practice (10 minutes)

1. Write a problem on the board: Use the sets to answer the questions:

 $A = \{x: x \text{ is a number bigger than 4 and smaller than 8}\}$ 

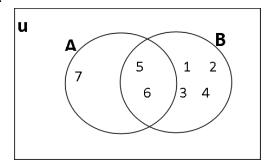
 $B = \{x: x \text{ is a positive number smaller than 7}\}$ 

- a. Find the elements of set *A* and set *B*.
- b. Find  $A \cap B$ .
- c. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate the relationship of set *A* and set *B*.
- 2. Ask pupils to work independently to solve the problem on the board.

- 3. Allow pupils to discuss their answers.
- 4. Ask volunteers to give their answers and explain to the class. All other pupils should check their work.

### **Answers:**

- a.  $A = \{5, 6, 7\}; B = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6\}$
- b.  $A \cap B = \{5, 6\}$
- C.



# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L063 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Intersections of 3 sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L064	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on the	
be able to:	board.	
Describe and identify the intersection of		
3 sets.		
2. Represent the intersection of 3 sets with		
a Venn diagram.		

## Opening (4 minutes)

1. Write a problem on the board. Write down the intersection of the sets:

$$A = \{10, 20, 30, ..., 100\}$$
 and  $B = \{multiples of 5 between 1 and 50\}$ 

- 2. Allow pupils to share ideas and ask them to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board and explain. (Answer: if  $A = \{10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 70, 80, 90, 100\}$  and

$$B = \{5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40, 45, 50\}; \text{ then } A \cap B = \{10, 20, 30, 40, 50\}.$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on identifying the intersection of three (3) sets and representing the intersection of 3 sets with a Venn diagram.

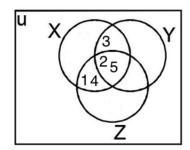
## **Teaching and Learning** (21 minutes)

- 1. Explain: The intersection of three sets X, Y and Z is the set of elements that are common to sets X, Y and Z.
- 2. Write on the board:  $X \cap Y \cap Z$
- 3. Explain:
  - This is read as "X intersection Y intersection Z".
  - It denotes the set of elements that are common to all 3 sets.
- 4. Write on the board:

$$Y: \{2, 3, 5\}$$

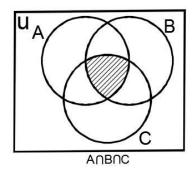
$$Z: \{1, 2, 4, 5\}$$

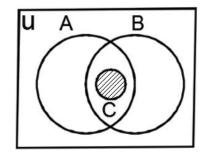
- 5. Ask pupils to identify and write down the elements that are common in the sets X, Y and Z.
- 6. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer: 2 and 5)
- 7. Write on the board:  $X \cap Y \cap Z = \{2,5\}$ .
- 8. Explain:
  - This conclusion is reached by looking for the elements that are common in the three sets.
  - The intersection of the three sets can be shown using a Venn diagram.
- 9. Draw on the board:



### 10. Explain:

- This Venn diagram shows the intersection of X, Y, and Z.
- The space in the middle where all 3 circles intersect contains 2 and 5.
- The other numbers (1, 3, and 4) are each contained in 2 sets. They are in the spaces where only 2 sets overlap.
- 11. Draw the illustrative Venn diagrams of intersections of 3 sets on the board:

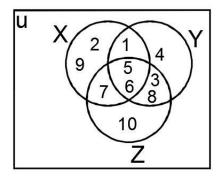




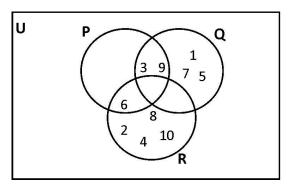
#### 12. Explain:

- The shaded parts show the intersection of 3 sets on a Venn diagram.
- In the second Venn diagram, set C is contained in A and B. This means that all of the elements in C also appear in A and B.
- 13. Write a problem on the board. Consider the following sets:  $X = \{1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 9\}; Y = \{1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8\}$  and  $Z = \{3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10\}.$ 
  - a. Find  $X \cap Y \cap Z$ .
  - b. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate the 3 sets.
- 14. Invite any volunteer to write down the elements that are common in set X, Y, and Z on the board. (Answer:  $X \cap Y \cap Z = \{5, 6\}$ ).
- 15. Invite a volunteer to write down the elements in  $X \cap Y$ . (Answer:  $X \cap Y = \{1, 5, 6\}$ ).
- 16. Invite a volunteer to write down the elements in  $Y \cap Z$ . (Answer:  $Y \cap Z = \{3, 5, 6, 8\}$ ).
- 17. Invite another volunteer to write down the elements in  $X \cap Z$ . (Answer:  $X \cap Z = \{5, 6, 7\}$ ).
- 18. Explain: To draw a Venn diagram, start by filling in the elements in the intersection first. Work outwards, filling in the elements that are in only one set last.
- 19. Draw the Venn diagram for part b. on the board as a class. Invite volunteers to come to the board and identify where each element belongs.

#### Answer:



- 20. Write another problem on the board. P, Q and R are subsets of the universal set U, where  $U = \{n: 1 \le n \le 10\}$  and n is an integer. P consists of multiples of 3; Q consists of odd numbers and R consists of even numbers. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate U, P, Q and R.
- 21. Invite a volunteer to write down the elements of U on the board. (Answer:  $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$ )
- 22. Explain: The universal set is  $1 \le n \le 10$ . This means that you will need to locate the integers from 1 and 10 in the Venn diagram.
- 23. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 24. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 25. Invite volunteers to write down the elements of set P, Q and R on the board. (Answer:  $P = \{3, 6, 9\}, Q = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}, \text{ and } R = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$ )
- 26. Ask another pupil to write down the elements of the intersections. (Answer:  $P \cap Q = \{3, 9\}; Q \cap R = \{\}; P \cap R = \{6\}; P \cap Q \cap R = \{\}.$ )
- 27. Invite another volunteer to draw the Venn diagram to illustrate the information.



# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write a problem on the board:
  - U is the universal set consisting of all positive integers x such that  $\{1 \le x \le 18\}$ . P, Q and R are subsets of U such that  $P = \{x : x \text{ is a factor of } 18\}$ ,  $Q = \{x : x \text{ is a } 18\}$ .

multiple of 4 less than 18} and  $R = \{10 < x < 18\}$ . Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate U, P, Q and R.

- 2. Ask pupils to work independently to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Allow the pupils to discuss their answers with seatmates when they finish.
- 4. Ask volunteers to give each set and intersection, and the Venn diagram. They should explain to the class. All other pupils should check their work.

#### **Answers:**

$$U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\}$$

$$P = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 9, 18\}$$

$$Q = \{4, 8, 12, 16\}$$

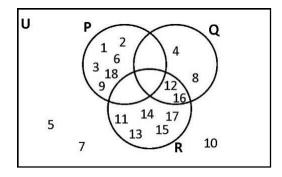
$$R = \{11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17\}$$

$$P \cap Q = \{\}$$

$$P \cap Q = \{\}$$

$$Q \cap R = \{12, 16\}$$

$$P \cap Q \cap R = \{\}$$



# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L064 in the Pupil Handbook.

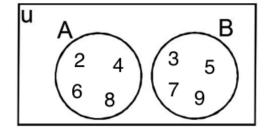
Lesson Title: Disjoint sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L065	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on the	
be able to:	board.	-
<ol> <li>Describe and identify disjoint sets.</li> </ol>		
2. Represent disjoint sets with a Venn		
diagram.		

### Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: A, B and C are sets such that  $A = \{y: 0 \le y \le 7\}$ ,  $B = \{4, 6, 8, 10, 12\}$  and  $C = \{y: 1 < y < 7\}$  where y is an integer. Find  $A \cap B \cap C$ .
- 2. Ask volunteers to list down the elements of A and C on the board (Example Answer:  $A = \{0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7\}, C = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 6, \})$
- 3. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to find the intersection of the 3 sets.
- 4. Ask a volunteer to share the answer. (Answer:  $A \cap B \cap C = \{4, 6\}$ )
- 5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on describing and identifying disjoint sets.

## **Teaching and Learning** (17 minutes)

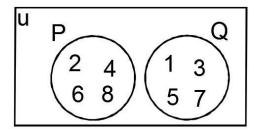
- 1. Explain: Two sets are said to be disjoint if they have no element in common.
- 2. Write on the board: A: {2,4,6,8} B: {3,5,7,9}
- 3. Ask pupils to discuss with seatmates what they noticed about the two sets.
- 4. Explain:
  - The elements in set *A* are different from the elements in set *B*. They have no element in common.
  - A and B are disjoint sets.
  - The intersection of 2 disjoint sets is the empty set.
- 5. Write on the board:  $A \cap B = \emptyset$
- 6. Draw the Venn diagram showing A and B:



- 7. Explain: Disjoint sets are shown on a Venn diagram by 2 circles that do not intersect at any point.
- 8. Explain:
  - "Disjoint events" are used in probability, and are related to "disjoint sets".

- Disjoint events are events that cannot happen at the same time.
- 9. Discuss some examples of disjoint events. Allow pupils to share their own ideas:
  - A football game can't be held at the same time as a rugby game on the same field.
  - Heading East and West at the same time is impossible.
  - Tossing a coin and getting a head and a tail at the same time.
  - Day and night to occur at the same time.
  - Throwing a die and getting a six and a two at the same time.
- 10. Write a problem on the board.  $P = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$  and  $Q = \{1, 3, 5, 7\}$ . Explain why P and Q are disjoint sets and illustrate the two sets on a Venn diagram.
- 11. Ask volunteers to explain why sets P and Q are disjoint. Allow discussion. (Answer: Sets P and Q are disjoint sets because no number of P belongs to Q, i.e.  $P \cap Q = \emptyset$ .)
- 12. Draw the Venn diagram on the board as a class, illustrating sets P and Q. Ask volunteers to write the numbers in the diagram.

#### Answer:



13. Write another problem on the board.

If  $M = \{ \text{set of pupils in SSS I} \}$  and

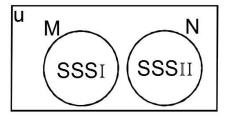
N = {set of pupils in SSS II}. Show that set M and N are disjoint using set notation.

Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate the 2 sets.

- 14. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 15. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 16. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board.

Answer: Since no pupil can be common to both the classes; therefore set M and N are disjoint and  $M \cap N = \emptyset$ .

Venn diagram:



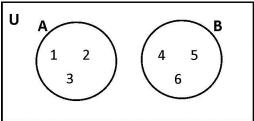
#### Practice (18 minutes)

1. Write 3 problems on the board.

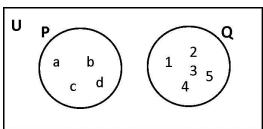
- a. If  $A = \{1, 2, 3\}$  and  $B = \{4, 5, 6\}$ , show that the two sets are disjoint and illustrate the 2 sets on a Venn diagram.
- b. If  $P = \{a, b, c, d\}$  and  $Q = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ , show that P and Q are disjoint sets and illustrate them on a Venn diagram.
- c. Write your own example of 2 disjoint sets.
- 2. Ask pupils to work independently to solve the problems in their exercise books.
- 3. Allow the pupils to discuss their answers with seatmates when they finish.
- 4. Ask volunteers to gives their answers and explain to the class. All other pupils should check their work.

#### **Answers:**

a. Since no element is common to both set A and B, then the two sets are disjoint sets,  $A \cap B = \emptyset$ . Venn diagram:



b. Since no element is common to both sets P and Q, then the two sets are disjoint sets.  $P \cap Q = \emptyset$ .



c. Ask different volunteers to share their examples and allow discussion.

## Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L065 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Union of two sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L066	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	None	
be able to:	TAOTIC	
Describe and identify the union of two		
sets.		
2. Represent the union of two sets with a		
Venn diagram.		
3. Use the correct symbols for union.		

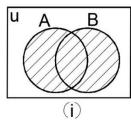
### Opening (4 minutes)

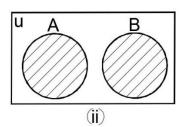
- 1. Discuss each question:
  - a. What is a disjoint set?
- b. Give 3 examples of disjoint events.
- 2. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - a. Two sets are said to be disjoint if they have no element in common.
  - b. i. Heading to the North and South at the same time.
    - ii. Attending a sports meeting at the National stadium and Lumley Beach at the same time.
    - iii. Throwing a die and getting a three and a four at the same time.
- 3. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on describing and identifying the union of two sets.

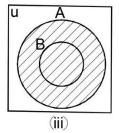
#### **Teaching and Learning** (20 minutes)

- 1. Explain: The union of the two sets A and B is the set that contains all of the elements of both sets.
- 2. Write on the board:
  - A: {1 orange, 1 pineapple, 1 banana, 1 apple}
  - B: {1 spoon, 1 knife, 1 fork}
- 3. Discuss:
  - The union of two sets A and B is the set formed by putting the elements of the two sets together.
  - We find the union of the sets by writing all the elements in A and B.
- 4. Write on the board:  $A \cup B$
- 5. Explain: This is how we write the union of the two sets. It is read "A union B".
- 6. Write  $A \cup B$  on the board as a class. Ask volunteers to write the elements.
  - (Answer:  $A \cup B = \{1 \text{ orange}, 1 \text{ pineapple}, 1 \text{ banana}, 1 \text{ apple}, 1 \text{ spoon}, 1 \text{ knife}, 1 \text{ fork}\}$ )
- 7. Explain:
  - If a member appears in both sets, it is listed only once.

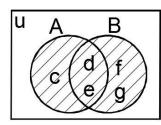
- Members of a set are usually listed or written in ascending order (smallest members first).
- The union of the two sets can be drawn using the Venn diagram.
- 8. Draw the illustrative Venn diagrams of unions on the board:





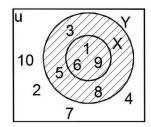


- 9. Explain: These 3 diagrams show the union of sets. The shaded portion shows the union of the two sets A and B.
- 10. Write a problem on the board. Consider the following two sets  $A = \{c, d, e\}$  and  $B = \{d, e, f, g\}$ .
  - a. Find:  $A \cup B$
  - b. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate both sets.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to write down the elements of A and B in a list on the board. (Answer: c, d, e, d, e, f, g).
- 12. Remind pupils that they should write the elements in ascending order and if a member appears in both sets, it is listed once.
- 13. Invite volunteers to write down  $A \cup B$  on the board. (Answer:  $A \cup B = \{c, d, e, f, g\}$ ).
- 14. Draw the Venn diagram for part b on the board:



- 15. Explain: If X is a subset of Y, then the union of the 2 sets is simply the set Y. We can illustrate this relationship on a Venn diagram.
- 16. Write on the board. The sets  $X = \{1, 6, 9\}$  and  $Y = \{1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9\}$  are in the universal set  $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10\}$ . Find  $X \cup Y$  and draw a Venn diagram to illustrate  $X \cup Y$ .
- 17. Invite a volunteer to write  $X \cup Y$  on the board. (Answer:  $X \cup Y = \{1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9\}$ ).
- 18. Explain to pupils that  $X \cup Y = \{1, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9\}$  is equal to set Y. This shows that  $X \cup Y = Y$ .
- 19. Write on the board and make sure this is clear: If  $X \subset Y$  then  $X \cup Y = Y$ .

20. Draw the Venn diagram on the board to illustrate the relationship:



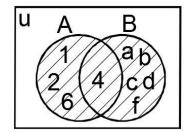
21. Write a problem on the board.

Consider the following sets:  $A = \{1, 2, 4, 6\}$  and  $B = \{4, a, b, c, d, f\}$ .

- a. Find:  $A \cup B$
- b. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate both sets.
- 22. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 23. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 24. Invite volunteers to write the answer on the board.

#### **Answers:**

- a.  $A \cup B = \{1, 2, 4, 6, a, b, c, d, f\}$
- b.



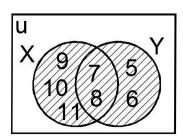
# Practice (15 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board:  $X = \{6 < x < 12\}$  and  $Y = \{4 < x < 9\}$ , where x is an integer.
  - a. List the elements of sets *X* and *Y*.
  - b. Find  $X \cup Y$ .
  - c. Draw a Venn diagram to illustrate the relationship between sets *X* and *Y*.
- 2. Ask pupils to work independently to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Allow the pupils to discuss their answers with seatmates when they finish.
- 4. Ask volunteers to gives their answers and explain to the class. All other pupils should check their work.

#### **Answers:**

- a.  $X = \{7, 8, 9, 10, 11\}$  and  $Y = \{5, 6, 7, 8, \}$
- b.  $X \cup Y = \{5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11\}$

c. Diagram:



# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L066 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Complement of a set	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L067	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the prob	lem in Opening on the
be able to:	board.	
<ol> <li>Describe and identify the complement</li> </ol>		
of a set.		
2. Represent the complement of a set with		
a Venn diagram.		

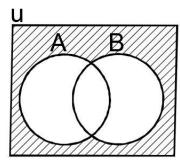
### Opening (4 minutes)

- 1. Write a problem on the board: If  $P = \{2, 3, 4\}$ ,  $Q = \{3, 4, 5\}$  and  $R = \{3, 4, 7\}$ , find  $P \cup Q \cup R$ .
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the answer on the board. (Answer:  $P \cup Q \cup R = \{2, 3, 4, 5, 7\}$ )
- 4. Explain that today's lesson is on describing and identifying the complement of a set.

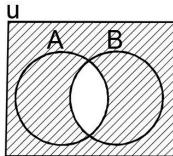
## **Teaching and Learning** (21 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - The **complement** of a set A refers to elements not in A.
  - If A is a subset of the universal set U, then the complement of A is the set of members which belong to the universal set U but do not belong to A.
- 2. Write on the board:  $U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9\}$  and  $A = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9\}$
- 3. Discuss: The complement of a set is equal to elements in the universal set minus elements in the set.
- 4. Write on the board: A'
- 5. Explain: The complement of A is written with an apostrophe like this, and is read as "A prime".
- 6. Ask volunteers to give the elements in the complement of A, given U and A on the board. Write the complement on the board as they give its elements (Answer:  $A' = \{2, 4, 6, 8\}$ ).
- 7. Explain: If we did not specify the universal set U, there would be rather a lot of elements not in A. Thus, the elements of U are normally given in the problem.
- 8. Write a problem on the board: If  $U = \{-5 < x \le 5\}$  and  $A = \{-2 < x \le 3\}$ . Find A'.
- 9. Invite a volunteer to write down the elements of the universal set U on the board. (Answer:  $U = \{-4, -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$ ).
- 10. Ask another volunteer to write down the elements of set A on the board. (Answer:  $A = \{-1, 0, 1, 2, 3\}$ )
- 11. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the complement of A in their exercise books.

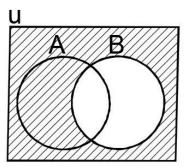
- 12. Invite a volunteer to write the elements of A' on the board. (Answer:  $A' = \{-4, -3, -2, 4, 5\}$ ).
- 13. Explain: The complement of the complement of a set A is the set itself.
- 14. Write on the board and make sure pupils understand: (A')' = A. For example,  $U = \{2, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$  and  $A = \{2, 6, 10\}$  then  $A' = \{4, 8\}$ . Again taking the complement of A' we get (A')' = A.
- 15. Explain each of the following properties of sets, and write the set notation given in brackets on the board:
  - The complement of the universal set is the empty set. The complement of U is the set which does not contain any element ( $U' = \{ \}$ ).
  - The complement of an empty set is the universal set under consideration. ( $\emptyset' = U$ ).
  - The union of a set and its complement give the universal set  $(A \cup A' = U)$ .
  - The intersection of a set and its complement is an empty set; there are no elements that exist in both sets (A ∩ A' = Ø).
- 16. Draw on the board the following Venn diagrams representing complement of a set. Make sure pupils understand each one:



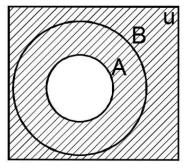
 $(A \cup B)^\prime$  read as "A union B all prime"



 $(A\cap B)'$  read as "A intersection B all prime"



B' read as "B prime"

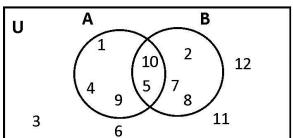


 $(A \subset B)'$  read as "prime of A subset B".

- 17. Write on the board: If  $A = \{11, 12, 13, 14\}$  and  $B = \{13, 14, 15, 16, 17\}$  are subsets of  $U = \{10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18\}$ , then list the elements of:
  - i. A'
- ii. B
- iii.  $A' \cap B'$
- 18. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 19. Remind pupils that  $A' \cap B'$  is the common elements in A' and B'.
- 20. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite three volunteers, one at a time, to write the answers on the board.

### **Answers:**

- i.  $A' = \{10, 15, 16, 17, 18\}$
- ii.  $B' = \{10, 11, 12, 18\}$
- iii.  $A' \cap B' = \{10, 18\}$
- 22. Write another problem on the board. Using the Venn diagram below, write the following sets:
  - i. U, A and B
- ii. A'
- iii. B'



- 23. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 24. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

25. Invite three volunteers to write the answer on the board.

### **Answers:**

i. 
$$U = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12\}$$

$$A = \{1, 4, 5, 9, 10\}$$

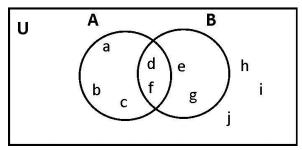
$$B = \{2, 5, 7, 8, 10\}$$

ii. 
$$A' = \{2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12\}$$

iii. 
$$B' = \{1, 3, 4, 6, 9, 11, 12\}$$

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Use the Venn diagram to write the following sets:
  - i. A'
- ii. B'
- iii.  $A' \cap B'$



- 2. Ask pupils to work independently to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Allow the pupils to discuss their answers with seatmates when they finish.
- 4. Ask volunteers to give the answers. All other pupils should check their work.

### **Answers:**

Use the fact that  $U = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j\}$ ,  $A = \{a, b, c, d, f\}$  and  $B = \{d, e, f, g\}$ .

- i.  $A' = \{e, g, h, i, j\}$  i.e. elements of U which are not in A.
- ii.  $B' = \{a, b, c, h, i, j\}$  i.e. elements of U which are not in B.
- iii.  $A' \cap B' = \{h, i, j\}$  i.e. elements common in A' and B'.

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L067 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Problem solving with 2 sets	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L068	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to diagram and solve problems	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on the	
be able to diagram and solve problems	board.	
involving 2 sets, including real-life problems.		

- 1. Write a problem on the board. If  $U = \{1,2,3,6,9,18\}$ ,  $X = \{2,6,18\}$  and  $Y = \{1,3,6\}$ , list the elements of: a.  $X' \cap Y$  b.  $X \cup Y'$  c.  $(X \cup Y)'$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite three volunteers to write their answers on the board at the same time.

### **Answers:**

Note that  $X' = \{1, 3, 9\}$  and  $Y' = \{2, 9, 18\}$ .

- a.  $X^1 \cap Y = \{1, 3, 9\} \cap \{1, 3, 6\} = \{1, 3\}$
- b.  $X \cup Y' = \{2, 6, 18\} \cup \{2, 9, 18\} = \{2, 6, 9, 18\}$
- c.  $(X \cup Y)'$  is the complement of  $X \cup Y$ .  $X \cup Y = \{1, 2, 3, 6, 18\}$ , therefore  $(X \cup Y)' = \{9\}$ .
- 4. Explain that today's lesson is on solving real life problems involving 2 sets.

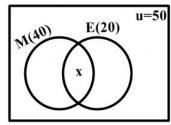
# **Teaching and Learning** (21 minutes)

- 1. Write a question on the board: If A and B are two finite sets such that n(A) = 20, n(B) = 28 and  $n(A \cup B) = 36$ , find  $n(A \cap B)$ .
- 2. Discuss: What does the letter n tell us in set notation? (Answer: It gives the number of elements in a set.)
- 3. Explain:
  - $n(A \cup B)$  is the number of elements present in either of the sets A or B.
  - $n(A \cap B)$  is the number of elements present in both the sets A and B.
- 4. Discuss: How can you interpret this question? What is it asking? (Example answer: It is asking for the number of elements that are in both A and B, or the intersection of A and B.)
- 5. Explain:
  - We are given the number of elements in both A and B, and we are given the number of elements in their union.
  - We can use this information to find the number of elements in their intersection.
- 6. Write on the board: For two sets A and B:  $n(A \cup B) = n(A) + n(B) n(A \cap B)$
- 7. Explain: This formula states that we add the total number of elements in A and B, and subtract the number of elements in their intersection. This is because we do not want to count the elements in their intersection twice.
- 8. Solve the problem on the board using the formula.

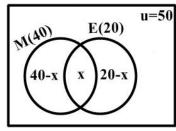
### **Solution:**

$$n(A \cap B) = n(A) + n(B) - n(A \cup B)$$
  
= 20 + 28 - 36  
= 48 - 36  
= 12

- 9. Write a problem on the board: In a class of 50 pupils, 40 read Mathematics and 20 read English. Each pupil reads at least one subject. How many pupils read both Mathematics and English?
- 10. Write on the board. Let  $U = \{\text{pupils in the class}\}\$ ,  $M = \{\text{pupils who read Mathematics}\}\$ ,  $E = \{\text{pupils who read English}\}\$  and x = number of pupils who read both subjects.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to identify the number of pupils in the universal set and write it on the board. (Answer: n(U) = 50).
- 12. Invite volunteers to identify the number of pupils reading each subject and write them on the board. (Answer: n(M) = 40, n(E) = 20).
- 13. Draw the Venn diagram for this problem on the board:



- 14. Discuss: How can we identify the number of pupils who read only Maths or only English? (Answer: Subtract *x* from the number who read each subject.)
- 15. Remind pupils that  $n(M \cap E) = x$ .
- 16. Ask volunteers to identify the number of pupils who read only Maths and only English. (Answer: For Maths only: (40 x), for English only: (20 x))
- 17. Illustrate this information on the Venn diagram:



18. Write the solution on the board and explain:

From the Venn diagram, we have the equation (40 - x) + x + (20 - x) = 50. Solve the equation for x:

$$(40-x) + x + (20-x) = 50$$

$$40-x+x+20-x = 50$$

$$40+20-x = 50$$

$$x = 60-50$$

$$x = 10$$

Therefore, 10 pupils read both Mathematics and English.

# 19. Explain:

• Always represent the intersection of the two regions with a variable first.

n(U) = 25

11-x

- If a variable is not given in the problem, use one such as x or n.
- 20. Write a problem and diagram on the board:

In the diagram, two sets A and B are subsets of the universal set

- U. Given that n(U) = 25, find:
  - a. The value of x.
  - b. The value of  $n(A \cup B)$ .
- 21. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 22. Walk around and check their answers and clear misconceptions.
- 23. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board and explain. Support them as needed.

#### Solutions:

a. To find x, set up an equation that sums up to n(U) = 25. Notice the 2 in the universal set outside of A and B. This must be included too:

$$(11-x) + x + (6-x) + 2 = 25$$

$$11-x+x+6-x+2 = 25$$

$$11+6+2-x = 25$$

$$19+x = 25$$

$$x = 25-19=6$$

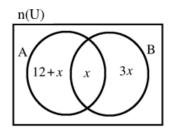
b. To find  $n(A \cup B)$ , add the number of elements in both A and B. Substitute x = 6 and evaluate:

$$n(A \cup B) = 11 - x + x + 6 - x$$
  
=  $11 + 6 - x$   
=  $11 + 6 - (6)$   
=  $11$ 

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board.
  - a. In a certain village 45% are Public servants, and 70% are Farmers. Each person is in at least one of the jobs. Find the number of people who are in both jobs.
  - b. A and B are two sets and the number of elements are shown in the Venn diagram below. Given that n(A) = n(B), find:
    - i. *x*

ii.  $n(A \cup B)$ 



- 6. Ask pupils to work independently or with seatmates to solve the problem in their exercise books. Allow discussion.
- 7. Ask two volunteers to gives their solutions and explain to the class. All other pupils should check their work.

### Solutions:

a. Let U = The people in the village. Then n(U) = 100%.

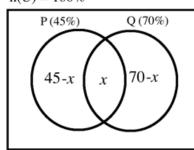
If P = Public servants, then n(P) = 45%

If F = Farmers, then n(F) = 70%

Let x = those in both jobs. Then,  $x = n(P \cap F)$ .

Since each person is in at least one of the jobs, it means there is nobody who does nothing in the village. Draw a Venn diagram:

$$n(U) = 100\%$$



The number of people in both jobs is  $x = n(P \cap F)$ . We know the 3 parts in the circles of the Venn diagram will sum to 100%. Set up the equation and solve for x:

$$100 = (45 - x) + x + (70 - x)$$

$$100 = 45 - x + x + 70 - x$$

$$100 = 45 + 70 - x$$

$$100 = 115 - x$$

$$x = 115 - 100 = 15$$

Those in both jobs= 15%

b. i. We have n(A) = n(B). Set the number of elements in the 2 sets equal and solve for x.

$$12 + x + x = 3x + x$$

$$12 + 2x = 4x$$

$$12 = 4x - 2x$$

$$12 = 2x$$

$$6 = x$$

$$x = 6$$

ii. To find  $n(A \cup B)$ , find the sum of all of the parts inside A and B. Substitute x=6 and evaluate:

$$n(A \cup B) = 12 + x + x + 3x$$
  
= 12 + 5x  
= 12 + 5(6)  
= 12 + 30 = 42

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L068 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Problem solving with 3 sets –	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Part 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L069	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to diagram and solve problems involving 3 sets, including real-life problems.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write the following problem on the board. If  $U = \{r, e, v, o, l, t, i, n, g\}$ ,  $A = \{l, i, o, n\}$  and  $B = \{t, i, g, e, r\}$ , list the members of the following sets.
  - a. A'
- b.  $A' \cap B'$

- c.  $(A \cap B)'$
- 2. Allow pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite volunteers, one at a time, to write their answers on the board.

  (Answer: x' is the complement of x, i.e. those elements in U which are not in x.
  - a.  $A' = \{r, e, v, t, g\}$
  - b.  $B' = \{v, o, l, n\}$

$$A' \cap B' = \{ v \}$$

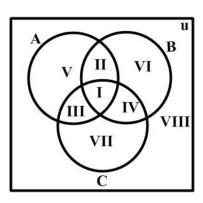
c. 
$$A \cap B = \{i\}$$

$$(A \cap B)' = \{r, e, v, o, l, t, n, g\}$$

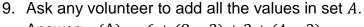
4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on solving real life problems involving 3 sets.

# Teaching and Learning (21 minutes)

- 1. Draw the Venn diagram on the board:
- 2. Explain: If A, B and C are subsets of U, the universal set, then the Venn diagram at right shows the various regions of a problem with 3 sets.
- 3. Discuss the elements in each section of the diagram. You may write each with symbols given on the board if needed.
  - I is the intersection of all the sets. (A  $\cap$  B  $\cap$  C)
  - II is the elements of A and B only.  $(C' \cap (B \cap A))$
  - III is the elements of A and C only. (B'  $\cap$  (A  $\cap$  C))
  - IV is the elements of B and C only.  $(A' \cap (B \cap C))$
  - V is the elements in A only.  $(A \cap (B \cup C)' \text{ or } A \cap B' \cap C')$
  - VI is the elements in B only.  $(B \cap (C \cup A)' \text{ or } B \cap C' \cap A')$
  - VII is the elements in C only.  $(C \cap (B \cup A)' \text{ or } C \cap B' \cap A')$
  - VIII is the elements that are not in any of the 3 sets.



- 4. Explain: If there are no elements in U that are outside of A, B and C, then the cardinality of U is the cardinality of the union of A, B and C. (If VIII= 0 then  $n(U) = n(A \cup B \cup C)$ )
- 5. Write the following problem on the board: Draw a Venn diagram of the universal set U containing three sets A, B and C. Given that  $n(A \cap B \cap C) = 3$ ,  $n(A \cap B) = 8$ ,  $n(A \cap C) = 4$ ,  $n(B \cap C) = 5$ ,  $n(A \cap B' \cap C') = 6$ ,  $n(A' \cap B' \cap C) = 2$  and  $n(A' \cap B \cap C') = 4$ . Find n(A), n(B) and n(C).
- 6. Ask pupils to think about this for 2 minutes and write down any ideas they have in drawing the Venn diagram.
- 7. Ask volunteers to share their ideas with the class.
- 8. Draw the Venn diagram on the board and explain to pupils. Example explanations are given:
  - $n(A \cap B \cap C) = 3$  tells us that 3 elements are in the middle
  - n(A ∩ B) = 8 tells us that 8 elements are in the intersection of A and B, but we must subtract 3 to give the number in only A and B.
  - $n(A \cap B' \cap C') = 6$  tells us that 6 elements are in A that are not in B or C.



Answer: 
$$n(A) = 6 + (8 - 3) + 3 + (4 - 3)$$
  
=  $6 + 5 + 3 + 1$   
= 15

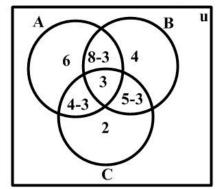
10. Ask another volunteer to add the values in sets B.

Answer: 
$$n(B) = 4 + (8 - 3) + (5 - 3) + 3$$
  
=  $4 + 5 + 2 + 3$   
=  $14$ 

11. Ask another volunteer to add the values of set C.

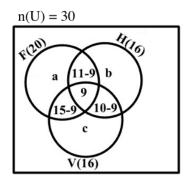
Answer: 
$$n(C) = 2 + (4 - 3) + (5 - 3) + 3$$
  
=  $2 + 1 + 2 + 3$   
=  $8$ 

- 12. Write another problem on the board: There are 30 pupils in a class. 20 of them play football, 16 play hockey and 16 play volleyball. 9 play all three games, 15 play football and volleyball, 11 play football and hockey, while 10 play hockey and volleyball.
  - a. Illustrate the information on a Venn diagram.
  - b. Find the number of pupils who play: i. only football; ii. only hockey; iii. only volleyball.
  - c. Using your Venn diagram, find the number of pupils who play at least two games.
- 13. Represent the different games with letters. Write them on the board: U = the pupils in the class, F = football, H = hockey, V = volleyball, a = football only, b = hockey only, c = volleyball only



- 14. Ask volunteers to give the values for each cardinality of the various games played by pupils. Write them on the board. (Answer: n(U) = 30, n(F) = 20, n(H) = 16, n(V) = 16,  $n(F \cap H \cap V) = 9$ ,  $n(F \cap V) = 15$ ,  $n(F \cap H) = 11$  and  $n(H \cap V) = 10$ ).
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to illustrate the information in a Venn diagram (question a).
- 16. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 17. Invite a volunteer to draw the Venn diagram on the board.

#### Answer:



18. On the board, solve for a, those who play football only:

$$20 = a + 2 + 6 + 9$$
  
 $20 = a + 17$   
 $a = 20 - 17$   
 $a = 3$ 

- 19. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to find the numbers of pupils who played only hockey and only volleyball.
- 20. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board and explain.

### Solution:

Those who play hockey only:

$$16 = b + 2 + 9 + 1$$
  
 $16 = b + 12$   
 $b = 16 - 12$   
 $b = 4$ 

Those play volleyball only:

$$16 = c + 6 + 9 + 1$$

$$16 = c + 16$$

$$c = 16 - 16$$

$$c = 0$$

21. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to find the answer to question c., calculate those who play at least two games.

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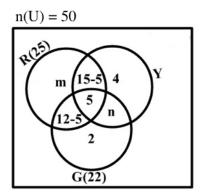
22. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer: 2 + 6 + 1 + 9 = 18)

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: A survey of 50 girls was conducted. Each girl was asked which of the three colours, red, yellow and green, they liked. 5 of them said they liked all three colours, 25 liked red and 22 liked green. 15 liked red and yellow, 12 liked red and green, 4 liked only yellow and 2 liked only green.
  - a. Illustrate the information on a Venn diagram.
  - b. Calculate any missing numbers inside the circles.
  - c. How many girls did not like any of the three colours?
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to write their solutions on the board and explain:

### Solutions:

a. The Venn diagram where U =Total number of girls, R =red, Y =yellow, G =green:



b. Use the given numbers to find the missing values in the diagram. Let those who liked only yellow and green = n. Use the total number of girls who like green (22) to find the value of n:

$$22 = n+7+2+5 
 n = 22-14 
 n = 8$$

Let those who liked only red = m. Use the total number of girls who like red (25) to find the number who like only red:

$$25 = m + 7 + 10 + 5$$

$$m = 25 - 22$$

$$m = 3$$

c. Let those who did not like any of the three colours = x. We know the sum of all sections is 50. Set up an equation and solve for x:

$$50 = 10 + 5 + 7 + 4 + 2 + 8 + 3 + x$$

$$50 = 39 + x$$

$$x = 50 - 39$$

$$x = 11$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L069 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Problem solving with 3 sets –	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Part 2		
Lesson Number: M1-L070	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on the	
be able to diagram and solve problems	board.	· -
involving 3 sets, including real-life problems.		

- 1. Write the following problem on the board:
  - If  $U = \{natural\ numbers\ less\ than\ 20\}$ ,  $E = \{prime\ numbers\ less\ than\ 20\}$  and  $F = \{odd\ numbers\ less\ than\ 20\}$ , find: a.  $E \cup F$  b.  $E \cap F$  c. $(E \cup F)'$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 4. Invite a volunteer to write the solutions on the board.

#### **Solutions:**

List the sets:  $E = \{2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19\}, F = \{1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19\}$ 

- d.  $E \cup F = \{1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19\}$
- e.  $E \cap F = \{3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19\}$
- f.  $(E \cup F)' = \{4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18\}.$
- 5. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on solving real life problems involving 3 sets.

# **Teaching and Learning** (21 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: For sets A, B and C,  $n(A \cup B \cup C) = n(A) + n(B) + n(C) n(A \cap B) n(A \cap C) n(B \cap C) + n(A \cap B \cap C)$ .
- 2. Explain:
  - The number of elements in the union of 3 sets can be found with this formula.
  - Add the cardinalities of each of the 3 sets. Subtract the cardinalities of the intersections of 2 sets (for example, n(A ∩ B)). Then, add back the number in the intersection of all 3 sets, n(A ∩ B ∩ C).
- 3. Write the following problem on the board: Mathematics, English and Life skills books were distributed to 50 pupils in a class, such that each pupil got at least 1 book. 22 got Mathematics books, 21 got English books and 25 got Life Skills books. 7 got both Mathematics and English books, 6 got both Mathematics and Life Skills books and 9 got both English and Life Skills books. Find the number of pupils who had:
  - a. All three books
  - b. Exactly two books
  - c. Only Life Skills books
- 4. Ask pupils to discuss the problems for 2 minutes with seatmates.
- 5. Assign variables to the sets:

U = Pupil in the class M = Mathematics books

E =English books L =Life Skills books

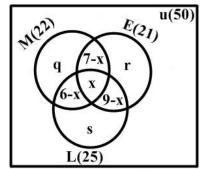
q = Mathematics books only r = English books only

s =Life skills books only x =Those who have all the three books

- 6. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the cardinality of the sets in the problem using symbols. (For example, n(U) = 50)
- 7. Invite volunteers to write the cardinalities on the board.

(Answer: 
$$n(U) = 50$$
,  $n(M) = 22$ ,  $n(E) = 21$ ,  $n(L) = 25$ ,  $n(M \cap E) = 7$ ,  $n(M \cap L) = 6$ ,  $n(E \cap L) = 9$ ,  $n(M \cap E \cap L) = x$ .

8. Work as a class to illustrate the above information in a Venn diagram. Allow volunteers to write the labels:



9. Solve the problem on the board, involving pupils. Find the missing values. As you find them, write them in the appropriate space on the diagram.

### Solution:

Let q represent only M

$$22 = q + 6 - x + x + 7 - x$$

$$22 = 13 - x + q$$

$$q = x + 9$$

Let s represent only L

$$25 = s + 6 - x + x + x + 9 - x$$

$$25 = 15 - x + s$$

$$s = x + 10$$

Let r represent only E

$$21 = r + 7 - x + x + 9 - x$$

$$21 = 16 - x + r$$

$$r = x + 5$$

Using the formula for cardinality of the union of 3 sets, we have 50 = 7 - x + 6 - x

$$9 - x + x + r + q + s$$

Substituting for r, q and s, we have

$$50 = 22 - 2x + x + 5 + x + 9 + x + 10$$

$$50 = 46 + x$$

$$x = 50 - 46 = 4$$

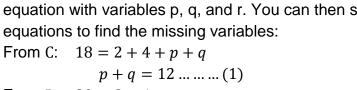
- a. Those who had all three books are 4.
- b. To find those who had exactly two books, add the values in the intersections of only 2 sets:

$$= 7 - x + 6 - x + 9 - x$$

= 
$$22 - 3x$$
  
=  $22 - 3(4)$  Substitute for  $x = 4$   
=  $22 - 12 = 10$ 

- c. Those who had only Life Skills books: s = 10 + x = 10 + 4 = 14
- 10. Write the following problem on the board: 40 pupils were chosen to study their choice of vocation and it was revealed that 18 chose Catering (C), 20 chose Dressmaking (D), and 15 chose Hairdressing (H), 2 chose catering only, 8 chose dress making only, 1 chose hairdressing only and 4 chose all three vocations. Find the number of pupils who chose:
  - a. Dressmaking and Catering only
  - b. None of the three vocations
- 11. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 12. Walk around to check their answers and clear misconceptions.
- 13. Invite a volunteer to write the solutions on the board.

**Solutions:** The Venn diagram can be labelled as shown, where  $p = C \cap D$ ,  $r = H \cap D$ , and  $q = C \cap H$ . Use the total number of pupils in each set to set up an equation with variables p, q, and r. You can then solve the



From D: 
$$20 = 8 + 4 + p + r$$
  
 $p + r = 8...........(2)$ 

From H: 
$$15 = 1 + 4 + q + r$$
  
 $q + r = 10 \dots \dots (3)$ 

From equation (1), p = 12 - q

Substitute p into equation (2)

$$p+r = 8$$
  
 $12-q-4 = 8$   
 $r = q-4....(4)$ 

Substitute r from equation (4) into equation (3)

$$q+r = 10$$

$$q+q-4 = 10$$

$$2q = 14$$

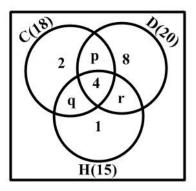
$$q = 7$$

From equation (1): p = 12 - 7 = 5

From equation (5): r = 7 - 4 = 3

- a. Those that chose dressmaking and catering only: p = 5
- b. To find those that chose none of the three vocations, subtract all of the numbers inside the sets from 40, the total number of pupils:

$$= 40 - (2 + 8 + 1 + 4 + p + q + r)$$



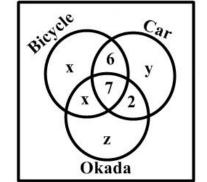
$$= 40 - (15 + p + q + r)$$

$$= 40 - (15 + 5 + 7 + 3)$$

$$= 40 - 30 = 10$$

# Practice (14 minutes)

1. Write on the board: A number of travellers were questioned about the transport they used on a particular day. Each of them used one or more of the methods shown in the Venn diagram. Given that 35 people used bicycles and 25 people used cars, find:



- a. The value of x.
- b. The number who travelled by car only.
- c. The number who travelled by at least two methods of transport.
- d. Given also that 85 people were questioned altogether; calculate the number who travelled by okada only.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently or with seatmates.
- 3. Walk around to check their answers and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. If 35 people used bicycles, then:

$$x + x + 6 + 7 = 35$$

$$2x + 13 = 35$$

$$2x = 35 - 13$$

$$2x = 22$$

$$x = 11$$

11 people travelled by bicycle only.

b. Let y people travel by cars only. If 25 people used cars, then:

$$6+7+2+y = 25$$
  
 $15+y = 25$   
 $y = 25-15 = 10$ 

10 people travelled by bus only.

- c. The number who travelled by at least two methods (i.e. those using two or three methods) = x + 6 + 2 + 7 = 11 + 15 = 26
- d. Let *z* people travelled by okada only, then:

$$x + x + 6 + 7 + 2 + y + z = 85$$

$$11 + 11 + 15 + 10 + z = 85$$

$$47 + z = 85$$

$$z = 85 - 47$$

$$z = 38$$

38 people travelled by okada only.

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L070 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Use of Variables	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
Lesson Number: M1-L071	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcomes	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the prol	blems in Opening on the
will be able to:	board.	
<ol> <li>Identify that variables represents</li> </ol>		
unknown numbers.		
2. Identify the values of variables in		
simple algebraic expressions		
(e.g. $2 + x = 5$ )		

1. Write on the board: Simplify the following:

a. 
$$-6 + 8 + 15 - 2$$

b. 
$$-2 - 1 - 4 + 7$$

c. 
$$6 - 4 - 5$$

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 3. Ask volunteers to call out their answers. (Answer: a. 15; b. 0; c. -3)
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is how to identify the values of variables in simple algebraic expressions.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: 2 + x = 5
- 2. Explain:
  - A variable is a letter that is used to represent a number.
  - In this expression on the board, the variable *x* represents an unknown number that will equal 5 when added to 2.
  - While x is a most commonly used variable, any letter can be a variable.
- 3. Write on the board: x + x + y = 20
- 4. Explain:
  - Each *x* in this expression is equal to the same amount.
  - The other variable, y, may be equal to different amount.
- 5. Write another problem on the board: Identify the variables in  $5\pi r^2 h$ .
- 6. Ask pupils to identify the variables.
- 7. Allow them to share, then explain:
  - r and h are variables. Their values are unknown and can change depending on the problem.
  - $\pi$  is not a variable because it has a constant, known value.
- 8. Explain: An algebraic expression is a collection of variables, numbers, and operations.

- 9. Write the following five problems on the board: If x represents an unknown number, write each as an algebraic expression:
  - a. 8 more than the number
  - b. 7 less than the number
  - c. Half the number
  - d. The number subtracted from 4
  - e. y times the number
- 10. Write the answers on the board and explain to the pupils. (Answers: a. x + 8 b. x 7
  - c.  $\frac{x}{2}$  or  $\frac{1}{2}x$  d. 4-x e. xy)
- 11. Write an expression on the board: 2x
- 12. Explain:
  - In this algebraic expression, 2 is the **coefficient**.
  - The number placed in front of a variable or group of variables is called the coefficient, and is multiplied by the variable.
- 13. Write another example on the board: 3x 2y + 5
- 14. Discuss:
  - What are the variables? (Answer: *x*, *y*)
  - What are the coefficients? (Answer: 3, -2)
- 15. Explain:
  - A number on its own is called a constant term.
  - In the expression on the board, 5 is a constant term.
- 16. Write on the board: Identify the coefficient and constant term in 6x + 9
- 17. Ask pupils to discuss with seatmates for a moment, then ask volunteers to share the answer with the class. (Answer: The coefficient of x is 6 and the constant is 9)
- 18. Write on the board: Re-write the sentence as an algebraic expression: Twice a certain number minus 8 is equal to twenty-five.
- 19. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the expression.
- 20. Invite a volunteer to write out the answer on the board. (Answer: 2m 8 = 25; accept any variable in place of m.)
- 21. Write on the board: 2 + x = 5
- 22. Discuss: What do you think is the value of x? How do you know? (Answer: The value of x must be 3, because when we add 3 to 2, the result is 5)
- 23. Write on the board: 2y = 8
- 24. Discuss: What do you think is the value of y? How do you know? (Answer: The value of y must be 4, because when we multiply 4 by 2, the result is 8.)
- 25. Write 2 more examples on the board:
  - a. 7 = z + 3
  - b. 3m = 9
- 26. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 27. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

28. Ask three volunteers to give their answers and explain using logic (do not ask them to use algebraic techniques such as transposing or dividing). (Answers: z = 4, m = 3)

### Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write 5 problems on the board:
  - a. Circle the coefficients in the expression  $5m^3 + 3n^2 7p + 2$
  - b. Write as an algebraic expression: If 4 times a certain number is subtracted from 3, the result is 7.
  - c. John is *x* years old now. How old was he 6 years ago?
  - d. Find the value of a if 3 + a = 10.
  - e. Find the value of b if 2b = 6.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books to check their neighbor's answers.
- 5. Invite volunteers one at a time to write their answer on the board. (Answers: a. coefficients 5, 3, and -7 should be circled; b. 3 4m = 7; c. x 6 years; d. a = 7; b = 3).

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM-L071 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Simplification - grouping	Theme: Numbers and Numeration	
terms		
Lesson Number: M1-L072	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problems in Opening on the	
will be able to simplify algebraic	board.	
expressions by grouping like terms.		

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Circle the coefficients in these expressions:

i. 
$$9g + 6r + 4$$

ii. 
$$2a - 5p + 8$$

- b. Find the value of x if 2x = 20.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the answers on the board. (Answers: a. i. 9 and 6 should be circled; ii. 2 and -5 should be circled; b. x = 10)
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on simplifying algebraic expressions by grouping like terms.

# **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: 2x + 3x + 5y y
- 2. Explain:
  - Each part of the expression that is separated by an operation is a term. There
    are 4 terms in this expression.
  - In algebra, **like terms** are terms that have the same variables and powers.
- 3. Ask volunteers to identify the like terms in the expression on the board. (Answer: 2x and 3x, 5y and -y)
- 4. Write another expression on the board:  $2x^2 + 5 + 3x + 4x^2 1$
- 5. Ask volunteers to identify the like terms in the expression on the board. (Answer:  $2x^2$  and  $4x^2$ , 5 and -1)
- 6. Explain:
  - a. The variables must also have the same power. So  $2x^2$  and  $4x^2$  are like terms, but 3x is not a like term. 3x does not have a like term in this expression.
  - b. Terms that are simply numbers are also considered like terms, although they do not have any variable.
- 7. Write on the board:

$$a = 1a$$

$$a + a = 2a$$

$$a + a + a = 3a$$
$$2a - a = a$$

- 8. Explain:
  - A variable without a number has a coefficient of 1. a is the same as 1a.
  - When a coefficient and variable are written together, they are multiplied by each other. However, remember that multiplication is repetitive addition.
  - So we could extend the statements on the board for even greater coefficients.
- 9. Explain:
  - We can add or subtract like terms to give a single term. This only works for like terms
  - When you add or subtract like terms it is often called collecting like terms.
  - In collecting like terms, it is possible to have negative values.
- 10. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify 5p + 7p + p.
- 11. Explain:
  - a. Each term has a variable p with power 1. Therefore, we can combine all of them.
  - b. We add the coefficients of the terms.
- 12. Write the solution on the board and explain: 5p + 7p + p = (5 + 7 + 1)p = 13p
- 13. Write another problem on the board: Simplify 7a 3a
- 14. Discuss: How do you think we will solve this problem? (Answer: Combine the terms; subtract the coefficients)
- 15. Write the solution on the board: 7a 3a = (7 3)a = 4a
- 16. Write another problem on the board: Simplify 2a + 7b + 5a 2b
- 17. Ask volunteers to identify the like terms. (Answer: 2a and 5a, 7b and -2b)
- 18. Write the solution on the board and explain:

### Solution:

**Step 1.** Collect like terms together:

$$2a + 5a + 7b - 2b$$

**Step 2.** Combine like terms:

$$(2+5)a + (7-2)b = 7a + 5b$$

- 19. Explain: Do not try to combine the a's and the b's together when you are adding and taking away. They are different variables.
- 20. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify 5x + 4 9y + 3x + 2y 7
- 21. Ask volunteers to identify the like terms. (Answer: 5x and 3x, -9y and 2y, 4 and -7)
- 22. Invite a volunteer to come to the board and collect the terms together (Step 1).

(Answer: 
$$5x + 3x - 9y + 2y + 4 - 7$$
)

- 23. Invite another volunteer to combine the terms together. (Answer: (5+3)x + (-9+2)y + (4-7) = 8x 7y 3)
- 24. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify 4x + 2b

- 25. Discuss: Can this expression be simplified? Why or why not? (Answer: No, It has unlike terms because the variables are *x* and *b*. Unlike terms cannot be added or subtracted.)
- 26. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify 7m + 8n m
  - b. Simplify 5y + 4b 5y 4b
- 27. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 28. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 29. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

- a. 7m + 8n m = 7m m + 8n = (7 1)m + 8n = 6m + 8n.
- b. 5y + 4b 5y 4b = 5y 5y + 4b 4b = (5 5)y + (4 4)b = 0y + 0b = 0

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write four problems on the board: Simplify by combining the like terms:
  - a. 7e + 2f e f
  - b. k + 5g k g
  - c. 4m 6m + 2m m
  - d. 6j + 5k + 3j 2k
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite four volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

#### **Answers:**

- a. 7e + 2f e f = 7e e + 2f f = (7 1)e + (2 1)f = 6e + f
- b. k + 5g k g = k k + 5g g = (1 1)k + (5 1)g = 0k + 4g = 4g
- c. 4m 6m + 2m m = (4 6 + 2 1)m = -m
- d. 6j + 5k + 3j 2k = 6j + 3j + 5k 2k = (6+3)j + (5-2)k = 9j + 3k

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L072 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Simplification - removing	Theme: Algebraic Processes	
brackets		
Lesson Number: M1-L073	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problem in Opening on the	
will be able to simplify algebraic	board.	· -
expression by removing brackets.		

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Simplify: 6k + m + 2k + 12m + 3k.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer: 6k + m + 2k + 12m + 3k = 6k + 2k + 3k + m + 12m = (6 + 2 + 3)k + (1 + 12)m = 11k + 13m)
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on simplifying algebraic expressions by removing brackets.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Remove the brackets: 2(5x 4)
- 2. Explain:
  - · Brackets are used to group terms together.
  - In removing brackets, multiply the term outside the bracket by each of the terms inside the bracket.
- 3. Write the solution on the board, and explain:

$$2(5x-4) = 2(5x) + 2(-4)$$
 Multiply each term in brackets by 2  
=  $10x - 8$ 

- 4. Explain:
  - Take care with the signs when removing brackets.
  - When there is a (+) sign before the brackets, the sign inside the bracket does not change when the brackets are removed.
  - When there is (–) in front of the brackets, the signs inside the brackets change when the brackets are removed.
  - This is because of the rules of multiplication. Remember that multiplying a
    negative by a positive gives a negative answer. Multiplying a negative and a
    negative gives a positive answer.
- 5. Write a problem on the board. Simplify the expression -2(3y-5)
- 6. Explain the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$-2(3y-5) = (-2)(3y) + (-2)(-5)$$
 Multiply each term by  $-2$ 

$$= -6y + 10$$

- 7. Write another problem on the board: remove the brackets from -(3x + 1).
- 8. Discuss:
  - a. What is the number outside of the brackets? (Answer: -1)
  - b. How can we solve this problem?
- 9. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain: When you see a negative sign outside the brackets, treat it as -1. Multiply each term inside the brackets by -1.
- 10. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

#### Solution:

$$-(3x + 1) = (-1)(3x) + (-1)(1)$$
 Multiply each term by  $-1$   
=  $-3x + (-1)$   
=  $-3x - 1$ 

### 11. Explain:

- When you have to simplify an expression with the bracket in it, remove the brackets first and then collect or group the like terms together.
- When there are brackets inside brackets, always remove the inside bracket first.
- 12. Write another problem on the board: Simplify 7(x+3) + 5(x+4)
- 13. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$7(x+3) + 5(x+4)$$
 =  $7x + 21 + 5x + 20$  Remove the brackets  
=  $7x + 5x + 21 + 20$  Collect like terms  
=  $12x + 41$  Combine like terms

- 14. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify 3(4m+1) 2(m-6)
- 15. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to simplify the expression.
- 16. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 17. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

#### Solution:

$$3(4m+1)-2(m-6) = 12m+3-2m+12$$
 Remove the brackets  
=  $12m-2m+3+12$  Collect like terms  
=  $10m+15$  Combine like terms

- 18. Write another problem on the board: Simplify 5a[(2a+b)+3(4a-2b)]
- 19. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$5[(2a+b)+3(4a-2b)] = 5[2a+b+12a-6b]$$
 Remove inside brackets  
=  $10a+5b+60a-30b$  Remove outside brackets  
=  $10a+60a+5b-30b$  Collect like terms  
=  $70a-25b$  Combine like terms

### Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write the following three problems on the board: Simplify the following:
  - a. -(4m + 7n)
  - b. 3(p-q) + 2r(p-q)
  - c. 5[(a-4b)-5(2a-3b)]
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. After several minutes, ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite three volunteers one at a time to write their answer on the board.

### **Solutions:**

a.

$$-(4m + 7n) = (-1)(4m) + (-1)(7n)$$
 Multiply each term by  $-1$   
=  $-4m - 7n$ 

b. 
$$3(p-q)+2r(p-q)=3p-3q+2pr-2qr$$
; there are no like terms.

C.

$$5[(a-4b)-5(2a-3b)] = 5[a-4b-10a+15b]$$
 Remove inside brackets  
=  $5a-20b-50a+75b$  Remove outside brackets  
=  $5a-50a-20b+75b$  Collect like terms  
=  $-45a+55b$  Combine like terms

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L073 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Simplification - expanding	Theme: Algebraic Processes	
brackets		
Lesson Number: M1-L074	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problems in Opening on the	
will be able to simplify algebraic	board.	
expressions by expanding brackets.		

1. Write the following problems on the board: Simplify:

a. 
$$y(x-1) - x(x-2)$$

b. 
$$12b - (5 + 2b) - 7$$

- 2. Remind pupils to remove brackets before combining like terms.
- 3. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently.
- 4. Invite two volunteers to write the solutions on the board at the same time.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$y(x-1) - x(x-2) = xy - y - x^2 + 2x$$
; no like terms  
b.  $12b - (5+2b) - 7 = 12b - 5 - 2b - 7$  Remove the brackets  
 $= 12b - 2b - 5 - 7$  Collect like terms

$$= 10b - 12$$
 Combine like terms

5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on simplifying algebraic expressions by expanding brackets.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - In expanding an expression containing brackets, we rewrite the expression in an equivalent form without any brackets in it.
  - In other words, expanding brackets is the same as removing brackets.
- 2. Write the following problem on the board: Expand 3(x + 2)
- 3. Explain to the pupils that the 3 outside must multiply both terms inside the brackets. 3(x+2) = 3x + 6
- 4. Write another problem on the board: Expand  $-3a^2(3-b)$
- 5. Explain to pupils that both terms inside the brackets must be multiplied by  $-3a^2$ .
- 6. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $-3a^2(3-b) = -9a^2 + 3a^2b$ )
- 7. Write on the board: (x + 5)(x + 10)
- 8. Explain:
  - In this expression, 2 binomials are multiplied. Binomials are algebraic expressions with 2 terms.
  - Multiply each term in one bracket by each term in the other bracket.

- After removing the brackets, always collect like terms together and simplify.
- 9. Write out the solution on the board:

$$(x+5)(x+10) = x(x+10) + 5(x+10)$$
 Multiply each term of the first binomial by the second binomial 
$$= x^2 + 10x + 5x + 50$$
 Remove the brackets 
$$= x^2 + 15x + 50$$
 Combine like terms

- 10. Write another problem on the board: Expand (x-7)(x-10)
- 11. Write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$(x-7)(x-10) = x(x-10) - 7(x-10)$$
 Multiply  
 $= x^2 - 10x - 7x + 70$  Remove the brackets  
 $= x^2 - 17 + 70$  Combine like terms

- 12. Write another problem on the board. Expand (3x-1)(3x+1)
- 13. Ask pupils to solve problem with seatmates.
- 14. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 15. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$(3x-1)(3x+1) = 3x(3x+1) - 1(3x+1)$$
 Multiply  
=  $9x^2 + 3x - 3x - 1$  Remove the brackets  
=  $9x^2 - 1$  Combine like terms

- 16. Write another problem on the board: Expand  $(x-2)^2$
- 17. Explain: We will rewrite this as the multiplication of 2 binomials, then we will treat it as we did the previous problems.
- 18. Rewrite the expression on the board:  $(x-2)^2 = (x-2)(x-2)$
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 20. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

### Solution:

$$(x-2)^2 = (x-2)(x-2)$$
  
=  $x(x-2) - 2(x-2)$  Multiply  
=  $x^2 - 2x - 2x + 4$  Remove the brackets  
=  $x^2 - 4x + 4$  Combine like terms

- 21. Write another problem on the board: Expand and simplify (2x + y)(x y) + (2x y)(x + y)
- 22. Explain:
  - Remember BODMAS. Multiplication comes before addition.
  - First, multiply (expand) each set of binomials. Then, combine the like terms.
- 23. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem. Support them and remind them of the steps as needed.
- 24. Invite volunteers to write the solution on the board. Support them as needed.

Step 1. Multiply the first set of brackets:

$$(2x + y)(x - y) = 2x(x - y) + y(x - y)$$
  
= 2x<sup>2</sup> - 2xy + xy - y<sup>2</sup>  
= 2x<sup>2</sup> - xy - y<sup>2</sup>

Step 2. Multiply the second set of brackets:

$$(2x - y)(x + y) = 2x(x + y) - y(x + y)$$
  
= 2x<sup>2</sup> + 2xy - xy - y<sup>2</sup>  
= 2x<sup>2</sup> + xy - y<sup>2</sup>

**Step 3.** Add the first and second expressions, combining any like terms:

$$(2x + y)(x - y) + (2x - y)(x + y) = (2x2 - xy - y2) + (2x2 + xy - y2)$$
  
= 2x<sup>2</sup> + 2x<sup>2</sup> - xy + xy - y<sup>2</sup> - y<sup>2</sup>  
= 4x<sup>2</sup> - 2y<sup>2</sup>

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write three problems on the board: Expand and simplify the following expressions:
  - a. (5x-1)(x-5)
  - b.  $(k+9)^2$
  - c. (9+8x)(x-4)+(2+x)(x+1)
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow them to exchange their exercise books after 10 minutes.
- 5. Invite three volunteers one at a time to write their answers on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$(5x-1)(x-5)$$
  
 $= 5x(x-5) - (x-5)$   
 $= 5x^2 - 25x - x + 5$   
 $= 5x^2 - 26x + 5$   
b.  $(k+9)^2$   
 $= (k+9)(k+9)$   
 $= k(k+9) + 9(k+9)$   
 $= k^2 + 9k + 9k + 81$   
 $= k^2 + 18k + 81$ 

c. 
$$(9+8x)(x-4) + (2+x)(x+1)$$
  
 $= 9(x-4) + 8x(x-4) + 2(x+1) + x(x+1)$   
 $= 9x - 36 + 8x^2 - 32x + 2x + 2 + x^2 + x$   
 $= 8x^2 + x^2 + 9x - 32x + 2x + x - 36 + 2$   
 $= (8+1)x^2 + (9-32+2+1)x - 34$   
 $= 9x^2 - 20x - 34$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L074 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Factoring - common	Theme: Algebraic Processes	
factors		
Lesson Number: M1-L075	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to factorise algebraic expressions by determining common factors.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Expand and simplify  $(m + 3)^2$ .
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$(m+3)^2 = (m+3)(m+3)$$

$$= m(m+3) + 3(m+3)$$

$$= m^2 + 3m + 3m + 9$$

$$= m^2 + 6m + 9$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on factorising algebraic expressions by determining common factors.

# **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: 2a + 2b
- 2. Discuss: Can you think of any other way to write this expression? (Example answers: No, because they are not like terms. Yes, we can divide by or factor 2.)
- 3. Write on the board: 2(a + b) = 2a + 2b
- 4. Explain:
  - In previous lessons, we simplified expressions like the one on the board using multiplication.
  - Today we will be factoring algebraic expressions. Factoring uses division, so it is the reverse of multiplying.
  - In the expression 2a + 2b, 2 is a common factor because it can divide each term.
  - If we switch sides of the equation on the board, we will have factored 2a + 2b
- 5. Write on the board: 2a + 2b = 2(a + b)
- 6. Explain: The general method used to factor an algebraic expression is to find the factor common to all the terms in the expression and bring it outside the bracket.
- 7. Write a problem on the board: Factorise 10a 15b + 5

- 8. Discuss: Do the terms in this expression have any common factors? What are they? (Answer: The only common factor is 5.)
- 9. Write the solution on the board: 10a 15b + 5 = 5(2a 3b + 1)
- 10. Explain: Remember to divide each factor by 5. Write the result inside the brackets.
- 11. Tell pupils that they can always check factoring by multiplying the right-hand side. It should produce the left-hand side.
- 12. Write another problem on the board. Factorise the expression  $6x^3 + x^2$ .
- 13. Discuss: Do the terms of this expression have any common factors? What are they? (Answers: Accept  $x, x^2$ .)

# 14. Explain:

- a. Variables can also be common factors.
- b. If every term has a power of x, as in the example given, then the lowest power is the highest common factor.
- c. The greatest common factor is  $x^2$ . It is important to take the greatest common factor. If you take another common factor, you will have to factorise the expression a second time.
- d. Remember that factoring is the same as division. If you factor a variable from an expression, subtract the exponents.
- 15. Write the solution on the board:  $6x^3 + x^2 = x^2(6x + 1)$
- 16. Show pupils what happens if they do not choose the greatest factor. Factor x twice:  $6x^3 + x^2 = x(6x^2 + x) = x^2(6x + 1)$
- 17. Write the following problem on the board: Factor  $x^7 + 3x^6 + 2x^5 + x^4$
- 18. Ask pupils to discuss and find the greatest common factor with seatmates.
- 19. Invite a volunteer to write the greatest common factor on the board. (Answer:  $x^4$ )
- 20. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 21. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $x^7 + 3x^6 + 2x^5 + x^4 = x^4(x^3 + 3x^2 + 2x + 1)$ )
- 22. Write another problem on the board: Factor  $6y^2 + 2y$ .
- 23. Discuss:
  - a. What are the factors of this expression? (Answer: 2, y)
  - b. What is the greatest common factor? (Answer: 2y)

# 24. Explain:

- a. We can factor numbers and variables from expressions at the same time.
- b. At times, you might factor a number or variable, and then realise there is more that you can factor. That is fine, just continue with the next factor.
- 25. Factor the problem on the board:  $6y^2 + 2y = 2y(3y + 1)$
- 26. Write it as two steps so pupils understand that they can continue if they choose either 2 or y as a factor:  $6y^2 + 2y = y(6y + 2) = 2y(3y + 1)$
- 27. Write another problem on the board. Factor the following:
  - a.  $15x^2 + 12x$

b. 
$$5x^5 - 4x^4 + 3x^3$$

- 28. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 29. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 30. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to solve the problems on the board.

#### **Solutions:**

a. 
$$15x^2 + 12x = 3x(5x + 4)$$

b. 
$$5x^5 - 4x^4 + 3x^3 = x^3(5x^2 - 4x + 3)$$

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write four problems on the board: Factor the following expressions:
  - a. 2x + 8
  - b. 16y + 10x
  - c.  $5x^5 + 3x^4 2x^3$
  - d.  $8x^2 + 6x$
  - e.  $x^3y^2 xy^2$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite four volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board and explain.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$2x + 8 = 2(x + 4)$$

b. 
$$16y + 10x = 2(8y + 5x)$$

c. 
$$5x^5 + 3x^4 - 2x^3 = x^3(5x^2 + 3x - 2)$$

d. 
$$8x^2 + 6x = 2x(4x + 3)$$

e. 
$$x^3y^2 - xy^2 = xy^2(x^2 - 1)$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L075 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Factoring - grouping	Theme: Algebraic Processes	
Lesson Number: M1-L076	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes	
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problems in Opening on the	
will be able to factorise algebraic	board.	
expressions by grouping common		
terms.		

- 1. Write on the board: Simplify the following algebraic expressions:
  - d. 16m 15m + 3m
  - e. 8yz + z + 2yz 2z 4z
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the answers on the board. (Answer: a. 16m 15m + 3m = 4m b. 8yz + 2yz + z 2z 4z = 10yz 5z).
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on factoring algebraic expressions by grouping common terms.

# **Teaching and Learning** (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $x^2 ax + bx ab$
- 2. Discuss:
  - Are there any common factors in this expression? (Answer: No.)
  - Can you think of any way to factor this?
- 3. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - This expression does not have a common factor.
  - Parts of the expression can be factored.
  - We can factor the parts by grouping.
- 4. Explain the steps required for factoring by grouping:
  - Expressions that we can factor by grouping usually have four terms.
  - Decide if the four terms have anything in common, called the greatest common factor or GCF. If so, factor out the GCF.
  - Create smaller groups within the problem. This is usually done by grouping the first two terms together and the last two terms together. You may need to change the order of the terms.
  - Factor out the GCF from each of the two groups.
  - If the factors inside the bracket are exactly the same, you can factor out what is inside the bracket once. This step will become clear with an example.
- 5. Write a problem on the board: Factor completely:  $x^2 ax + bx ab$
- 6. Explain the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$x^2 - ax + bx - ab$$
 Decide if the four terms have anything in common   
=  $(x^2 - ax) + (bx - ba)$  Create smaller groups   
=  $x(x - a) + b(x - a)$  Factorise the GCF from each of the two groups   
=  $(x - a)(x + b)$  See explanation below

- 7. Explain the last step:
  - After factoring the GCFs, we have 2 terms: x(x-a) and b(x-a).
  - These two terms have a common factor of (x a).
  - Factoring out (x a), we have x + b.
  - Thus, the product of these 2 binomials is our answer.
- 8. Write another problem on the board: Factor completely:  $x^3 + 2x^2 3x 6$
- 9. Ask volunteers to give the steps. As they give them, factor on the board:

### Solution:

$$x^3 + 2x^2 - 3x - 6$$
 Decide if the four terms have anything in common  $= (x^3 + 2x^2) + (-3x - 6)$  Create smaller groups  $= x^2(x+2) - 3(x+2)$  Factorise the GCF from each of the two groups  $= (x^2 - 3)(x + 2)$ 

- 10. Write another problem on the board: Factor completely:  $3p^2 + 2qt + 6qp + pt$
- 11. Explain:
  - In this problem, we need to change the order of the terms, so that the terms that can be factored are next to each other.
  - Change the positions of the terms. Position the terms with *t* near each other. We can then factor *p* from 2 terms, and *t* from 2 terms.
- 12. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

$$3p^2 + 2qt + 6qp + pt$$
 Original numbers given  
 $= 3p^2 + 6qp + 2qt + pt$  Reposition the terms  
 $= (3p^2 + 6qp) + (pt + 2qt)$  Create smaller groups  
 $= 3p(p + 2q) + t(p + 2q)$  Factor out the GCF from each of the two groups  
 $= (3p + t)(p + 2q)$ 

- 13. Explain:
  - For some problems, there is more than 1 way to factor.
  - For example, in the problem on the board, you could have factored p and q instead of p and t. You would arrive at the same answer.
- 14. Solve the problem again, factoring p and q this time:

$$3p^2 + 2qt + 6qp + pt$$
 Original numbers given 
$$= 3p^2 + pt + 6qp + 2qt$$
 Reposition the terms 
$$= (3p^2 + pt) + (6qp + 2qt)$$
 Create smaller groups 
$$= p(3p + t) + 2q(3p + t)$$
 Factor out the GCF from each of the two groups 
$$= (p + 2q)(3p + t)$$

- 15. Write another problem on the board: Factor completely: ab 2 + a 2b
- 16. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 17. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$ab-2+a-2b = ab+a-2b-2$$
  
=  $a(b+1)-2(b+1)$   
=  $(a-2)(b+1)$ 

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write four problems on the board: Completely factor the following:
  - a.  $x^3 3x^2 + 5x 15$

b. 
$$9x - 27y + 7x^2 - 21xy$$

c. 
$$ad + bc + ac + bd$$

d. 
$$4b^2 - 27ac - 6ab + 18bc$$

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask the pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite four volunteers one at a time to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$x^3 - 3x^2 + 5x - 15$$
  
 $= x^2(x-3) + 5(x-3)$   
 $= (x^2 + 5)(x-3)$   
b.  $9x - 27y + 7x^2 - 21xy$   
 $= 9(x-3y) + 7x(x-3y)$   
 $= (9+7x)(x-3y)$ 

c. 
$$ad + bc + ac + bd$$
  
 $= ac + ad + bc + bd$   
 $= a(c + d) + b(c + d)$   
 $= (a + b)(c + d)$   
d.  $4b^2 - 27ac - 6ab + 18bc - 27ac$   
 $= 2b(2b - 3a) + 9c(2b - 3a)$   
 $= (2b + 9c)(2b - 3a)$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L076 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Substitution of values	Theme: Algebraic I	Processes
Lesson Number: M1-L077	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to substitute values into given algebraic expressions.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Factor completely: px 2qx 4qy + 2py.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

### Solution:

$$px - 2qx - 4qy + 2py = (px + 2py) - (2qx - 4qy)$$
$$= p(x + 2y) - 2q(x + 2y)$$
$$= (x + 2y)(p - 2q)$$

4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on substituting values into given algebraic expressions.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - In algebra, "substitution" means putting numbers where the letters are.
  - Substitution is a useful tool in algebra to find a value or to rewrite equations in terms of a single variable.
- 2. Write an example on the board: Find the value of x 2 if x = 6.
- 3. Explain:
  - We can substitute 6 for x.
  - Instead of x 2, we will have 6 2.
- 4. Write the solution on the board: 6-2=4.
- 5. Write the following problem on the board: If x = 3 and y = 4, what is x + xy?
- 6. Explain:
  - It doesn't matter how many variables a problem has. We will solve it in the same way, by substituting each value we are given.
  - We put 3 where x is, and 4 where y is.
  - Remember that two variables written together in a term (as in *xy*) means they are multiplied together.
- 7. Solve the problem on the board:

$$x + xy = 3 + (3)(4)$$
  
= 3 + 12  
= 15

- 8. Write another problem on the board: Find  $x^2 + x$  if x = 2.
- 9. Ask volunteers to give the steps needed to solve. As they give them, solve on the board:

$$x^{2} + x = 2^{2} + 2$$
$$= 4 + 2$$
$$= 6$$

- 10. Write another problem on the board: If x = 5, what is  $x + \frac{x}{2}$ ?
- 11. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 12. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

$$x + \frac{x}{2} = 5 + \frac{5}{2}$$
  
= 5 + 2.5  
= 7.5

### 13. Explain:

- When substituting negative numbers, put brackets around them so you get the calculations right.
- Two like signs become a positive sign and two unlike signs become a negative sign.
- 14. Write the following problem on the board: If x = -2, what is the value of  $1 x + x^2$ ?
- 15. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$1 - x + x^2 = 1 - (-2) + (-2)^2$$
 Substitute  $x = -2$   
=  $1 + 2 + (-2)^2$  Change the two negative signs to +  
=  $1 + 2 + 4$  Simplify  
=  $7$ 

- 16. Write another problem on the board: Evaluate  $\frac{2a^2bc}{2b-c}$  when a=3,b=-4 and c=-5
- 17. Explain:
  - As long as you know how to work out the arithmetic, you can solve the problem.
  - Remember to use the order of operations (BODMAS) when evaluating.
- 18. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 19. Ask a volunteer to substitute the value of a, b and c in the expression.
- 20. Ask another volunteer to complete the solution.

$$\frac{2a^2bc}{2b-c} = \frac{2(3)^2(-4)(-5)}{2(-4)-(-5)} = \frac{2\times 9\times 20}{-8+5} = \frac{360}{-3} = -120$$

- 21. Write a problem on the board: Evaluate  $ab\sqrt{c^2+b^2}$ , given that a=2, b=-3 and c=4.
- 22. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 23. Invite any volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

$$ab\sqrt{c^2 + b^2} = 2(-3)\sqrt{(4)^2 + (-3)^2}$$

$$= -6\sqrt{16 + 9}$$

$$= -6\sqrt{25}$$

$$= (-6) \times (\pm 5)$$

$$= +30$$

24. Remind pupils that the result of a square root can be positive or negative. This is because (-5)(-5) = 25 and  $5 \times 5 = 25$ .

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. If x = -3, find the value of  $x^2 + 5$ .
  - b. If y = 3 and z = -1, find the value of yz + 12.
  - c. if a=-3, b=2, c=1 and d=-4, find the value of  $\left(\frac{c-a}{b-d}\right)^2$ .
  - d. Evaluate  $\frac{a^2}{2b+c}$  when a=2, b=-3 and c=-2.
- 2. Ask pupils to work independently and solve the problems in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite 4 volunteers to write the solutions on the board.
- 5. Ask the class to check their answers with the answers on the board. Explain the solutions if needed.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$x^2 + 5 = (-3)^2 + 5 = 9 + 5 = 14$$

b. 
$$yz + 12 = (3)(-1) + 12 = -3 + 12 = 9$$

C. 
$$\left(\frac{c-a}{b-d}\right)^2 = \left[\frac{1-(-3)}{2-(-4)}\right]^2 = \left(\frac{1+3}{2+4}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{4}{6}\right)^2 = \frac{4^2}{6^2} = \frac{16}{36} = \frac{4}{9}$$

d. 
$$\frac{a^2}{2b+c} = \frac{(2)^2}{2(-3)+(-2)} = \frac{4}{-6-2} = \frac{4}{-8} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L077 in the Pupil Handbook.

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Lesson Title: Addition of algebraic	<b>Theme:</b> Algebraic	Processes
fractions		
Lesson Number: M1-L078	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the prob	olem in Opening on the
will be able to add algebraic fractions.	board.	

- 1. Write a revision problem on the board: Find the value of 3(x + y) if x = -2 and y = 7.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Solution: 3(x + y) = 3(-2 + 7) = 3(5) = 15).
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on addition of algebraic fractions.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $\frac{x}{2} = \frac{x}{y} = \frac{wxy}{xyz} = \frac{2+x}{2-x}$
- 2. Discuss: Ask pupils to describe the expressions on the board. (Example answers: Fractions with variables; algebraic expressions; algebraic fractions.)
- 3. Explain:
  - Fractions that involve variables are called "algebraic fractions".
  - This lesson is on adding simple algebraic fractions, similar to the ones on the board.
- 4. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{x}{3} + \frac{x}{2}$
- 5. Explain:
  - The process for adding algebraic fractions is similar to the process for adding numerical fractions.
  - To add algebraic fractions:
    - Find the lowest common multiple (LCM) of the denominators.
    - Express all fractions with the LCM in the denominator.
    - Once the fractions have the same denominator, they are **like fractions** and can be added.
    - Add the fractions, and combine like terms if possible.
    - If the answer can be simplified, simplify it.
- 6. Ask a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators of the fractions on the board. (Answer: The LCM of 3 and 2 is 6)
- 7. Explain to pupils how to solve the problem.

$$\frac{x}{3} + \frac{x}{2} = \frac{2 \times x}{6} + \frac{3 \times x}{6}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM

$$= \frac{2x}{6} + \frac{3x}{6}$$
Simplify the numerators
$$= \frac{2x+3x}{6}$$
Add the numerators
$$= \frac{5x}{6}$$

- 8. Explain: This cannot be simplified further. The answer is also an algebraic fraction,  $\frac{5x}{6}$ .
- 9. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{x}{12} + \frac{y}{4}$
- 10. Invite a volunteer to write the LCM of 12 and 4 on the board. (Answer: 12)
- 11. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$\frac{x}{12} + \frac{y}{4} = \frac{x}{12} + \frac{3y}{12}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM =  $\frac{x+3y}{12}$  Add the numerators

- 12. Explain: This cannot be simplified further. Recall that only like terms can be combined.
- 13. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{4x+3}{12} + \frac{2x+5}{8}$
- 14. Ask any volunteer to write the LCM of 12 and 8 on the board. (Answer: 24)
- 15. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve the problem on the board:

$$\frac{4x+3}{12} + \frac{2x+5}{8} = \frac{2(4x+3)}{24} + \frac{3(2x+5)}{24}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{8x+6+6x+15}{24}$$
 Simplify and add the numerators 
$$= \frac{8x+6x+6+15}{24}$$
 Collect like terms 
$$= \frac{14x+21}{24}$$
 Combine like terms

- 16. Write 2 problems on the board: Simplify: a.  $\frac{y}{5} + \frac{y}{3}$  b.  $\frac{3x-2}{5} + \frac{x+1}{3}$
- 17. Invite a volunteer to write the LCM of 5 and 3 on the board. (Answer: 15)
- 18. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problems.
- 19. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 20. Invite a volunteer to write out the solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a.

$$\frac{y}{5} + \frac{y}{3} = \frac{3y}{15} + \frac{5y}{15}$$

$$= \frac{3y + 5y}{15}$$

$$= \frac{8y}{15}$$
Combine like terms

b.

$$\frac{3x-2}{5} + \frac{x+1}{3} = \frac{3(3x-2)}{15} + \frac{5(x+1)}{15}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{3(3x-2)+5(x+1)}{15}$$
 Simplify the numerators

$$= \frac{9x-6+5x+5}{15}$$
 Remove the brackets
$$= \frac{9x+5x-6+5}{15}$$
 Collect like terms
$$= \frac{14x-1}{15}$$
 Combine like terms

## Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\frac{3d+6}{4} + \frac{d+3}{2}$
  - b. Simplify  $\frac{x-1}{3} + \frac{x+3}{2}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear any misconception.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books to check answers.
- 5. Ask two volunteers one at a time to write their solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$\frac{3d+6}{4} + \frac{d+3}{2} = \frac{3d+6}{4} + \frac{2(d+3)}{4}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{3d+6+2(d+3)}{4}$$
 Add the numerators 
$$= \frac{3d+6+2d+6}{4}$$
 Remove the brackets 
$$= \frac{3d+2d+6+6}{4}$$
 Collect like terms 
$$= \frac{5d+12}{4}$$
 Combine like terms 
$$= \frac{5d+12}{4}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{2(x-1)}{6} + \frac{3(x+3)}{6}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{2(x-1)+3(x+3)}{6}$$
 Add the numerators 
$$= \frac{2x-2+3x+9}{6}$$
 Remove the brackets 
$$= \frac{2x+3x-2+9}{6}$$
 Collect like terms 
$$= \frac{5x+7}{6}$$
 Combine like terms

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L078 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Subtraction of algebraic	Theme: Algebraic I	Processes
fractions		
Lesson Number: M1-L079	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the prob	lem in Opening on the
will be able to subtract algebraic	board.	
fractions.		

- 1. Write a revision problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{m}{4} + \frac{m+1}{3}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

### Solution:

$$\frac{m}{4} + \frac{m+1}{3} = \frac{3m}{12} + \frac{4(m+1)}{12}$$

$$= \frac{3m+4(m+1)}{12}$$

$$= \frac{3m+4m+4}{12}$$

$$= \frac{7m+4}{12}$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on subtracting algebraic fractions.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - The process for subtracting algebraic fractions is similar to the process for adding algebraic fractions.
  - To subtract algebraic fractions:
    - Find the lowest common multiple (LCM) of the denominators.
    - Express all fractions with the LCM in the denominator.
    - Once the fractions have the same denominator, they are like fractions and can be added or subtracted.
    - Subtract the fractions. Subtract each of the like terms in the numerator.
    - If the answer can be simplified, simplify it.
  - Be careful of a minus sign before a bracket.
  - When there is a minus sign before a bracket, the sign(s) inside the bracket change(s).
- 2. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{3x}{4} \frac{x}{3}$
- 3. Ask a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators. (Answer: 12)
- 4. Solve on the board, explaining each step.

$$\frac{3x}{4} - \frac{x}{3} = \frac{3(3x)}{12} - \frac{4x}{12}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{9x}{12} - \frac{4x}{12}$$
 Simplify the numerators 
$$= \frac{9x - 4x}{12}$$
 Subtract the numerators 
$$= \frac{5x}{12}$$
 Combine like terms

- 5. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{a-4}{2} \frac{a-2}{6}$
- 6. Invite a volunteer to write the LCM of 2 and 6 on the board. (Answer: 6)
- 7. Ask volunteers to describe the steps to solve the problem. As they describe them, solve on the board.

$$\frac{a-4}{2} - \frac{a-2}{6} = \frac{3(a-4)}{6} - \frac{a-2}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3a-12}{6} - \frac{a-2}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3a-12-(a-2)}{6}$$

$$= \frac{3a-12-a+2}{6}$$
Subtract the numerators
$$= \frac{3a-12-a+2}{6}$$
Distribute the negative sign
$$= \frac{3a-a-12+2}{6}$$
Collect like terms
$$= \frac{2a-10}{6}$$
Combine like terms
$$= \frac{2(a-5)}{2(3)}$$
Factor out 2
$$= \frac{a-5}{2}$$
Simplify

8. Write 2 more problems on the board: Simplify: a.  $\frac{5a}{3} - \frac{a}{2}$  b.  $\frac{b+5}{7} - \frac{2-b}{5}$ 

a. 
$$\frac{5a}{3} - \frac{a}{2}$$
 b.  $\frac{b+5}{7} - \frac{2-5}{5}$ 

- 9. Invite a volunteer to write the LCM of the denominators of each problem on the board. (Answer: a. 6, b. 35)
- 10. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problems.
- 11. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 12. Invite volunteers to write out the solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a.

$$\frac{5a}{3} - \frac{a}{2} = \frac{10a}{6} - \frac{3a}{6}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$= \frac{10a - 3a}{6}$$
 Subtract the numerators 
$$= \frac{7a}{6}$$
 Combine like terms

b. 
$$\frac{b+5}{7} - \frac{2-b}{5} = \frac{5(b+5)}{35} - \frac{7(2-b)}{35}$$
 Express the denominators as the LCM

$$= \frac{5(b+5)-7(2-b)}{35}$$
 Subtract the numerators
$$= \frac{5b+25-14+7b}{35}$$
 Simplify the numerators
$$= \frac{5b+7b+25-14}{35}$$
 Collect like terms
$$= \frac{12b+11}{35}$$
 Combine like terms

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\frac{3x+2}{3} \frac{x-1}{4}$
- b. Simplify  $\frac{2x-5}{7} \frac{8x-8}{6}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems individually.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write their answers on the board.

## **Answers:**

Express the denominators as the LCM 
$$\frac{\frac{3x+2}{3} - \frac{x-1}{4}}{\frac{3}{3}} = \frac{\frac{4(3x+2)}{12} - \frac{3(x-1)}{12}}{\frac{12}{12}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{4(3x+2)-3(x-1)}{12}}{\frac{12}{12}}$$
Subtract the numerators 
$$= \frac{\frac{12x+8-3x+3}{12}}{\frac{12}{12}}$$
Simplify the numerators 
$$= \frac{9x+11}{12}$$
Combine like terms 
$$= \frac{9x+11}{12}$$
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$$\frac{2x-5}{3} = \frac{8x-8}{3} = \frac{6(2x-5)}{3} = \frac{7(8x-8)}{3}$$
Express the denominators as the LCM

$$\frac{2x-5}{7} - \frac{8x-8}{6} = \frac{6(2x-5)}{7} - \frac{7(8x-8)}{6}$$
 Express the denominato 
$$= \frac{6(2x-5)-7(8x-8)}{42}$$
 Subtract the numerators 
$$= \frac{12x-30-56x+56}{42}$$
 Simplify the numerators 
$$= \frac{12x-56x-30+56}{42}$$
 Collect like terms 
$$= \frac{-44x+26}{42}$$
 Combine like terms 
$$= \frac{26-44x}{42}$$
 
$$= \frac{2(13-22x)}{2(21)}$$
 Factor out 2 Simplify

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L079 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Linear equations	Theme: Algebraic F	Processes
Lesson Number: M1-L080	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to solve linear equations using the balance method.	Preparation None	

- 1. Write on the board: Solve for x in the equation x + 5 = 7
- 2. Discuss: What is the value of x in the equation? Can you tell by observing? (Answer: Pupils can use logic to identify that x = 2, because 2 + 5 = 7.)
- 3. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on solving linear equations using the balancing method.

## **Teaching and Learning** (25 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - The equation on the board is an example of a linear equation in 1 variable.
  - A linear equation in one variable is an equation that can be written in the form ax + b = c where a, b and c are real numbers, x is the variable and  $a \neq 0$
  - The highest power of the variable in a linear equation is 1, so linear equations are also called first-degree equations.
  - a. Today we will solve for variables using the balancing method.
- 2. Explain:
  - To use the balancing method, we solve by applying the same operation to both sides of an equals sign. Our goal is to get the variable by itself.
  - These are possible steps in using the balancing method:
    - Add the same quantity to each side.
    - Subtract the same quantity from each side.
    - Multiply each side by the same quantity.
    - Divide each side by the same quantity.
- 3. Write the solution to the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$x + 5 = 7$$
  
 $x + 5 - 5 = 7 - 5$  Subtract 5 from both sides  
 $x + 0 = 2$   
 $x = 2$ 

- 4. Write a problem on the board: Solve for x if 8 = 3x 7
- 5. Explain:

- a. When balancing, perform addition or subtraction before multiplication and division.
- b. To get *x* by itself in this problem, we will need to divide by 3 and add 7. Add 7 first, before dividing by 3.
- 6. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$8 = 3x - 7$$

$$8 + 7 = 3x - 7 + 7$$

$$15 = 3x$$

$$\frac{15}{3} = \frac{3x}{3}$$

$$5 = x$$

$$x = 5$$
Add 7 to both sides
Divide both sides by 3

- 7. Explain: After solving for a variable, we can check our answer by using substitution.
- 8. Show how to check on the board:

$$8 = 3(5) - 7$$
 Substitute  $x = 5$   
 $8 = 15 - 7$  Simplify  
 $8 = 8$ 

- 9. Explain: After checking, the 2 sides of the equation should be the same.
- 10. Write another problem on the board: Solve for x if 5x 3 = 3x + 7
- 11. Discuss: What will we do first? Then what will we do next?
- 12. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain:
  - a. We have x on both sides of the equation. We need to subtract 3x from both sides to get x on only one side.
  - b. We will perform addition and/or subtraction.
  - c. Finally, we will perform division.
- 13. Write the solution on the board and explain.

### Solution:

$$5x - 3 = 3x + 7$$

$$5x - 3 - 3x = 3x + 7 - 3x$$
Subtract 3x from both sides
$$2x - 3 = 7$$

$$2x - 3 + 3 = 7 + 3$$
Add 3 to both sides
$$2x = 10$$

$$\frac{2x}{2} = \frac{10}{2}$$
Divide both sides by 2
$$x = 5$$

- 14. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to check the answer.
- 15. Invite a volunteer to write their work on the board.

#### Check:

$$5(5) - 3 = 3(5) + 7$$
  
 $25 - 3 = 15 + 7$ 

$$22 = 22$$

- 16. Write another problem on the board: Solve for y in the equation 4y + 1 = 4 y
- 17. Ask volunteers to give each step to solve the problem. As they give the steps, solve on the board.

$$4y + 1 = 4 - y$$

$$4y + y + 1 = 4 - y + y$$

$$5y + 1 = 4$$

$$5y + 1 - 1 = 4 - 1$$

$$5y = 3$$

$$\frac{5y}{5} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$y = \frac{3}{5}$$
Divide both sides by 5
$$y = \frac{3}{5}$$

- 18. Write another problem on the board: Solve 5a 8 = a + 5
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 20. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

### Solution:

$$5a - 8 = a + 5$$

$$5a - a - 8 = a + 5 - a$$

$$4a - 8 = 5$$

$$4a - 8 + 8 = 5 + 8$$

$$4a = 13$$

$$\frac{4a}{4} = \frac{13}{4}$$

$$a = \frac{13}{4} = 3\frac{1}{4}$$
Divide both sides by 4

## Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write the following three problems on the board: Solve the following:
  - a. a + 9 = 16
  - b. 20 = 2x + 4
  - c. 9 + 4x = 3 2x
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite three volunteers to write their solutions on the board.

a.

$$a+9=16$$
  
 $a+9-9=16-9$  Subtract 9 from both sides  
 $a=7$ 

b.

$$20 = 2x + 4$$

$$20 - 4 = 2x + 4 - 4$$

$$16 = 2x$$

$$\frac{16}{2} = \frac{2x}{2}$$

$$8 = x$$

$$x = 8$$
Subtract 4 from both sides
$$2$$
Divide both sides by 2

C.

$$9+4x = 3-2x$$

$$9+4x+2x = 3-2x+2x$$

$$9+6x = 3$$

$$9-9+6x = 3-9$$

$$6x = -6$$

$$\frac{6x}{6} = \frac{-6}{6}$$

$$x = -1$$
Add 2x to both sides
Subtract 9 from both sides
Divide both sides by 6

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L080 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Linear equations with	Theme: Algebraic I	Processes
brackets		
Lesson Number: M1-L081	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	None	
will be able to solve linear		
equations that contain brackets.		

- 1. Write a revision problem on the board: Solve 2y 5 = y 2
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

### Solution:

$$2y-5 = y-2$$

$$2y-y-5 = y-y-2$$

$$y-5 = -2$$

$$y-5+5 = -2+5$$

$$y = 3$$
Subtract  $y$  from both sides
$$y = 3$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on solving linear equations that contain brackets.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Solve 2(p + 1) = 18
- 2. Explain:
  - This is also a linear equation, but it contains brackets.
  - To solve the equation containing brackets, we may proceed as follows:
    - Remove the brackets.
    - Balance the equation, as in the previous lesson.
  - Remember that when there is a negative sign outside the bracket, the signs inside the brackets change.
- 3. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step.

$$2(p+1) = 18$$
  
 $2p+2 = 18$  Removing the brackets  
 $2p+2-2 = 18-2$  Subtract 2 from both sides  
 $2p = 16$   
 $\frac{2p}{2} = \frac{16}{2}$  Divide both sides by 2  
 $p = 8$ 

- 4. Write the following problem on the board: Solve 3(m+6) = 2(m-3)
- 5. Ask volunteers to describe the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

$$3(m+6) = 2(m-3)$$
  
 $3m+18 = 2m-6$  Remove the brackets  
 $3m-2m+18 = 2m-2m-6$  Subtract  $2m$  from both sides  
 $m+18=-6$  Subtract 18 from both sides  
 $m=-24$ 

- 6. Write another problem on the board: Solve -5(2y-1) = -7y + 6
- 7. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to remove the brackets.
- 8. Invite a volunteer to rewrite the equation on the board with the brackets removed. (Answer: -10y + 5 = -7y + 6)
- 9. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 10. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to solve for *y* on the board.

$$-5(2y-1) = -7y+6$$

$$-10y+5 = -7y+6$$
Remove the brackets
$$-10y+5+7y = -7y+7y+6$$

$$-3y+5 = 6$$

$$-3y+5-5 = 6-5$$
Subtract 5 from both sides
$$-3y = 1$$

$$\frac{-3y}{-3} = \frac{1}{-3}$$
Divide both sides by  $-3$ 

$$y = -\frac{1}{2}$$

- 12. Write a problem on the board: Solve 3(4c-7)-4(4c-1)=0
- 13. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 14. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 15. Invite a volunteer to solve for c on the board.

$$3(4c-7)-4(4c-1)=0$$
 $12c-21-16c+4=0$  Remove brackets
 $12c-16c-21+4=0$  Collect like terms
 $-4c-17=0$  Combine like terms
 $-4c-17+17=0+17$  Add 17 to both sides
 $-4c=17$ 
 $\frac{-4c}{-4}=\frac{17}{-4}$  Divide both sides by -4
 $c=\frac{-17}{4}=-4\frac{1}{4}$ 

### Practice (12 minutes)

1. Write the following two problems on the board: Solve the following equations:

a. 
$$x + 6 = 3(2x - 2)$$

b. 
$$5(a+2) - 3(3a-5) = 1$$

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a.

$$x+6=3(2x-2)$$
  
 $x+6=6x-6$  Remove the brackets  
 $x-6x+6=6x-6x-6$  Subtract  $6x$  from both sides  
 $-5x+6=-6$  Add  $-6$  from both sides  
 $-5x=-12$  Divide both sides by  $-5$   
 $x=\frac{12}{5}=2\frac{2}{5}$ 

b.

$$5(a+2) - 3(3a-5) = 1$$
  
 $5a + 10 - 9a + 15 = 1$  Remove the brackets  
 $5a - 9a + 10 + 15 = 1$  Collect like terms  
 $-4a + 25 = 1$   
 $-4a + 25 - 25 = 1 - 25$  Subtract 25 from both sides  
 $-4a = -24$   
 $\frac{-4a}{-4} = \frac{-24}{-4}$  Divide both sides by -4  
 $a = 6$ 

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L081 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Linear equations with	Theme: Algebraic I	Processes
fractions		
Lesson Number: M1-L082	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	None	
will be able to solve linear		
equations that contain fractions.		

- 1. Write a revision problem on the board: Solve 2(3b + 4) = 26
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

### Solution:

$$2(3b + 4) = 26$$

$$6b + 8 = 26$$
Remove the brackets
$$6b + 8 - 8 = 26 - 8$$
Subtract 8
$$6b = 18$$

$$\frac{6b}{6} = \frac{18}{6}$$
Divide by 6
$$b = 3$$

4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on solving linear equations that contain fractions.

# Teaching and Learning (24 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Solve  $\frac{x}{6} = 8$
- 2. Discuss: How would you solve this? (Answer: We can multiply both sides by 6 to get *x* by itself on the left-hand side.)
- 3. Explain:
  - When an equation contains a fraction, we can multiply to cancel the denominator.
  - Multiply both sides of the equation by the denominator of the fraction.
- 4. Solve the problem on the board:

$$\frac{x}{6} = 8$$

$$6\left(\frac{x}{6}\right) = 6(8)$$
Multiply by 6
$$x = 48$$
6 cancels on the left-hand side

- 5. Write another problem on the board: Solve  $\frac{x}{6} + \frac{x}{4} = 10$
- 6. Explain:

- When there is more than 1 fraction, they can be canceled by multiplying throughout by the LCM of denominators.
- After multiplying by the LCM, follow the steps from the previous 2 lessons.
   Remove any brackets, and balance the equation to solve for the variable.
- 7. Invite a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators in the problem on the board. (Answer: The LCM of 6 and 4 is 12.)
- 8. Solve the problem on the board and explain to pupils.

$$\frac{x}{6} + \frac{x}{4} = 10$$

$$12\left(\frac{x}{6}\right) + 12\left(\frac{x}{4}\right) = 12(10)$$
 Multiply each term by the LCM, 12
$$2x + 3x = 120$$
 Simplify
$$5x = 120$$
 Combine like terms
$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{120}{5}$$
 Divide both sides by 5
$$x = 24$$

- 9. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to check whether x = 24 is correct.
- 10. Remind them to substitute the value of x = 24 into  $\frac{x}{6} + \frac{x}{4}$ , which should result in 10.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to write their work on the board. (Answer:  $\frac{x}{6} + \frac{x}{4} = \frac{24}{6} + \frac{24}{4} = 4 + 6 = 10$ )
- 12. Write the following problem on the board: Solve the equation  $\frac{7}{24} = \frac{x}{8} + \frac{1}{6}$
- 13. Ask a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators in the problem. (Answer: The LCM of 24, 8, and 6 is 24.)
- 14. Explain:
  - It is not necessary to clear every fraction by multiplying by the LCM. We must clear the fractions with a variable.
  - In this problem, we could multiply throughout by 8, the denominator of the algebraic fraction.
  - However, the problem is easier to work if we clear every fraction, so we will use the LCM.
- 15. Explain the solution to the pupils.

$$\frac{7}{24} = \frac{x}{8} + \frac{1}{6}$$

$$24\left(\frac{7}{24}\right) = 24\left(\frac{x}{8}\right) + 24\left(\frac{1}{6}\right)$$
 Multiply by 24, the LCM
$$7 = 3x + 4$$

$$7 - 4 = 3x + 4 - 4$$
 Subtract 4
$$3 = 3x$$

$$\frac{3}{3} = \frac{3x}{3}$$
Divide by 3
$$1 = x$$

$$x = 1$$

16. Write the following problem on the board: Solve the equation  $\frac{3}{4}x - 1\frac{2}{3} = \frac{2}{3}x$ 

17. Ask a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators in the problem. (Answer: The LCM of 3 and 4 is 12.)

18. Ask volunteers to give the steps needed to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

### Solution:

$$\frac{3}{4}x - 1\frac{2}{3} = \frac{2}{3}x$$

$$\frac{3}{4}x - \frac{5}{3} = \frac{2}{3}x$$
Convert mixed to improper fraction
$$12\left(\frac{3}{4}x\right) - 12\left(\frac{5}{3}\right) = 12\left(\frac{2}{3}x\right)$$
Multiply by the LCM, 12
$$9x - 20 = 8x$$
Remove the brackets
$$9x - 20 + 20 = 8x + 20$$

$$9x = 8x + 20$$

$$9x = 8x + 20$$

$$9x - 8x = 8x + 20$$
Subtract  $8x$ 

$$x = 20$$

19. Write another problem on the board: Solve  $\frac{x+1}{3} + \frac{x-1}{4} = 3$ 

20. Ask a volunteer to give the LCM of the denominators. (Answer: 12)

21. Ask pupils to solve the problem with their seatmates.

22. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

23. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

$$\frac{x+1}{3} + \frac{x-1}{4} = 3$$

$$12\left(\frac{x+1}{3}\right) + 12\left(\frac{x-1}{4}\right) = 12(3)$$
Multiply each term by the LCM=30
$$4(x+1) + 3(x-1) = 36$$
Remove the brackets
$$4x + 4 + 3x - 3 = 36$$
Collect like terms
$$7x + 1 = 36$$

$$7x + 1 - 1 = 36 - 1$$
Subtract 1
$$7x = 35$$

$$\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{35}{7}$$
Divide by 7
$$x = 5$$

## Practice (12 minutes)

1. Write the following problems on the board:

a. Solve 
$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{2x}{3} = 7$$
  
b. Solve  $\frac{x+1}{3} - \frac{x-1}{8} = 4$ 

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$\frac{x}{2} + \frac{2x}{3} = 7$$

$$6\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) + 6\left(\frac{2x}{3}\right) = 6(7)$$

$$3x + 4x = 42$$

$$7x = 42$$

$$\frac{7x}{7} = \frac{42}{7}$$

$$x = 6$$

$$24\left(\frac{x+1}{3}\right) - 24\left(\frac{x-1}{8}\right) = 24(4)$$

$$8(x+1) - 3(x-1) = 24(4)$$

$$8x + 8 - 3x + 3 = 96$$

$$8x - 3x + 8 + 3 = 96$$

$$5x + 11 = 96$$

$$5x + 11 - 11 = 96 - 11$$

$$5x = 85$$

$$\frac{5x}{5} = \frac{85}{5}$$

$$x = 17$$

# Closing (1minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L082 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Word problems	Theme: Algebraic F	Processes
Lesson Number: M1-L083	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to create and solve equations from word problems.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write on the board: Write an expression for the following: A certain number plus nine is equal to five times the number.
- 2. Explain that pupils should use a variable to represent the unknown number.
- 3. Ask pupils to write the expression with seatmates.
- 4. Invite a volunteer to write their expression on the board. If other pupils wrote something else, have them write it on the board too. Encourage all pupils, even if their expressions are incorrect.
- 5. Discuss the expressions as a class before determining the correct expression. (Answer: x + 9 = 5x)
- 6. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on solving equations from word problems.

## Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Explain: There are many types of word problems which involve relations among known and unknown numbers. These can be written in the form of equations.
- 2. Explain the steps for solving linear equations from word problems. Ask pupils to look at this section in their Pupil Handbook, or write the steps on the board:
  - Read the problem carefully and note what is given and what is required.
  - Assign a variable to represent each unknown.
  - Identify any value that is multiplied by the variable (the coefficient).
  - Identify any value that is constant.
  - Write the algebraic expression representing the situation.
  - Solve the equation for the unknown variable.
  - Check whether the answer satisfies the conditions of the problem.
- 3. Write on the board: You make 90.00 Leones for every hour that you work. If you make 1,800.00 Leones in total, how many hours did you work?
- 4. Ask a volunteer to give the unknown in this problem. (Answer: Hours you worked)
- 5. Ask a volunteer to choose a variable to represent this unknown. (Example answer: *h* for hours)
- 6. Discuss: Which number can be a coefficient of the variable *h*? Why? (Answer: 90 because if you make 90 Leones for each hour you work, you should multiply 90 by the number of hours worked).

- 7. Invite a volunteer to write down the algebraic expression on the board. (Answer: 90h)
- 8. Discuss? What is the full algebraic equation representing this situation? Why? (Answer: 90h = 1,800, because the total amount of money earned was 1,800.00 Leones.)
- 9. Solve the following problem on the board:

$$90h = 1800$$
 $\frac{90h}{90} = \frac{1800}{90}$  Divide by 90
 $h = 20 \text{ hours}$ 

- 10. Write on the board: The sum of two numbers is 25. One of the numbers exceeds the other by 9. Find the numbers.
- 11. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

Let the number be *y* 

Then the other number is y + 9

The sum of the two numbers is 25

In this situation, y + y + 9 = 25

Solve for *y*:

$$y + y + 9 = 25$$

$$2y + 9 = 25$$

$$2y + 9 - 9 = 25 - 9$$
Subtract 9 from both sides
$$2y = 16$$

$$\frac{2y}{2} = \frac{16}{2}$$
Divide both sides by 2
$$y = 8$$

Therefore, y + 9 = 8 + 9 = 17

Therefore, the two numbers are 8 and 17.

- 12. Write another problem on the board: Michael is 3 years older than Fatu. The sum of their ages is 27. How old is Fatu?
- 13. Discuss:
  - How would you start by solving this problem?
  - What steps would you take?
- 14. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain: We start by assigning a variable. Let's use f to represent Fatu's age.
- 15. Write on the board:

Fatu's age: f

Michael's age: f + 3

Sum of their ages: f + f + 3 = 27

- 16. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to finish the problem by solving for f.
- 17. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

18. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

### Solution:

$$f+f+3=27$$
  
 $2f+3=27$   
 $2f+3-3=27-3$  Subtract 3 from both sides  
 $2f=24$   
 $\frac{2f}{2}=\frac{24}{2}$  Divide both sides by 2  
 $f=12$  years old

- 19. Write another problem on the board: Abass is 5 years younger than Daniel. Four years later, Daniel will be twice as old as Abass. Find their present ages.
- 20. Ask pupils to write the equation with seatmates (they should not solve yet).
- 21. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 22. Invite a volunteer to write the equation on the board and explain how they found it.

#### Solution:

Let Daniel's present age be m

Then Abass' present age is m-5

After 4 years, Daniel's age will be m + 4

Abass' age will be m-5+4

Daniel will be twice as old as Abass, therefore:

$$m + 4 = 2(m - 5 + 4)$$
  
 $m + 4 = 2(m - 1)$ 

- 23. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem. Remind them to find both ages.
- 24. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 25. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

$$m+4 = 2(m-1)$$
  
 $m+4 = 2m-2$   
 $m+4-4 = 2m-2-4$  Subtract 4  
 $m = 2m-6$   
 $m-2m = 2m-2m-6$  Subtract  $2m$   
 $-m = -6$   
 $-1(-m) = -1(-6)$  Multiply by -1  
 $m = 6$ 

Therefore, Daniel's present age is 6.

Abass present age = m - 5 = 6 - 5 = 1 year.

### Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. The total number of pupils in a school is 126. The number of boys in the school is 14 greater than the number of girls. Find the number of girls.
  - b. The total cost of 4 pens and 2 notebooks was Le11,000.00. The price of one notebook was Le1,000.00 more than the price of one pen. Find the unit price of one pen and one notebook.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite volunteers, one at a time, to write their answer on the board.

### Solutions:

a. Let the numbers of girls x and the number of boys = x + 14

$$x + (x + 14) = 126$$

$$x + x + 14 = 126$$

$$2x + 14 = 126$$

$$2x = 126 - 14$$

$$2x = 112$$

$$x = \frac{112}{2}$$

$$x = 56$$

The numbers of girls is 56.

b. Let the price of one pen = y and the price of one note book y + 1,000

$$4y + 2(y + 1000) = 11,000$$

$$4y + 2y + 2000 = 11,000$$

$$6y + 2000 = 11,000$$

$$6y = 11,000 - 2,000$$

$$6y = 9,000$$

$$y = \frac{9,000}{6}$$

$$y = 1,500$$

The price of one pen is Le 1,500.00 and the price of one notebook is 1,500 + 1,000 = Le 2,500.00.

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L083 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Substitution in formulae	Theme: Algebraic F	Processes
Lesson Number: M1-L084	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to substitute given values into a formula.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write on the board: If x = -7 and y = 3, calculate the value of  $\left(\frac{x+y}{x-y}\right)^2$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

### Solution:

$$\left(\frac{x+y}{x-y}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{-7+3}{-7-3}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{-4}{-10}\right)^2 = \frac{16}{100} = \frac{4}{25}$$

4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on substituting given values into a formula.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Explain: A formula is an equation with variables that represent specific measures.
- 2. Write on the board: P = 2(l + w)
- 3. Explain:
  - This is the formula for the perimeter, P, of a rectangle of length l and width w.
  - In this example, *P* is the subject of the formula. By substituting the values of *l* and *w* into the formula, the corresponding value of *P* can be found.
- 4. Write on the board: Calculate the perimeter of a rectangle whose length is 5 cm and width is 3 cm.
- 5. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

### Solution:

$$P = 2(l+w)$$
 Formula  
 $P = 2(5+3)$  Substitute  $l = 5$  and  $w = 3$   
 $P = 2 \times 8$   
 $P = 16$ 

The perimeter is 16 cm.

- 6. Write on the board: Given that R = 3, d = 5 and L = 15, find the value of k if  $k = \frac{Rd^2}{L}$ .
- 7. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give the steps, work the problem on the board.

$$k = \frac{Rd^2}{L}$$
 Formula

$$k=\frac{3(5)^2}{15}$$
 Substitute  $R=3$ ,  $d=5$  and  $L=15$ 
 $k=\frac{3\times25}{15}$  Simplify
 $k=\frac{75}{15}$ 
 $k=5$ 

- 8. Write another problem on the board. The formula  $A = \pi r(r+s)$  gives the surface area, A, of a cone of base radius r cm and slant height s cm. Find the surface area of a cone of base radius 10 cm and slant height 11 cm using the value of  $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ .
- 9. Explain:
  - We have not covered surface area in this course. However, we have enough information to solve this problem.
  - You may encounter problems on topics that you do not fully understand, but you will be given enough information to solve the problem. Use your problemsolving skills.
- 10. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give the steps, work the problem on the board.

$$A = \pi r (r + s)$$
 $A = \frac{22}{7} (10)(10 + 11)$  Substitute  $r = 10$ ,  $s = 11$  and  $\pi = \frac{22}{7}$ 
 $A = \frac{22}{7} (10)(21)$ 
 $A = \frac{22}{7} (210)$ 
 $A = 22 \times 30$ 
 $A = 660 \text{ cm}^2$ 

- 11. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Given that  $C = 2\pi r$ , find C when  $\pi = 3.142$  and r = 25.

b. If 
$$q = ut + \frac{1}{2}ft$$
, find  $q$  when  $u = 4$ ,  $t = 6$  and  $f = 15$ .

- 12. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 13. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 14. Invite two volunteers to write their answers on the board at the same time.

### **Solutions:**

b.

$$C=2\pi r$$
 $C=2\times 3.142\times 25$  Substitute  $\pi=3.142$  and  $r=25$ 
 $C=157.1$ 

$$q = ut + \frac{1}{2}ft$$
  
 $q = 4(6) + \frac{1}{2}(15 \times 6)$  Substitute  $u = 4, t = 6, f = 15$ 

$$q = 24 + \frac{1}{2} \times 90$$
  
 $q = 24 + 45$   
 $q = 69$ 

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Evaluate  $s = \frac{4n^3 3n^2 + 6}{n}$  for n = 3
  - b. The formula  $A = P\left(1 + \frac{RT}{100}\right)$  gives the total money, A, that a principal, P, amounts to in T years at R% simple interest per annum. Find the amount that a principal of Le80,000.00 becomes if invested for 3 years at 4% simple interest per annum.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write their answers on the board.

### **Answers:**

a.

$$s = \frac{4n^3 - 3n^2 + 6}{n}$$

$$= \frac{4(3)^3 - 3(3)^2 + 6}{3}$$
Substitute  $n = 3$ 

$$= \frac{4(27) - 3(9) + 6}{3}$$
Simplify
$$= \frac{108 - 27 + 6}{3}$$

$$= \frac{87}{3}$$

$$= 29$$

b.

$$A = P\left(1 + \frac{RT}{100}\right)$$
= 80,000  $\left(1 + \frac{4\times3}{100}\right)$  Substitute  $P = 80,000.00, R = 4\%, T = 3$ 
= 80,000  $\left(1 + \frac{12}{100}\right)$ 
= 80,000  $\left(\frac{112}{100}\right)$ 
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= 80,0\$\psi \times \frac{112}{100}}
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# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L084 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Change of subject – Part	Theme: Algebraic	Processes
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Lesson Number: M1-L085	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the prob	olem in Opening on the
will be able to change the subject of	board.	
a formula.		

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Solve for x if 9x + 2 = 6x
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently.
- 3. Invite any volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

### Solution:

$$9x + 2 = 6x$$
  
 $9x - 6x = -2$  Transpose  $6x$  and  $2$   
 $3x = -2$  Combine like terms  
 $\frac{3x}{3} = \frac{-2}{3}$  Divide by  $3$ 

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on change of subject of a formula.

# **Teaching and Learning** (25 minutes)

- 1. Explain: A formula is a type of equation which shows the relationship between different variables.
- 2. Write on the board: x + y = 7 2x 8 = 0
- 3. Explain:
  - For an equation to be a formula it must have more than one variable. For example x + y = 7 is a formula because it shows the relationship between x and y.
  - 2x 8 = 0 is not a formula because it only has one variable, x.
  - The subject of a formula is the single variable to which everything else in the formula is equal. The subject of a formula will usually be positioned to the left of the equal to sign.
  - In x + y = 7, neither variable is the subject.
- 4. Write on the board: a. x = 7 y b. y = 7 x
- 5. Explain: x is the subject of formula a. y is the subject of formula b.
- 6. Write a problem on the board: Make x the subject of the formula: z = 4x + 4y
- 7. Explain: We will use the balancing method to get *x* by itself on one side of the equal to sign.

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8. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step:

$$z = 4x + 4y$$

$$z - 4y = 4x + 4y - 4y$$
Subtract 4y from both sides
$$z - 4y = 4x$$

$$\frac{z - 4y}{4} = \frac{4x}{4}$$
Divide throughout by 4
$$x = \frac{z - 4y}{4}$$
Write the formula in terms of x

- 9. Explain:
  - When changing the subject of a formula, remember the following rules:
    - Adding and subtracting are the opposite of one another.
    - Multiplying and dividing are the opposite of one another.
    - You must perform the same operation to both sides of the equation.
- 10. Write on the board: Make m the subject of mt + n = mp + q.
- 11. Explain:
  - c. The variable m appears twice in this formula.
  - d. We want to collect each term with m on one side of the equation.
- 12. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} mt+n & = & mp+q \\ mt-mp & = & q-n \\ m(t-p) & = & q-n \\ \frac{m(t-p)}{t-p} & = & \frac{q-n}{t-p} \\ m & = & \frac{q-n}{t-p} \end{array} \qquad \begin{array}{rcl} \text{Group terms containing } m \\ \text{Factorise } m \\ \text{Divide both sides by } t-p \end{array}$$

13. Write another problem on the board. Make q the subject of the formula

$$p = \frac{4}{7}(q - 28).$$

- 14. Explain: When you have to change the subject of a formula with a fraction like this, you must first multiply both sides of the formula by the denominator.
- 15. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step:

$$p = \frac{4}{7}(q - 28)$$

$$7(p) = 7 \times \frac{4}{7}(q - 28)$$
Multiply both sides by 7
$$7p = 4(q - 28)$$

$$7p = 4q - 112$$
Expand the brackets
$$7p + 112 = 4q - 112 + 112$$
Add 112 to both sides
$$7p + 112 = 4q$$

$$\frac{7p + 112}{4} = \frac{4q}{4}$$
Divide both sides by 4
$$q = \frac{7p + 112}{4}$$

16. Write a problem on the board: Make b the subject of the formula  $c=\frac{2b}{8\pi}$ 

17. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they explain, solve it on the board:

$$c = \frac{2b}{8\pi}$$

$$8\pi(c) = 8\pi \left(\frac{2b}{8\pi}\right)$$
Multiply both sides by  $8\pi$ 

$$8\pi c = 2b$$

$$\frac{8\pi c}{2} = \frac{2b}{2}$$
Divide both sides by  $2$ 

$$b = \frac{8\pi c}{2}$$

- 18. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Make p the subject of the relation 5t pq = 3p + 2
  - b. Make *a* the subject of the relation  $s = \frac{1}{2}(a+4)$ .
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 20. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite two volunteers to give their answers on the board.

### Answer:

a. 
$$5t - pq = 3p + 2$$

$$5t - 2 = 3p + pq$$

$$5t - 2 = p(3 + q)$$

$$\frac{5t - 2}{3 + q} = \frac{p(3 + q)}{3 + q}$$
Factorise  $p$ 
Divide both sides by  $3 + q$ 

$$p = \frac{5t - 3l}{3 + q}$$
b.  $s = \frac{1}{2}(a + 4)$ 

$$2(s) = 2(\frac{1}{2}(a + 4))$$

$$2s = a + 4$$

$$2s - 4 = a$$

$$a = 2s - 4$$
Collect like terms with  $p$ 
Factorise  $p$ 
Divide both sides by  $2$ 
Additional problem of  $p$ 
Multiply both sides by  $p$ 
Subtract 4 from both sides

# Practice (11 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Make v the subject of the relation  $f = \frac{1}{3}(v + u)$ .
  - b. Make x the subject of the relation ry + 2x = tx + 4.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite two volunteers to write their solutions on the board.

a. 
$$f = \frac{1}{3}(v + u)$$
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 $3f = 3 \times \frac{1}{3}(v + u)$  Multiply both sides by 3

 $3f = v + u$ 
 $3f - u = v$  Subtract  $u$  from both sides  $v = 3f - u$  Factorising  $v$ 

b.  $ry + 2x = tx + 4$ 
 $2x - tx = 4 - ry$  Group terms containing  $x$ 
 $x(2 - t) = 4 - ry$  Factorise  $x$ 

$$\frac{x(2 - t)}{2 - t} = \frac{4 - ry}{2 - t}$$
 Divide both sides by  $2 - t$ 
 $x = \frac{4 - ry}{2 - t}$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L085 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Change of subject – Part 2	Theme: Algebraic I	Processes
Lesson Number: M1-L086	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to change the subject of a formula.	Preparation	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write on the board: Make d the subject of the formula:  $a = \frac{c + dx}{b}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite any volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

## Solution:

$$a = \frac{c + dx}{b}$$

$$b \times a = b\left(\frac{c + dx}{b}\right)$$

$$ab = c + dx$$

$$ab - c = dx$$

$$\frac{ab - c}{x} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$d = \frac{ab - c}{x}$$
Multiply both sides by  $b$ 
Subtract  $c$  from both sides
Divide both sides by  $x$ 

Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is also on changing the subject of a formula.
 We will solve more difficult problems, such as those involving squares and square roots.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Make q the subject of the formula  $p = \sqrt{q}$
- 2. Explain: A formula remains balanced if we perform the same operations to both sides of it. Therefore, we can find either the square or square-root of both sides.
- 3. Explain:
  - We need to get *q* on its own. To do this, we must find a way of removing the square root sign. This can be achieved by squaring both sides.
  - Remind pupils if needed:  $(\sqrt{q})^2 = \sqrt{q} \times \sqrt{q} = q^{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}} = q$
- 4. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$p = \sqrt{q}$$
  
 $p^2 = (\sqrt{q})^2$  Square both sides  
 $p^2 = q$ 

$$q = p^2$$

- 5. Write on the board: Make *b* the subject of the formula  $p = \sqrt{a+b}$
- 6. Ask volunteers to explain the steps to solve the problem. Solve on the board:

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$$p = \sqrt{a+b}$$

$$p^2 = \left(\sqrt{a+b}\right)^2$$
Square both sides
$$p^2 = a+b$$

$$p^2 - a = b$$

- 7. Explain: Whenever a given relation involves the square, we can find the square root of both sides of the relation.
- 8. Write on the board: Make i the subject of the formula  $R = (1+i)^2$ .
- 9. Write the solution on the board and explain:

$$R=(1+i)^2$$
  
 $\sqrt{R}=\sqrt{(1+i)^2}$  Take the square root of both sides  
 $\sqrt{R}=1+i$   
 $i=\sqrt{R}-1$  Subtract 1 from each side

- 10. Write another problem on the board: Make x the subject of the formula  $v = \frac{1}{3}\pi x^2$ .
- 11. Ask volunteers to explain the steps to solve the problem. Solve on the board:

$$v = \frac{1}{3}\pi x^2$$
 $3v = \pi x^2$  Multiply both sides by 3
 $\frac{3v}{\pi} = \frac{\pi x^2}{\pi}$  Divide both sides by  $\pi$ 
 $x^2 = \frac{3v}{\pi}$ 
 $x = \sqrt{\frac{3v}{\pi}}$  Square root both sides

- 12. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Make r, the subject of the relation  $v = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$ .
  - b. Make x, the subject of the relation  $y = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{5+x}$ . Then, find the value of x when y = 2.
- 13. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 14. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 15. Invite two volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

a.

$$v = \frac{1}{3}\pi r^2 h$$

$$3v = \pi r^2 h$$
 Multiply by 3

b.

$$y = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{5+x}$$

$$2y = \sqrt{5+x}$$
Multiply by 2
$$(2y)^2 = 5+x$$

$$4y^2 = 5+x$$

$$4y^2 - 5 = x$$
Subtract 5
$$x = 4y^2 - 5$$

Substitute y = 2:

$$x = 4(2)^{2} - 5$$

$$= 4(4) - 5$$

$$= 16 - 5 = 11$$

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Make x the subject of the relation  $x^2 + y^2 = w^2$ .
  - b. Make a the subject of the relation  $t = \sqrt{\frac{5a}{h}}$ . Then, find the value of a when t = 5, h = 4.
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Ask pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite two volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

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$$w^2 = x^2 + y^2$$
  
 $x^2 = w^2 - y^2$  Subtract  $y^2$  from both sides  
 $x = \pm \sqrt{w^2 - y^2}$  Square root both sides

Remember that when you find the square root of a number, the result can be either positive or a negative.

d.

$$t = \sqrt{\frac{5a}{h}}$$

$$t^2 = \frac{5a}{h}$$

$$ht^2 = 5a$$

$$\frac{ht^2}{5} = a$$

$$a = \frac{ht^2}{5}$$
Substitute  $t = 5$ ,  $h = 4$ 

$$a = \frac{4(5)^2}{5}$$

$$= \frac{4(25)}{5}$$

$$= \frac{100}{5} = 20$$

Square both sides

Multiply by *h* Divide by 5

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L086 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Reduction to basic form of	Theme: Numbers and Numerations
surds	
Lesson Number: M1-L087	Class: SSS 1 Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problem in Opening on the
will be able to reduce surds to basic	board.
forms.	

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Find the value of the following:
    - i.  $5^2$  ii.  $4^2$
  - e. Find the square roots of the following:
    - i. 36 ii. 81
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Ask volunteers to call out their answers and write them on the board. (Answers: a. i.  $5^2 = 25$ ; ii.  $4^2 = 16$ ; b. i.  $\sqrt{36} = 6$ ; ii.  $\sqrt{81} = 9$ )
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on how to reduce surds to basic form.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\sqrt{3}$ ,  $\sqrt{5}$
- 2. Discuss: Can you find the square root of these numbers? How would you do it?
- 3. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain:
  - Surds are numbers that we cannot find a whole number square root of. The examples on the board are surds.
  - Surds are left in root form (with  $\sqrt{\ }$ ) to express their exact value.
  - When calculated, surds have an infinite number of non-recurring decimals. Therefore, surds are irrational numbers.
  - The square roots of all prime numbers are surds. They give decimals that never repeat and never end.
- 4. Write on the board:  $\sqrt{8}$
- 5. Discuss:
  - Can you find the square root of this?
  - Can you simplify it in any way?
- 6. Allow pupils to share their ideas, then explain:
  - We can simplify  $\sqrt{8}$ . We need to find the largest perfect square factor in order to simplify surds.

- The largest perfect square factor is found by looking at any possible factors of the number that is being square rooted.
- 7. Ask volunteers to give perfect square numbers. As they give them, write them on the board. (Example answers: 4, 9, 16, 25, 36)
- 8. Discuss: Does our surd contain any perfect square factor? (Answer: Yes, 4 is a factor of 8 and a perfect square.)
- 9. Rewrite the surd on the board:  $\sqrt{8} = \sqrt{4 \times 2}$
- 10. Write on the board:  $\sqrt{a \times b} = \sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b}$ .
- 11. Explain: This rule helps in simplifying surds to basic form.
- 12. Apply the rule to the problem on the board:  $\sqrt{8} = \sqrt{4 \times 2} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$
- 13. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{18}$  to basic form.
- 14. Ask a volunteer to find two numbers whose product is 18 and one of the numbers is a perfect square. (Answer:  $9 \times 2 = 18$ )
- 15. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$\sqrt{18} = \sqrt{9 \times 2} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2} = 3\sqrt{2}$$

- 16. Write another problem on the board: simplify  $\sqrt{32}$
- 17. Ask volunteers to give the steps to simplify the surd. As they give them, solve on the board:

$$\sqrt{32} = \sqrt{16 \times 2} = \sqrt{16} \times \sqrt{2} = 4\sqrt{2}$$

- 18. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{800}$
- 19. Ask a volunteer to identify a perfect square factor of 800. (Example answers: 4, 100, 400)
- 20. Explain:
  - There is more than one perfect square factor.
  - We may find the square root of the biggest perfect square factor, or we may find the square root of smaller perfect square factors in separate steps.
- 21. Solve on the board as follows:

$$\sqrt{800} = \sqrt{100 \times 8} = \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{8} = 10\sqrt{8} = 10\sqrt{4 \times 2} = 10\sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2} = 10 \times 2 \times \sqrt{2}$$
$$= 20\sqrt{2}$$

- 22. Explain:
  - After simplifying a surd, always check your result to see if it can be simplified further.
  - In this example we factored out 100, but found that we could still factor out 4.
- 23. Write the solution again, using fewer steps:

$$\sqrt{800} = \sqrt{400 \times 2} = \sqrt{400} \times \sqrt{2} = 20\sqrt{2}$$

- 24. Write three problems on the board:
  - a.  $\sqrt{128}$
  - b.  $\sqrt{500}$

- c.  $\sqrt{250}$
- 25. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 26. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 27. Invite 3 volunteers to write the solutions on the board. Solutions may be different if they chose different perfect square factors.

a. 
$$\sqrt{128} = \sqrt{64 \times 2} = \sqrt{64} \times \sqrt{2} = 8\sqrt{2}$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{500} = \sqrt{100 \times 5} = \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{5} = 10\sqrt{5}$$

c. 
$$\sqrt{250} = \sqrt{25 \times 10} = \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{10} = 5\sqrt{10}$$

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write 5 problems on the board: Simplify the following surds
  - a.  $\sqrt{48}$
  - b.  $\sqrt{28}$
  - c.  $\sqrt{72}$
  - d.  $\sqrt{448}$
  - e.  $\sqrt{15,000}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Ask five volunteers to write their solutions on the board. Solutions may vary based on which perfect square factors pupils used.

### **Solutions:**

a. 
$$\sqrt{48} = \sqrt{16 \times 3} = \sqrt{16} \times \sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{3}$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{28} = \sqrt{4 \times 7} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{7} = 2\sqrt{7}$$

c. 
$$\sqrt{72} = \sqrt{36 \times 2} = \sqrt{36} \times \sqrt{2} = 6\sqrt{2}$$

d. 
$$\sqrt{448} = \sqrt{64 \times 7} = \sqrt{64} \times \sqrt{7} = 8\sqrt{7}$$

e. 
$$\sqrt{15000} = \sqrt{2500 \times 6} = \sqrt{2500} \times \sqrt{6} = 50\sqrt{6}$$

Alternatively, pupils may factor in multiple steps:

$$\sqrt{15000} = \sqrt{100 \times 150} = \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{150} = 10\sqrt{150} = 10\sqrt{25 \times 6} = 10\sqrt{25}\sqrt{6}$$
$$= 10 \times 5\sqrt{6} = 50\sqrt{6}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L087 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Addition and subtraction of Surds – Part 1	Theme: Numbers a	and Numerations
Lesson Number: M1-L088	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to solve simple problems involving addition and subtraction of surds.	Preparation Write the prob board.	plem in Opening on the

- 1. Write the following two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\sqrt{99}$
- b. Simplify  $\sqrt{50}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$\sqrt{99} = \sqrt{9 \times 11} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{11} = 3\sqrt{11}$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{50} = \sqrt{25 \times 2} = \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{2} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on solving simple problems involving addition and subtraction of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Explain:
  - Surds that are in the basic form can be added or subtracted.
  - We can only add or subtract like surds. Like surds have the same surd part.
- 2. Write on the board:  $3\sqrt{2} + 7\sqrt{2}$
- 3. Explain:
  - a. To add 2 numbers with the same surd, simply add the rational coefficients (the numbers in front of the surds).
  - b. The same surd will appear in the answer.
- 4. Solve on the board:  $3\sqrt{2} + 7\sqrt{2} = (3+7)\sqrt{2} = 10\sqrt{2}$ )
- 5. Write another problem on the board:  $2\sqrt{3} + 5\sqrt{2}$
- 6. Explain:
  - a. This expression cannot be simplified because the surd part is different.
  - b. Mixed surds cannot be added or subtracted. They cannot be simplified further.
  - c. The expression on the board is in its simplest form.
- 7. Write the general rules on the board:
  - Addition:  $m\sqrt{k} + n\sqrt{k} = (m+n)\sqrt{k}$
  - Subtraction:  $m\sqrt{k} n\sqrt{k} = (m-n)\sqrt{k}$

- 8. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $10\sqrt{5} \sqrt{5}$
- 9. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 10. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Answer:  $10\sqrt{5} \sqrt{5} = (10 1)\sqrt{5} = 9\sqrt{5}$ )
- 11. Write on the board: Add  $\sqrt{12} + \sqrt{27}$
- 12. Discuss: Can we add these surds as they are now? Why or why not? (Answer: No, they are not like surds.)
- 13. Explain the following steps to add or subtract two or more surds:
  - Step 1. Convert each surd to its simplest form.
  - Step 2. Add or subtract any like surds.
- 14. Write a problem on the board: Find the sum of  $\sqrt{12}$  and  $\sqrt{27}$
- 15. Write the solution on the board and explain:

Step 1. Express each surd in its simplest form:

$$\sqrt{12} = \sqrt{4 \times 3} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{3} = 2\sqrt{3}$$
  
 $\sqrt{27} = \sqrt{9 \times 3} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{3} = 3\sqrt{3}$ 

Step 2. They are like surds, so we can add:

$$2\sqrt{3} + 3\sqrt{3} = (2+3)\sqrt{3} = 5\sqrt{3}$$

- 16. Write another problem on the board: Subtract  $\sqrt{20}$  from  $\sqrt{45}$ .
- 17. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem.

### Solution:

**Step 1.** Express each surd in its simplest form.

$$\sqrt{45} = \sqrt{9 \times 5} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{5} = 3\sqrt{5}$$
$$\sqrt{20} = \sqrt{4 \times 5} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{5} = 2\sqrt{5}$$

Step 2. They are like surds, so we can subtract:

$$\sqrt{45} - \sqrt{20} = 3\sqrt{5} - 2\sqrt{5} = (3-2)\sqrt{5} = \sqrt{5}$$

- 18. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Find the sum of  $\sqrt{12}$  and  $\sqrt{75}$
  - b. Simplify  $\sqrt{162} \sqrt{18}$
- 19. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 20. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 21. Invite two volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

### **Solutions:**

a. 
$$\sqrt{12} + \sqrt{75} = \sqrt{4 \times 3} + \sqrt{25 \times 3} = 2\sqrt{3} + 5\sqrt{3} = (2+5)\sqrt{3} = 7\sqrt{3}$$
  
b.  $\sqrt{162} - \sqrt{18} = \sqrt{81 \times 2} - \sqrt{9 \times 2} = 9\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{2} = (9-3)\sqrt{2} = 6\sqrt{2}$ 

# Practice (13 minutes)

1. Write two problems on the board:

- a. Simplify  $\sqrt{24} + \sqrt{54}$
- b. Simplify  $\sqrt{500} \sqrt{125}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite 2 volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

a. 
$$\sqrt{24} + \sqrt{54} = \sqrt{4 \times 6} + \sqrt{9 \times 6} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{6} + \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{6} = 2\sqrt{6} + 3\sqrt{6}$$
  
 $= (2+3)\sqrt{6} = 5\sqrt{6}$   
b.  $\sqrt{500} - \sqrt{125} = \sqrt{100 \times 5} - \sqrt{25 \times 5} = \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{5} - \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{5}$   
 $= 10\sqrt{5} - 5\sqrt{5} = (10 - 5)\sqrt{5} = 5\sqrt{5}$ 

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L088 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Addition and subtraction	Theme: Numbers a	and Numerations
of Surds – Part 2		
Lesson Number: M1-L089	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson pupils will be able to solve more complicated problems involving addition and subtraction of surds.	Preparation Write the prob board.	olem in Opening on the

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{18} + \sqrt{72}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board. (Solution:  $\sqrt{18} + \sqrt{72} = \sqrt{9 \times 2} + \sqrt{36 \times 2} = 3\sqrt{2} + 6\sqrt{2} = (3+6)\sqrt{2} = 9\sqrt{2}$ )
- 4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on more complicated problems involving addition and subtraction of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Remind pupils:
  - We can only add or subtract surds which are like, or have the same surd part.
  - First simplify surds to their basic form, then add or subtract if possible.
- 2. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{162} \sqrt{18} + \sqrt{50}$
- 3. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the 3 surds in basic form.
- 4. Invite volunteers to rewrite the 3 surds in basic form on the board.

Answers: 
$$\sqrt{162} = \sqrt{81 \times 2} = \sqrt{81} \times \sqrt{2} = 9\sqrt{2}$$
  
 $\sqrt{18} = \sqrt{9 \times 2} = \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2} = 3\sqrt{2}$   
 $\sqrt{50} = \sqrt{25 \times 2} = \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{2} = 5\sqrt{2}$ 

- 5. Explain: All 3 are like surds. This means that we can add or subtract them.
- 6. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

$$\sqrt{162} - \sqrt{18} + \sqrt{50} = 9\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{2}$$
 Simplify surds 
$$= (9 - 3 + 5)\sqrt{2}$$
 Add/subtract coefficients 
$$= 11\sqrt{2}$$
 Simplify

- 7. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{24} 3\sqrt{6} \sqrt{216}$
- 8. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to write the 3 surds in basic form.
- 9. Invite volunteers to rewrite the 3 surds in basic form on the board.

Answers: 
$$\sqrt{24} = \sqrt{4 \times 6} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{6} = 2\sqrt{6}$$
  
  $3\sqrt{6}$  is already in its basic form  $\sqrt{216} = \sqrt{36 \times 6} = \sqrt{36} \times \sqrt{6} = 6\sqrt{6}$ 

- 10. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to subtract and complete the problem.
- 11. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

$$\sqrt{24} - 3\sqrt{6} - \sqrt{216} = 2\sqrt{6} - 3\sqrt{6} - 6\sqrt{6}$$
 Simplify surds 
$$= (2 - 3 - 6)\sqrt{6}$$
 Subtract coefficients 
$$= -7\sqrt{6}$$

- 12. Write another problem on the board: Find the exact value of x if  $\sqrt{300} + \sqrt{27} \sqrt{75} = x\sqrt{3}$
- 13. Discuss: How can we solve this problem?
- 14. Allow pupils to share ideas, then explain:
  - a. We can simplify the left-hand side, then add and subtract the surds.
  - b. Based on the right-hand side, it seems like we will have  $\sqrt{3}$  in our surds on the left-hand side.
- 15. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$\sqrt{300} + \sqrt{27} - \sqrt{75} = \sqrt{100 \times 3} + \sqrt{9 \times 3} - \sqrt{25 \times 3} 
= \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{3} + \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{3} - \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{3} 
= 10\sqrt{3} + 3\sqrt{3} - 5\sqrt{3} 
= (10 + 3 - 5)\sqrt{3} 
= 8\sqrt{3}$$

Setting the result equal to the right-hand side of the original equation, we have  $8\sqrt{3} = x\sqrt{3}$ 

Therefore, x = 8

- 16. Write on the board: Find the value of y if  $\sqrt{24} + 2\sqrt{54} \sqrt{600} = y\sqrt{6}$
- 17. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 18. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 19. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$\sqrt{24} + 2\sqrt{54} - \sqrt{600} = \sqrt{4 \times 6} + 2\sqrt{9 \times 6} - \sqrt{100 \times 6}$$
 Simplify surds 
$$= 2\sqrt{6} + (2 \times 3)\sqrt{6} - 10\sqrt{6}$$
 
$$= 2\sqrt{6} + 6\sqrt{6} - 10\sqrt{6}$$
 
$$= (2 + 6 - 10)\sqrt{6}$$
 Add and subtract 
$$= -2\sqrt{6}$$

Therefore, the answer is y = -2

# Practice (14 minutes)

- 1. Write the following three problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\sqrt{50} + \sqrt{32} \sqrt{162}$
  - b. Simplify  $3\sqrt{500} 2\sqrt{125}$

- c. Simplify  $2\sqrt{80} + \sqrt{20} \sqrt{245}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite three volunteers, one at a time, to write the solutions on the board.

a.  

$$\sqrt{50} + \sqrt{32} - \sqrt{162} = \sqrt{25 \times 2} + \sqrt{16 \times 2} - \sqrt{81 \times 2}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{2} + 4\sqrt{2} - 9\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (5 + 4 - 9)\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (9 - 9)\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 0$$

b.  

$$3\sqrt{500} - 2\sqrt{125} = 3\sqrt{100 \times 5} - 2\sqrt{25 \times 5}$$
  
 $= 3 \times 10\sqrt{5} - 2 \times 5\sqrt{5}$   
 $= 30\sqrt{5} - 10\sqrt{5}$   
 $= (30 - 10)\sqrt{5}$   
 $= 20\sqrt{5}$ 

C.

$$2\sqrt{80} + \sqrt{20} - \sqrt{245} = 2\sqrt{16 \times 5} + \sqrt{4 \times 5} - \sqrt{49 \times 5}$$

$$= 2 \times 4\sqrt{5} + 2\sqrt{5} - 7\sqrt{5}$$

$$= 8\sqrt{5} + 2\sqrt{5} - 7\sqrt{5}$$

$$= (8 + 2 - 7)\sqrt{5}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{5}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L089 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Properties of surds	Theme: Numbers and	Numeration			
Lesson Number: M1-L090	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes			
Learning Outcome	Preparation				
By the end of the lesson, pupils	1. Write the que	estions in Opening on			
will be able to identify properties of	me Preparation lesson, pupils 1. Write the questions in Opening				
surds.					
	of Teaching and Lear	ning on the board.			

- 1. Write the following three questions on the board:
  - a. What are real numbers? Give three examples.
  - b. What is a rational number?
  - c. What is an irrational number?
- 2. Allow pupils to discuss these problems with seatmates.
- 3. Ask volunteers to call out their answers.

Example answers:

- c. Real numbers are those that can be represented by points on a number line. Examples: -5,  $\sqrt{4}$ , 7,  $\sqrt{2}$ , 10
- d. A rational number is a real number that can be expressed as the ratio  $\frac{a}{b}$  of two integers, where  $b \neq 0$ .
- e. An irrational number is a real number that is not rational.
- 4. Remind pupils that surds are irrational, but they are also real numbers.
- 5. Explain that today's lesson is on identifying the properties of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

1. Write the following properties on the board: Properties of Surds:

1) 
$$\sqrt{a \times b} = \sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b}$$

$$2) \quad \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b}}$$

3) 
$$\frac{b}{\sqrt{a}} = \frac{b}{\sqrt{a}} \times \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{a}} = \frac{b\sqrt{a}}{a}$$

4) 
$$a\sqrt{c} \pm b\sqrt{c} = (a \pm b)\sqrt{c}$$

$$5) \ \sqrt{a^2} = \sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{a} = a$$

$$6) \ a\sqrt{b} \times \sqrt{c} = a\sqrt{bc}$$

7) 
$$a \times \sqrt{b} = a\sqrt{b}$$

8) 
$$a \times b\sqrt{c} = ab\sqrt{c}$$

- 2. Explain:
  - These are the properties of surds.
  - You have seen some of these in previous lessons. For example, property 4 is on addition and subtraction.
  - You need to remember these properties, because they are used to solve different types of problems with surds.
  - Property 3 is known as rationalising the denominator, and it will be covered in a later lesson. We will use the other properties today.

- 3. Write a problem on the board. Simplify  $\sqrt{18}$ .
- 4. Explain: You have simplified problems like this before. Let's solve this and see which properties we use.
- 5. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve. As they give the steps, solve on the board. Tell pupils which property is used at each step.

$$\sqrt{18} = \sqrt{9 \times 2}$$

$$= \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2}$$
Using 1)  $\sqrt{a \times b} = \sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b}$ 

$$= 3 \times \sqrt{2}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{2}$$
Using 7)  $a \times \sqrt{b} = a\sqrt{b}$ 

6. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $5\sqrt{6} + 4\sqrt{6}$ .

Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve. As they give the steps, solve on the board. Tell pupils which property is used at each step.

### Solution:

$$5\sqrt{6} + 4\sqrt{6} = (5+4)\sqrt{6}$$
 Using 4)  $a\sqrt{c} \pm b\sqrt{c} = (a \pm b)\sqrt{c}$   
=  $9\sqrt{6}$ 

- 7. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{\frac{12}{121}}$
- 8. Explain the solution on the board. Tell pupils which property is used at each step.

$$\begin{array}{ll} \sqrt{\frac{12}{121}} &=& \frac{\sqrt{12}}{\sqrt{121}} & \text{Using 2) } \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}} = \frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b}} \\ &=& \frac{\sqrt{4\times3}}{11} \\ &=& \frac{\sqrt{4\times\sqrt3}}{11} & \text{Using 1) } \sqrt{a\times b} = \sqrt{a}\times\sqrt{b} \\ &=& \frac{2\times\sqrt3}{11} \\ &=& \frac{2\sqrt3}{11} & \text{Using 7) } a\times\sqrt{b} = a\sqrt{b} \end{array}$$

- 9. Write the following three problems on the board. Simplify:
  - a.  $4 \times 2\sqrt{3}$
  - b.  $2\sqrt{7} \times \sqrt{2}$
  - c.  $\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{3}$
- 10. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 11. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 12. Ask 3 volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board. They should explain which properties they used.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$4 \times 2\sqrt{3} = 8\sqrt{3}$$
 (Property 7)

b. 
$$2\sqrt{7} \times \sqrt{2} = 2\sqrt{7 \times 2} = 2\sqrt{14}$$
 (Property 6)

c. 
$$\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{3} = \sqrt{5 \times 3} = \sqrt{15}$$
 (Property 1)

- 13. Write another problem on the board: Simplify:
  - a.  $\sqrt{7^2}$
  - b.  $\sqrt{3^4}$
- 14. Ask pupils to solve the problem with their seatmates.
- 15. Go round and see what the pupils are doing. Clear any misconception.
- 16. Ask two volunteers one at a time to write their answers on the board. They should explain which properties they used.

a. 
$$\sqrt{7^2} = \sqrt{7} \times \sqrt{7} = 7$$
 (Property 5)

b. 
$$\sqrt{3^4} = \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} = 3 \times 3 = 9$$
 (Property 5)

# Practice (13 minutes)

1. Write the following five problems on the board: Simplify the following surds using the properties of surds:

a. 
$$\sqrt{50}$$

d. 
$$5\sqrt{11} \times \sqrt{2}$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{y^3}$$

e. 
$$7 \times 6\sqrt{5}$$

C. 
$$\sqrt{\frac{9}{25}}$$

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite five volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$\sqrt{50} = \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{2} = 5 \times \sqrt{2} = 5\sqrt{2}$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{y^3} = \sqrt{y} \times \sqrt{y} \times \sqrt{y} = y \times \sqrt{y} = y\sqrt{y}$$

$$\text{c. } \sqrt{\frac{9}{25}} = \frac{\sqrt{9}}{\sqrt{25}} = \frac{3}{5}$$

d. 
$$5\sqrt{11} \times \sqrt{2} = 5\sqrt{11 \times 2} = 5\sqrt{22}$$

e. 
$$7 \times 6\sqrt{5} = 42\sqrt{5}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L090 in the Pupil Handbook.

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Lesson Title: Multiplication of surds –	Theme: Numbers and	Numeration
Part 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L091	bn Number: M1-L091  Class: SSS 1  Time: 40  Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils  Viite the problems in Oper	
Learning Outcome		
By the end of the lesson, pupils	Write the problem	ms in Opening on
will be able to multiply surds.	the board.	

1. Write two problems on the board. Simplify the following surds:

a. 
$$\left(\sqrt{m}\right)^5$$

b. 
$$\sqrt{8}$$

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems.
- 3. Invite volunteers to write the solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$(\sqrt{m})^5 = \sqrt{m} \times \sqrt{m} \times \sqrt{m} \times \sqrt{m} \times \sqrt{m}$$
  
 $= m \times m \times \sqrt{m}$   
 $= m^2 \sqrt{m}$ 

b. 
$$\sqrt{8} = \sqrt{4 \times 2} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2} = 2\sqrt{2}$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on multiplication of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (24 minutes)

1. Write on the board:

$$\sqrt{a} \times \sqrt{b} = \sqrt{ab}$$
$$a\sqrt{b} \times c\sqrt{d} = ac\sqrt{bd}$$

- 2. Explain:
  - These are the rules for multiplying surds.
  - Remember that the first equation is a property of surds that was covered in the previous class, and used for simplification.
- 3. Explain how to multiply surds:
  - To multiply surds, it is best to express each surd in its simplest mixed form first.
  - Multiply the coefficients, and multiply the surd parts (as shown in the second equation on the board).
  - Make sure the result is in its simplest form, and simplify where possible.
- 4. Write a problem on the board: Find the product of  $7\sqrt{2}$  and  $5\sqrt{3}$ .
- 5. Discuss: Is each surd in its simplest form? (Answer: Yes.)
- 6. Write the solution on the board, explaining each step.

#### Solution:

$$7\sqrt{2} \times 5\sqrt{3} = (7 \times 5)\sqrt{2 \times 3}$$
 Multiply coefficients and numbers in surds

$$= 35\sqrt{6}$$

- 7. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{15}$
- 8. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve. As they give them, solve on the board.

$$\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{15} = \sqrt{5 \times 15}$$
 Multiply numbers in surds 
$$= \sqrt{75}$$
 
$$= \sqrt{25 \times 3}$$
 Simplify  $\sqrt{75}$  
$$= \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{3}$$
 
$$= 5\sqrt{3}$$

Note that the following method is also correct. If necessary, solve using both methods and explain that there is often more than 1 way to simplify surds:

$$\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{15} = \sqrt{5 \times 5 \times 3}$$
 Multiply numbers in surds  
 $= \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5}$   
 $\times \sqrt{3}$   
 $= 5 \times \sqrt{3}$  Simplify  $\sqrt{75}$   
 $= 5\sqrt{3}$ 

- 9. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $2\sqrt{12} \times 3\sqrt{8}$ .
- 10. Discuss: Is each surd in its simplest form? (Answer: No)
- 11. Ask pupils to simplify each surd in their exercise books. Invite 2 volunteers to write the steps on the board. (Answer:  $2\sqrt{12} = 2\sqrt{4 \times 3} = 2\sqrt{4}\sqrt{3} = 2 \times 2\sqrt{3} = 4\sqrt{3}$ ;  $3\sqrt{8} = 3\sqrt{4 \times 2} = 3\sqrt{4}\sqrt{2} = 3 \times 2\sqrt{2} = 6\sqrt{2}$ )
- 12. Write the problem on the board with simplified surds:  $2\sqrt{12} \times 3\sqrt{8} = 4\sqrt{3} \times 6\sqrt{2}$
- 13. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve. As they give them, solve on the board.

#### Solution:

$$2\sqrt{12} \times 3\sqrt{8} = 4\sqrt{3} \times 6\sqrt{2}$$
 Simplify  
=  $(4 \times 6)\sqrt{3 \times 2}$  Multiply coefficients and numbers  
=  $24\sqrt{6}$ 

### 14. Explain:

- a. If you do not simplify the surds before solving the problem, you will still be able to find the solution.
- b. If you don't simplify as the first step, you will need to simplify the result, as the last step.
- 15. Solve the problem again on the board, multiplying first:

$$2\sqrt{12} \times 3\sqrt{8} = (2 \times 3)\sqrt{12 \times 8}$$
 Multiply coefficients and numbers 
$$= 6\sqrt{96}$$
 
$$= 6\sqrt{16 \times 6}$$
 Simplify 
$$= 6\sqrt{16}\sqrt{6}$$

$$= 6 \times 4\sqrt{6}$$
$$= 24\sqrt{6}$$

16. Explain:

- a. We reached the same answer  $(24\sqrt{6})$  by solving in 2 different ways.
- b. It is often possible to solve surd problems in different ways. However, it is often easiest to simplify the surds first.
- 17. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $2\sqrt{3} \times 3\sqrt{2}$
  - b. Simplify  $\sqrt{27} \times \sqrt{50}$
- 16. Ask pupils to solve the problems with seatmates.
- 17. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 18. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write the solutions on the board and explain.

#### **Answers:**

a.

$$2\sqrt{3} \times 3\sqrt{2} = (2 \times 3)\sqrt{3 \times 2}$$
 Multiply coefficients and numbers in surds  $= 6\sqrt{6}$ 

b.

$$\sqrt{27} \times \sqrt{50} = \sqrt{9 \times 3} \times \sqrt{25 \times 2}$$
 Simplify surds  

$$= \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{2}$$
  

$$= 3\sqrt{3} \times 5\sqrt{2}$$
  

$$= (3 \times 5)\sqrt{3 \times 2}$$
 Multiply  

$$= 15\sqrt{6}$$

# Practice (12 minutes)

- 1. Write the following four problems on the board:
  - a.  $\sqrt{8} \times \sqrt{10}$
  - b.  $(2\sqrt{5})^2$
  - c.  $\sqrt{30} \times \sqrt{5}$
  - d.  $2\sqrt{18} \times 3\sqrt{20}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite four volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a.  $\sqrt{8} \times \sqrt{10} = \sqrt{80}$  Multiply

$$= \sqrt{16 \times 5} \qquad \text{Simplify}$$

$$= \sqrt{16} \times \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 4\sqrt{5}$$
b.
$$(2\sqrt{5})^2 = 2\sqrt{5} \times 2\sqrt{5} \qquad \text{Multiply}$$

$$= 2 \times 2(\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5})$$

$$= 4 \times 5 = 20$$
c.
$$\sqrt{30} \times \sqrt{5} = \sqrt{30 \times 5} \qquad \text{Multiply numbers in surds}$$

$$= \sqrt{150}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 \times 6}$$

$$= \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{6}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{6}$$
d.
$$2\sqrt{18} \times 3\sqrt{20} = 2\sqrt{9 \times 2} \times 3\sqrt{4 \times 5} \qquad \text{Simplify surds}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{2} \times 3 \times \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 2 \times 3\sqrt{2} \times 3 \times 2 \times \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 6\sqrt{2} \times 6\sqrt{5} \qquad \text{Multiply}$$

$$= (6 \times 6)\sqrt{2 \times 5}$$

$$= 36\sqrt{10}$$

### Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L091 in the Pupil Handbook.

<b>Lesson Title:</b> Multiplication of surds – Part	Theme: Numbers and Numeration							
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Lesson Number: M1-L092	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes						
Learning Outcome	<b>Preparation</b>							
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the problem in Opening on t							
be able to multiply surds.	board.							

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $2\sqrt{12} \times \sqrt{3}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$2\sqrt{12} \times \sqrt{3} = 2\sqrt{4}\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}$$
 Simplify  $2\sqrt{12}$  first 
$$= 2 \times 2\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}$$
 Simplify  $2\sqrt{12}$  first 
$$= 4\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3}$$
 Note that  $\sqrt{3} \times \sqrt{3} = 3$  
$$= 4 \times 3$$
 
$$= 12$$

5. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on more complicated problems involving multiplication of surds.

# **Teaching and Learning** (21 minutes)

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{20} \times (\sqrt{5})^3$ .
- 2. Invite any volunteer to simplify  $\sqrt{20}$  on the board. (Answer:  $\sqrt{20} = \sqrt{4 \times 5} = 2\sqrt{5}$ )
- 3. Invite another volunteer to simplify  $(\sqrt{5})^3$  on the board. (Answer:  $(\sqrt{5})^3 = \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5} = 5\sqrt{5}$ )
- 4. Solve the problem on the board:

$$\sqrt{20} \times (\sqrt{5})^3 = 2\sqrt{5} \times 5\sqrt{5}$$
 Simplify each surd
$$= 2 \times 5\sqrt{5 \times 5}$$
 Multiply
$$= 10\sqrt{25}$$
 Simplify
$$= 10 \times 5$$

$$= 50$$

- 5. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{10}(\sqrt{2}+3)$
- 6. Explain: We must distribute  $\sqrt{10}$ . We will multiply it by each term in the brackets.
- 7. Solve the problem on the board:

$$\sqrt{10}(\sqrt{2}+3) = \sqrt{10\times2} + 3\sqrt{10}$$
 Remove bracket 
$$= \sqrt{20} + 3\sqrt{10}$$
 
$$= \sqrt{4\times5} + 3\sqrt{10}$$
 
$$= 2\sqrt{5} + 3\sqrt{10}$$

- 8. Explain:
  - a. This is the answer because it cannot be simplified further.
  - b. Remember that surds can only be added if they are like surds.
- 9. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\sqrt{50} 3\sqrt{2}(2\sqrt{2} 5) 5\sqrt{32}$
- 10. Explain: This problem looks complicated, but we can just work through it using the order of operations.
- 11. Solve on the board. Involve pupils by asking them to describe each step.

$$\sqrt{50} - 3\sqrt{2}(2\sqrt{2} - 5) - 5\sqrt{32} = \sqrt{50} - (3 \times 2\sqrt{2} \times 2) + (5 \times 3\sqrt{2}) - 5\sqrt{32}$$

$$= \sqrt{25 \times 2} - (6 \times 2) + 15\sqrt{2} - 5\sqrt{16 \times 2}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{2} - 12 + 15\sqrt{2} - 5 \times 4\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{2} + 15\sqrt{2} - 20\sqrt{2} - 12$$

$$= (5 + 15 - 20)\sqrt{2} - 12$$

$$= 0 - 12$$

$$= -12$$

- 12. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{\sqrt{75}\times\sqrt{45}}{\sqrt{200}\times\sqrt{50}}$
- 13. Explain: Remember the order of operations. To solve this problem, we can work the numerator and denominator first, separately.
- 14. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to simplify the numerator of the fraction.
- 15. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$\sqrt{75} \times \sqrt{45} = \sqrt{25 \times 5} \times \sqrt{9 \times 5}$$

$$= \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{9} \times \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{5} \times 3\sqrt{5}$$

$$= (5 \times 3)(\sqrt{5} \times \sqrt{5})$$

$$= 15 \times 5 = 75$$

- 16. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to simplify the denominator of the fraction.
- 17. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$\sqrt{200} \times \sqrt{50} = \sqrt{100 \times 2} \times \sqrt{25 \times 2}$$

$$= \sqrt{100} \times \sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{25} \times \sqrt{2}$$

$$= 10\sqrt{2} \times 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$= (10 \times 5)(\sqrt{2} \times \sqrt{2})$$

$$= 50 \times 2 = 100$$

18. Solve the problem on the board:  $\frac{\sqrt{75}\times\sqrt{45}}{\sqrt{200}\times\sqrt{50}} = \frac{75}{100} = \frac{3}{4}$ 

### Practice (15 minutes)

1. Write 3 problems on the board:

a. Simplify: 
$$-3\sqrt{6}(2\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{6})$$

b. Simplify: 
$$\sqrt{18} \times (\sqrt{2})^3$$

c. Simplify: 
$$2\sqrt{5}(5-2\sqrt{5})$$

2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.

3. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.

5. Invite volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board and explain.

### **Solutions:**

a.

$$-3\sqrt{6}(2\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{6}) = -3\sqrt{6} \times 2\sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{6} \times \sqrt{6}$$
$$= -3 \times 2\sqrt{6 \times 5} - 3 \times 6$$
$$= -6\sqrt{30} - 18$$

b.

$$\sqrt{18} \times (\sqrt{2})^3 = 3\sqrt{2} \times 2\sqrt{2}$$
$$= 3 \times 2\sqrt{2}\sqrt{2}$$
$$= 6 \times 2$$
$$= 12$$

C.

$$2\sqrt{5}(5-2\sqrt{5}) = 2 \times 5\sqrt{5} - 2 \times 2\sqrt{5 \times 5}$$
$$= 10\sqrt{5} - 4 \times 5$$
$$= 10\sqrt{5} - 20$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L092 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Rationalisation of the	Theme: Numbers a	and Numeration
denominator of surds – Part 1		
Lesson Number: M1-L093	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to rationalise the denominator of surds.	Preparation None	

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $(3 \sqrt{5})^2$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite any volunteer to write the solution on the board.

#### Solution:

$$(3 - \sqrt{5})^{2} = (3 - \sqrt{5})(3 - \sqrt{5})$$

$$= 3(3 - \sqrt{5}) - \sqrt{5}(3 - \sqrt{5})$$

$$= 9 - 3\sqrt{5} - 3\sqrt{5} + \sqrt{25}$$

$$= 9 - 6\sqrt{5} + 5$$

$$= 14 - 6\sqrt{5}$$

4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on a process called "rationalising the denominator" of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (22 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board:  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$
- 2. Explain:
  - This is a fraction with an irrational number in the denominator.
  - "Rationalising the denominator" is when we move a root from the bottom of the fraction to the top.
  - To be in "Simplest form," the denominator should not be irrational. We can change the denominator to a rational number by multiplying both the numerator and denominator by the denominator.
- 3. Write on the board:  $\frac{a}{\sqrt{h}} = \frac{a}{\sqrt{h}} \times \frac{\sqrt{b}}{\sqrt{h}} = \frac{a\sqrt{b}}{h}$
- 4. Explain:
  - This is the general rule.
  - Remember that when you multiply a fraction that has the same numerator and denominator, you are actually multiplying by 1.
- 5. Write a problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$ .
- 6. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $\sqrt{2}$  
$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

- 7. Explain:
  - This is the simplified form, because the denominator has a rational number, which is 2.
  - It is okay to have an irrational number in the numerator of a fraction.
- 8. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{8}{\sqrt{2}}$
- 9. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they describe them, work the problem on the board:

$$\frac{8}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{8}{\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $\sqrt{2}$ 

$$= \frac{8\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{2}}{1}$$
 Simplify
$$= 4\sqrt{2}$$

- 10. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{10}{\sqrt{12}}$ .
- 11. Explain: When the denominator can be simplified, we should simplify it first.
- 12. Ask any volunteer to simplify the denominator on the board. (Answer:  $\sqrt{12} = \sqrt{4 \times 3} = \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{3} = 2\sqrt{3}$ )
- 13. Explain: We have  $\sqrt{3}$  as the surd in the denominator. Therefore, we multiply the numerator and denominator by this  $\sqrt{3}$ .
- 14. Solve the problem on the board:

$$\frac{10}{\sqrt{12}} = \frac{10}{2\sqrt{3}}$$
 Simplify the denominator 
$$= \frac{10}{2\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $\sqrt{3}$  
$$= \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2\times\sqrt{3}\times\sqrt{3}}$$
 
$$= \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{2\times3}$$
 
$$= \frac{10\sqrt{3}}{6}$$
 
$$= \frac{5\sqrt{3}}{3}$$

- 15. Write on the board:  $\frac{5\sqrt{3}}{3} = \frac{5}{3}\sqrt{3}$
- 16. Explain: The answer can be written either way. Both are correct.
- 17. Write two more problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{7}}$
  - b. Simplify  $\frac{5}{\sqrt{10}}$

- 18. Ask pupils to solve the problem with seatmates.
- 19. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 20. Invite two volunteers to write their solutions on the board.

a.

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{7}} & = & \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{7}} \times \frac{\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{7}} \\ & = & \frac{\sqrt{14}}{7} \end{array}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $\sqrt{7}$ 

b.

$$\frac{5}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{10}} \times \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $\sqrt{10}$ 
$$= \frac{5\sqrt{10}}{10}$$
$$= \frac{\sqrt{10}}{2}$$

# Practice (13 minutes)

1. Write 5 problems on the board:

a. Simplify:  $\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}}$  c. Simplify:  $\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}}$  e. Simplify:  $\frac{2}{\sqrt{32}}$ 

b. Simplify:  $\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$  d. Simplify:  $\frac{18}{\sqrt{6}}$ 

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around the class to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite five volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{8}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4 \times 2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2 \times 2} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

b. 
$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2\times 3} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{6}$$

c. 
$$\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{3\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{3\times 2} = \frac{4\sqrt{6}}{6} = \frac{2\sqrt{6}}{3}$$

d. 
$$\frac{18}{\sqrt{6}} = \frac{18}{\sqrt{6}} \times \frac{\sqrt{6}}{\sqrt{6}} = \frac{18\sqrt{6}}{6} = 3\sqrt{6}$$

e. 
$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{32}} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{16\times2}} = \frac{2}{4\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2}{4\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{2}} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{4\times2} = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{8} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L093 in the Pupil Handbook.

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Lesson Title: Rationalisation of the	Theme: Numbers a	and Numeration
denominator of surds – Part 2		
Lesson Number: M1-L094	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
By the end of the lesson, pupils will be able to rationalise the denominator of	Preparation Write the prob	lem in Opening on the
surds.		

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify the following:  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{10}}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board. (Solution:  $\frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{10}} \times \frac{\sqrt{10}}{\sqrt{10}} = \frac{\sqrt{5}\times 10}{10} = \frac{\sqrt{50}}{10} = \frac{\sqrt{25}\times 2}{10} = \frac{5\sqrt{2}}{10} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ )
- 4. Explain to the pupils that today's lesson is on more complicated problems involving rationalizing the denominator of surds.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write on the board: Simplify:  $\frac{1}{3-\sqrt{2}}$
- 2. Explain:
  - This problem cannot be solved by multiplying the numerator and denominator by  $\sqrt{2}$ , as we did in the previous lesson.
  - When there are 2 terms added or subtracted in the numerator, we can rationalise
    by multiplying the numerator and denominator by the conjugate of the
    denominator.
  - The conjugate is found by changing the sign in the middle of two terms.
- 3. Write on the board: The conjugate of  $(3 \sqrt{2})$  is  $(3 + \sqrt{2})$ .
- 4. Explain:
  - The conjugate can also be called the "rationalising factor". This is because multiplying a surd by its conjugate rationalises it, or makes it a rational number.
  - Conjugates have special properties that make them useful for rationalising surds.
- 5. Write on the board:  $(3 \sqrt{2})(3 + \sqrt{2}) = 3^2 \sqrt{2}^2$
- 6. Explain: When a binomial is multiplied by its conjugate, we simply square each term. The other terms cancel.
- 7. Demonstrate why this is true on the board:

$$(3-\sqrt{2})(3+\sqrt{2}) = 3(3+\sqrt{2}) - \sqrt{2}(3+\sqrt{2})$$
 Multiply   
=  $3^2 + 3\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{2} - \sqrt{2}^2$  Remove the brackets

$$= 3^2 - \sqrt{2}^2$$

Middle terms cancel

- 8. Explain:
  - When you multiply a binomial by its conjugate, the middle terms will always cancel.
  - This fact will save you time when rationalising the denominator.
- 9. Solve on the board, explaining each step:

$$\frac{1}{3-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{3-\sqrt{2}} \times \frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{3+\sqrt{2}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $3+\sqrt{2}$   

$$= \frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{3^2-\sqrt{2}^2}$$
 Remove the brackets  

$$= \frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{9-2}$$
 Simplify  

$$= \frac{3+\sqrt{2}}{7}$$

- 10. Write another problem on the board: Simplify  $\frac{2}{3+\sqrt{7}}$
- 11. Invite a volunteer to write the conjugate of  $3 + \sqrt{7}$  on the board. (Answer:  $3 \sqrt{7}$ )
- 12. Ask volunteers to give the steps to solve the problem. As they give them, solve on the board.

### Solution:

$$\frac{2}{3+\sqrt{7}} = \frac{2}{3+\sqrt{7}} \times \frac{3-\sqrt{7}}{3-\sqrt{7}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $3-\sqrt{7}$ 

$$= \frac{2(3-\sqrt{7})}{3^2-\sqrt{7}^2}$$

$$= \frac{6-2\sqrt{7}}{9-7}$$

$$= \frac{6-2\sqrt{7}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{6}{2} - \frac{2}{2}\sqrt{7}$$

$$= 3 - \sqrt{7}$$

- 13. Write another problem on the board. Simplify  $\frac{4}{1+2\sqrt{3}}$
- 14. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 15. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 16. Invite a volunteer to simplify the problem on the board.

#### **Solution:**

$$\frac{4}{1+2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4}{1+2\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1-2\sqrt{3}}{1-2\sqrt{3}}$$
 Multiply top and bottom by  $1 - 2\sqrt{3}$ 

$$= \frac{4(1-2\sqrt{3})}{1^2 - (2\sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$= \frac{4-8\sqrt{3}}{1-4(3)}$$

$$= \frac{4-8\sqrt{3}}{-11}$$

$$= -\frac{4-8\sqrt{3}}{11}$$

- 17. Write another problem on the board: Express  $\frac{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{21}}$  in the form  $a\sqrt{3}+b\sqrt{7}$ , where a and b are rational numbers.
- 18. Explain:
  - This problem has 2 terms in the numerator. However, the process is similar to the problems solved in the previous lesson.
  - Rationalise the denominator first by multiplying by  $\sqrt{21}$ , then simplify.
  - In many cases a problem in this form will naturally simplify to the form given.
- 19. Solve the problem on the board. Involve pupils by asking them to give the steps.

$$\frac{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{21}} = \frac{\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{21}} \times \frac{\sqrt{21}}{\sqrt{21}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{21}(\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{7})}{\sqrt{21}\times\sqrt{21}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{63}+\sqrt{147}}{21}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{63}+\sqrt{147}}{21}$$
Multiply the numerator
$$= \frac{\sqrt{9\times7}+\sqrt{49\times3}}{21}$$
Simplify surds
$$= \frac{3\sqrt{7}+7\sqrt{3}}{21}$$

$$= \frac{7\sqrt{3}+3\sqrt{7}}{21}$$
Change the order of the numerator
$$= \frac{7\sqrt{3}}{21} + \frac{3\sqrt{7}}{21}$$
Simplify
$$= \frac{1}{3}\sqrt{3} + \frac{1}{7}\sqrt{7}$$

Where  $a = \frac{1}{3}$  and  $b = \frac{1}{7}$ 

# Practice (13 minutes)

- 1. Write two problems on the board:
  - a. Simplify:  $\frac{3}{2+\sqrt{5}}$
  - b. Simplify:  $\frac{\sqrt{27}+1}{\sqrt{48}}$ , leave your answer in the form  $p+q\sqrt{n}$  where p and q are rational numbers and n is an integer.
- 1. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 2. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 3. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 4. Invite two volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board.

#### Solutions:

a. 
$$\frac{3}{2+\sqrt{5}} = \frac{3}{2+\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{2-\sqrt{5}}{2-\sqrt{5}}$$
$$= \frac{3(2-\sqrt{5})}{2^2+5}$$

$$= \frac{3(2-\sqrt{5})}{4+5}$$

$$= \frac{3(2-\sqrt{5})}{9}$$

$$= \frac{2-\sqrt{5}}{3}$$
b. 
$$\frac{\sqrt{27}+1}{\sqrt{48}} = \frac{\sqrt{27}+1}{\sqrt{16\times 3}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{27}+1}{4\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{\sqrt{81}+\sqrt{3}}{4\times 3}$$

$$= \frac{9+\sqrt{3}}{12}$$

$$= \frac{9}{12} + \frac{1}{12}\sqrt{3}$$

$$= \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{12}\sqrt{3}$$
Where  $p = \frac{3}{4}$ ,  $q = \frac{1}{12}$  and  $n = \sqrt{3}$ 

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L094 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Expansion and simplification	Theme: Numbers a	and Numeration
of surds		
Lesson Number: M1-L095	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
By the end of the lesson, pupils will	None	
be able to expand and simplify expressions		
involving surds.		

- 1. Write the following problem on the board: Simplify:  $\frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{14}}$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently.
- 3. Invite a volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

### Solution:

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{14}} & = & \frac{\sqrt{2}+\sqrt{7}}{\sqrt{14}} \times \frac{\sqrt{14}}{\sqrt{14}} \\ & = & \frac{\sqrt{28}+\sqrt{98}}{14} \\ & = & \frac{\sqrt{4\times7}+\sqrt{49\times2}}{14} \\ & = & \frac{2\sqrt{7}+7\sqrt{2}}{14} \\ & = & \frac{2}{14}\sqrt{7} + \frac{7}{14}\sqrt{2} \\ & = & \frac{1}{7}\sqrt{7} + \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2} \end{array}$$

4. Explain that today's lesson is on expanding and simplifying expressions involving surds.

# **Teaching and Learning** (20 minutes)

- 1. Write another problem on the board: Expand and simplify  $(1+\sqrt{5})(1-\sqrt{5})$ .
- 2. Explain:
  - In expanding a bracket that involves surds you use the distributive law.
  - Multiply each term in the first bracket by the expression in the second bracket.
- 3. Solve the problem on the board, explaining each step:

#### Solution:

$$(1+\sqrt{5})(1-\sqrt{5}) = 1(1-\sqrt{5})+\sqrt{5}(1-\sqrt{5})$$
 Expand (distribute) 
$$= 1-\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{5}-\left(\sqrt{5}\right)^2$$
 Simplify 
$$= 1-\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{5}-5$$
 Note that  $\left(\sqrt{5}\right)^2=\sqrt{5}\times\sqrt{5}=5$  
$$= 1-5-\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{5}$$
 Collect like terms 
$$= -4$$

4. Write another problem on the board: Expand and simplify  $(1+\sqrt{2})(3+\sqrt{2})$ .

- 5. Ask a volunteer to apply the distributive law. (Answer:  $(1+\sqrt{2})(3+\sqrt{2})=1(3+\sqrt{2})+\sqrt{2}(3+\sqrt{2})$ )
- 6. Invite other volunteers to give the other steps on the board. They may write them or tell you the steps to wrote.

$$(1+\sqrt{2})(3+\sqrt{2}) = 1(3+\sqrt{2}) + \sqrt{2}(3+\sqrt{2})$$

$$= 3+\sqrt{2}+3\sqrt{2}+(\sqrt{2})^{2}$$

$$= 3+\sqrt{2}+3\sqrt{2}+2$$

$$= 3+2+\sqrt{2}+3\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 5+4\sqrt{2}$$

- 7. Write another problem on the board: Expand and simplify:  $(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})$
- 8. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 9. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 10. Invite any volunteer to solve the problem on the board.

#### Solution:

$$(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}) = \sqrt{7}(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3}) + \sqrt{3}(\sqrt{7} + \sqrt{3})$$

$$= (\sqrt{7})^{2} + \sqrt{7 \times 3} + \sqrt{3 \times 7} + (\sqrt{3})^{2}$$

$$= 7 + \sqrt{21} + \sqrt{21} + 3$$

$$= 7 + 3 + \sqrt{21} + \sqrt{21}$$

$$= 10 + 2\sqrt{21}$$

- 11. Write another problem on the board: Expand and simplify  $\sqrt{5} \left( \sqrt{45} \frac{8}{\sqrt{80}} \right)$
- 12. Explain: For this type of problem, distribute as usual. Multiply the term in front of the brackets by each term inside, then simplify.
- 13. Write the solution on the board and explain to the pupils.

#### Solution:

$$\sqrt{5}\left(\sqrt{45} - \frac{8}{\sqrt{80}}\right) = \sqrt{5 \times 45} - \sqrt{5} \times \frac{8}{\sqrt{80}} \qquad \text{Multiply } \sqrt{5} \text{ by each term in the bracket}$$

$$= \sqrt{225} - \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{80}}$$

$$= 15 - \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{16 \times 5}}$$

$$= 15 - \frac{8\sqrt{5}}{4\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= 15 - \frac{8}{4} \qquad \text{Cancel } \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 15 - 2$$

$$= 13$$

### Practice (16 minutes)

- 1. Write the following three problems on the board:
  - a. Expand and simplify:  $(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{3} \sqrt{6})$
  - b. Simplify:  $(4 + \sqrt{2})(5 3\sqrt{2})$
  - c. Simplify:  $\sqrt{2}\left(\sqrt{50} + \frac{20}{\sqrt{72}}\right)$
- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.
- 5. Invite any three volunteers, one at a time, to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$(\sqrt{6} + \sqrt{3})(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6}) = \sqrt{6}(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6}) + \sqrt{3}(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{6})$$

$$= \sqrt{6 \times 3} - (\sqrt{6})^2 + (\sqrt{3})^2 - \sqrt{3 \times 6}$$

$$= \sqrt{18} - 6 + 3 - \sqrt{18}$$

$$= \sqrt{9 \times 2} - 3 - \sqrt{9 \times 2}$$

$$= 3\sqrt{2} - 3 - 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$= -3 + 3\sqrt{2} - 3\sqrt{2}$$

$$= -3$$

b. 
$$(4+\sqrt{2})(5-3\sqrt{2}) = 4(5-3\sqrt{2}) + \sqrt{2}(5-3\sqrt{2})$$

$$= 20 - 12\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{2} - 3(\sqrt{2})^2$$

$$= 20 - 12\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{2} - 6$$

$$= 20 - 6 - 12\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 14 - 7\sqrt{2}$$

C. 
$$\sqrt{2} \left( \sqrt{50} + \frac{20}{\sqrt{72}} \right) = \sqrt{2 \times 50} + \frac{20\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{72}}$$

$$= \sqrt{100} + \frac{20\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{36}\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= 10 + \frac{20}{\sqrt{36}}$$

$$= 10 + \frac{10}{6}$$

$$= 10 + \frac{10}{3}$$

$$= \frac{30 + 10}{3}$$

$$= \frac{40}{3}$$

$$= 13 \frac{1}{3}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L095 in the Pupil Handbook.

Lesson Title: Practice of surds	Theme: Numbers a	and Numeration
Lesson Number: M1-L096	Class: SSS 1	Time: 40 minutes
Learning Outcome	Preparation	
Learning Outcome  By the end of the lesson, pupils will	Write the prob	lems in Opening on the
be able to apply various operations to	board.	
simplify expressions involving surds.		

1. Write the following two problems on the board:

a. Simplify:  $\sqrt{32} + 3\sqrt{8}$ 

b. Simplify:  $\frac{13}{9\sqrt{8}}$ 

- 2. Ask pupils to solve the problem independently in their exercise books.
- 3. Invite any two volunteers to write their answer on the board.

### **Answers:**

a. 
$$\sqrt{32} + 3\sqrt{8} = \sqrt{16 \times 2} + 3\sqrt{4 \times 2}$$

$$= \sqrt{16 \times 2} + 3 \times \sqrt{4} \times \sqrt{2}$$

$$= 4\sqrt{2} + 3 \times 2\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 4\sqrt{2} + 6\sqrt{2}$$

$$= 10\sqrt{2}$$
b. 
$$\frac{13}{9\sqrt{8}} = \frac{13}{9\sqrt{8}} \times \frac{\sqrt{8}}{\sqrt{8}}$$

$$= \frac{13\sqrt{8}}{9\times 8}$$

$$= \frac{13\sqrt{8}}{72}$$

$$= \frac{13\times 2\sqrt{2}}{72}$$

$$= \frac{13\times 2\sqrt{2}}{36}$$

4. Explain to pupils that today's lesson is on applying various operations to simplify expressions involving surds.

# Teaching and Learning (23 minutes)

- 1. Write a problem on the board: Evaluate:  $\frac{\sqrt{60} \times \sqrt{180}}{\sqrt{75}}$
- 2. Discuss: How would you simplify this problem? (Answer: Simplify the surds, then rationalise the denominator.)
- 3. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.

- 4. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 5. Invite a volunteer to write the solution on the board.

$$\frac{\sqrt{60} \times \sqrt{180}}{\sqrt{75}} = \frac{\sqrt{4 \times 15} \times \sqrt{36 \times 10}}{\sqrt{25 \times 3}}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{15} \times 6\sqrt{5}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{(2 \times 6)\sqrt{15 \times 5}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{12\sqrt{75}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{12\sqrt{25 \times 3}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{12 \times 5\sqrt{3}}{5\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= 12$$

- 6. Write a problem on the board: If  $a\sqrt{28} + \sqrt{63} \sqrt{7} = 0$ , find a.
- 7. Discuss: How would you solve this problem? (Answer: Simplify the surds and see if they can be combined by adding or subtracting.)
- 8. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.
- 9. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 10. Invite any volunteer to write the solution on the board.

**Solution:** (note that there are multiple ways to solve, accept any correct solution):

$$a\sqrt{28} + \sqrt{63} - \sqrt{7} = 0$$

$$a\sqrt{4 \times 7} + \sqrt{9 \times 7} - \sqrt{7} = 0$$

$$a \times 2\sqrt{7} + 3\sqrt{7} - \sqrt{7} = 0$$

$$2a\sqrt{7} + 2\sqrt{7} = 0$$

$$2a\sqrt{7} = -2\sqrt{7}$$

$$2a\sqrt{7} = \frac{-2\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{7}}$$
Subtract  $2\sqrt{7}$  from both sides
$$\frac{2a\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{7}} = \frac{-2\sqrt{7}}{2\sqrt{7}}$$
Divide throughout by  $2\sqrt{7}$ 

- 11. Write another problem on the board: Given that  $\sqrt{2} = 1.4142$ , evaluate  $\sqrt{128} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$ , correct your answer to four significant figures.
- 12. Discuss: How would you solve this problem? (Answer: Simplify the expression. The only surd should be  $\sqrt{2}$ , since the value is given in the problem. Then, substitute the given value and evaluate.)
- 13. Explain:
  - a. Simplify the expression so that the only surd is  $\sqrt{2}$ .
  - b. It is not necessary to simplify the expression completely, but it will make the problem easier. For example, if you rationalise the denominator, the operations on the decimal number will be possible without a calculator.
- 14. Ask pupils to work with seatmates to solve the problem.

- 15. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.
- 16. Invite any volunteer to write the solution on the board.

$$\sqrt{128} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}} = \sqrt{64 \times 2} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$$

$$= 8\sqrt{2} + \frac{1}{3\sqrt{2}}$$
Note that  $\sqrt{2} = 1.4142$  can be substituted here, or the expression can be further simplified.
$$= \frac{(8\times3)\sqrt{2\times2}+1}{3\sqrt{2}}$$
Add the fractions
$$= \frac{24\times2+1}{3\sqrt{2}}$$
Simplify
$$= \frac{49\sqrt{2}}{3\times2}$$
Rationalise the denominator
$$= \frac{49(1.4142)}{6}$$
Substitute  $\sqrt{2} = 1.4142$ 

$$= \frac{69.2958}{6}$$

$$= 11.5493$$

$$\approx 11.55$$
Rounded to 4 significant figures

### Practice (13 minutes)

1. Write two problems on the board:

a. If 
$$\sqrt{5}=2.2361$$
, evaluate  $\sqrt{245}-\frac{10}{\sqrt{5}}$ , correct to 3 decimal places.

b. Simplify: 
$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}+3}{2-\sqrt{3}}$$

2. Ask pupils to solve the problems independently in their exercise books. Allow discussion with seatmates if needed.

3. Walk around to check for understanding and clear misconceptions.

4. Allow pupils to exchange their exercise books.

5. Invite any two volunteers one at a time to write their solutions on the board.

### Solutions:

a. 
$$\sqrt{245} - \frac{10}{\sqrt{5}} = \sqrt{49 \times 5} - \frac{10}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= 7\sqrt{5} - \frac{10}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{7\sqrt{5}(\sqrt{5}) - 10}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{35 - 10}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{25}{\sqrt{5}} \times \frac{\sqrt{5}}{\sqrt{5}}$$

$$= \frac{25\sqrt{5}}{5}$$

$$= 5\sqrt{5}$$

$$= 5(2.2361)$$

$$= 11.1805$$

$$= 11.181 \text{ to } 3 \text{ d.p.}$$
b.
$$\frac{2\sqrt{3}+3}{2-\sqrt{3}} = \frac{2\sqrt{3}+3}{2-\sqrt{3}} \times \frac{2+\sqrt{3}}{2+\sqrt{3}}$$

$$= \frac{(2\sqrt{3}+3)(2+\sqrt{3})}{2^2-(\sqrt{3})^2}$$

$$= \frac{2\sqrt{3}(2+\sqrt{3})+3(2+\sqrt{3})}{4-3}$$

$$= \frac{4\sqrt{3}+6+6+3\sqrt{3}}{1}$$

$$= 6+6+4\sqrt{3}+3\sqrt{3}$$

$$= 12+7\sqrt{3}$$

# Closing (1 minute)

1. For homework, have pupils do the practice activity PHM1-L096 in the Pupil Handbook.

# Appendix I: Logarithm Table

# COMMON LOGARITHM TABLE

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# Appendix II: Anti-Logarithm Table

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