Functional Skills

Maths Level 2

Paper 1

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Practice Paper Feedback Sheet:

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Practice Paper 1

<u>Summary</u>

Name:	Sarah Reed		
Section A result:	10/15 66.67%		
Section B result	34/45	75.56%	
Overall result:	44/60	73.33%	
Pass / Fail:	Pass		

Mark Breakdown

Section A								
Question	Marks Available	Marks Awarded	Level 2 Subject Content					
1	1	1	SoS9. Order, approximate and compare decimals					
2	1	1	SoS2. Carry out calculations with numbers up to one million including strategies to check answers including estimation and approximation					
3	2	1	SoS7. Order, add, subtract and compare amounts or quantities using proper and improper fractions and mixed numbers					
4	2	1	SoS23. Calculate the median and mode of a set of quantities					
5	3	1	SoS11. Understand and calculate using ratios, direct proportion and inverse proportion					
6	4	4	SoS2. Carry out calculations with numbers up to one million including strategies to check answers including estimation and approximation SoS11. Understand and calculate using ratios, direct proportion and inverse proportion					
7 2 1			SoS27. Express probabilities as fractions, decimals and percentages					
Total	15	10						

Section B							
		Marks Awarded	Level 2 Subject Content				
8	4	4	SoS16. Calculate perimeters and areas of 2-D shapes including triangles and circles and composite shapes including non-rectangular shapes (formulae given except for triangles and circles)				
9	3	2	SoS24. Estimate the mean of a grouped frequency distribution from discrete data				
10	1	1	SoS19. Use coordinates in 2-D, positive and negative, to specify the positions of points				
11	2	2	SoS8. Express one number as a fraction of another				
12	5	2	SoS15. Calculate using compound measures including speed, density and rates of pay				
13	4	3	SoS15. Calculate using compound measures including speed, density and rates of pay SoS17. Use formulae to find volumes and surface areas of 3-D shapes including cylinders (formulae to be given for 3-D shapes other than cylinders)				
14	1	1	SoS21. Draw 3-D shapes to include plans and elevations				
15	3	2	SoS6. Calculate percentage change (any size increase and decrease), and original value after percentage change				
16	2	2	SoS14. Convert between metric and imperial units of length, weight and capacity using a) a conversion factor b) a conversion graph SoS16. Calculate perimeters and areas of 2-D shapes including triangles and circles and composite shapes including non-rectangular shapes (formulae given except for triangles and circles)				
17	5	3	SoS2. Carry out calculations with numbers up to one million including strategies to check answers including estimation and approximation SoS13. Calculate amounts of money, compound interest, percentage increases, decreases and discounts including tax and simple budgeting SoS14. Convert between metric and imperial units of length, weight and capacity using a) a conversion factor b) a conversion graph SoS16. Calculate perimeters and areas of 2-D shapes including triangles and circles and composite shapes including non-rectangular shapes (formulae given except for triangles and				

			circles)		
18	1	1	SoS28. Draw and interpret scatter diagrams and recognise positive and negative correlation		
19	4	2	SoS25. Use the mean, median, mode and range to compare two sets of data		
20	2	1	SoS3. Evaluate expressions and make substitutions in given formulae in words and symbols		
21	2	2	SoS22. Calculate values of angles and/or coordinates with 2-D and 3-D shapes		
22	6	6	SoS10. Add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals up to three decimal places SoS14. Convert between metric and imperial units of length, weight and capacity using a) a conversion factor b) a conversion graph SoS18. Calculate actual dimensions from scale drawings and create a scale diagram given actual measurements		
Total	45	34			

Topic by Topic Performance

Кеу	Description			
	You performed well on this topic.			
	OK, but this topic needs some improvement.			
	This is a topic to focus on.			
	Not assessed.			

Level 2 Subject Content	Revision	Marks Available	Marks Awarded	% Score	Performance
SoS1. Read, write, order and compare positive and negative numbers of any size	<u>Link</u> Link	-	-	-	
SoS2. Carry out calculations with numbers up to one million including strategies to check answers including estimation and approximation	<u>Link</u> <u>Link</u> <u>Link</u> Link	4	4	100.00	
SoS3. Evaluate expressions and make substitutions in given formulae in words and symbols	<u>Link</u>	2	1	50.00	
SoS4. Identify and know the equivalence between fractions, decimals and percentages	<u>Link</u>	-	-	-	
SoS5. Work out percentages of amounts and express one amount as a percentage of another	<u>Link</u>	-	-	-	
SoS6. Calculate percentage change (any size increase and decrease), and original value after percentage change	<u>Link</u>	3	2	66.67	
SoS7. Order, add, subtract and compare amounts or quantities using proper and improper fractions and mixed numbers	<u>Link</u>	2	1	50.00	
SoS8. Express one number as a fraction of another	Link	2	2	100.00	
SoS9. Order, approximate and compare decimals	Link	1	1	100.00	
SoS10. Add, subtract, multiply and divide decimals up to three	<u>Link</u>	3	3	100.00	

decimal places					
SoS11. Understand and calculate					
using ratios, direct proportion and	<u>Link</u>	5	3	60.00	
inverse proportion	<u>Link</u>	-	_		
SoS12. Follow the order of					
precedence of operators, including	Link	_	-	-	
indices					
SoS13. Calculate amounts of					
money, compound interest,	Link				
percentage increases, decreases	Link	2	0	0.00	
and discounts including tax and	Link				
simple budgeting					
SoS14. Convert between metric					
and imperial units of length, weight					
and capacity using	Link	4	4	100.00	
a) a conversion factor	<u>Link</u>			_	
b) a conversion graph					
SoS15. Calculate using compound	Link				
measures including speed, density	Link	7	3	42.86	
and rates of pay	Link		_		
SoS16. Calculate perimeters and					
areas of 2-D shapes including					
triangles and circles and	Link				
composite shapes including	Link	6	6	100.00	
non-rectangular shapes (formulae	Link				
given except for triangles and					
circles)					
SoS17. Use formulae to find					
volumes and surface areas of 3-D	Link				
shapes including cylinders	Link	2	2	100.00	
(formulae to be given for 3-D	Link				
shapes other than cylinders)					
SoS18. Calculate actual					
dimensions from scale drawings	l laste			100.00	
and create a scale diagram given	<u>Link</u>	1	1	100.00	
actual measurements					
SoS19. Use coordinates in 2-D,					
positive and negative, to specify	Link	1	1	100.00	
the positions of points	_				
SoS20. Understand and use					
common 2-D representations of	<u>Link</u>	-	-	-	
3-D objects					
SoS21. Draw 3-D shapes to	Link			100.00	
include plans and elevations	Link	1	1	100.00	
SoS22. Calculate values of angles					
and/or coordinates with 2-D and	<u>Link</u>	2	2	100.00	
3-D shapes					
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SoS23. Calculate the median and mode of a set of quantities	<u>Link</u>	2	1	50.00	
SoS24. Estimate the mean of a grouped frequency distribution from discrete data	<u>Link</u>	3	2	66.67	
SoS25. Use the mean, median, mode and range to compare two sets of data	<u>Link</u> Link	4	2	50.00	
SoS26. Work out the probability of combined events including the use of diagrams and tables, including two-way tables	<u>Link</u> Link	-	-	-	
SoS27. Express probabilities as fractions, decimals and percentages	<u>Link</u>	2	1	50.00	
SoS28. Draw and interpret scatter diagrams and recognise positive and negative correlation	<u>Link</u>	1	1	100.00	

Examiner's Feedback

Areas of Good Performance

The student performed the best in the following three areas:

- SoS2. Carry out calculations with numbers up to one million including strategies to check answers including estimation and approximation
- SoS16. Calculate perimeters and areas of 2-D shapes including triangles and circles and composite shapes including non-rectangular shapes (formulae given except for triangles and circles)
- SoS14. Convert between metric and imperial units of length, weight and capacity using
 - a) a conversion factor
 - b) a conversion graph

Areas for Improvement

The student struggled the most in the following three areas:

- SoS13. Calculate amounts of money, compound interest, percentage increases, decreases and discounts including tax and simple budgeting
- SoS15. Calculate using compound measures including speed, density and rates of pay
- SoS25. Use the mean, median, mode and range to compare two sets of data

Examiners Comments and Advice

Overall, the student performed well on this practice paper. Since the student passed this practice paper, they should feel confident in passing their real exam on the next attempt. I would advise that the student continues to revise, focussing on any topics outlined in the Areas for Improvement section. The student should continue to practise exam style questions, to further enhance their exam technique.