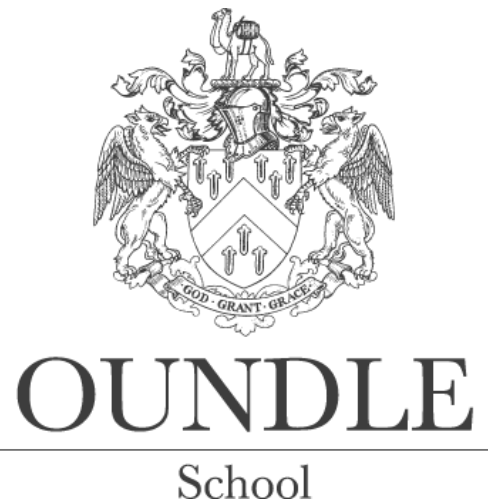


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2018 Junior Entrance Examination  
First Form Entry

**Mathematics**

Time Allowed: **60 minutes**

**Instructions**

- Calculators are *not* permitted.
- Write ALL your working and answers on this paper. Show enough working on each question to make it clear how you reached your answer.
- Do not spend too long working on any particular question. Do not worry if you do not manage to complete every question.
- You may work in pen or pencil.

### Question 1

- (a) John wanted to buy a boat.  
Boat A cost £34,567,300. Boat B cost £23,997,324.  
Calculate the difference between the two prices.

Answer ..... [1]

- (b) Polly's bill in a shop came to £374.67.  
Ellie's bill came to £263.21.  
What was the total they spent altogether?

Answer ..... [1]

- (c) A box contains 37 chocolates. How many chocolates would there be in 26 boxes?

Answer ..... [1]

- (d) Seven computers cost £882. Find the cost of one computer.

Answer ..... [1]

- (e) 650 calculators need to be shipped in boxes. A maximum of 24 calculators fit in each box.  
How many boxes are needed?

Answer ..... [1]

**Question 2** Work out the following, obeying the correct order of operations.

(a)  $-3 + 0$

Answer ..... [1]

(b)  $0 \times 4$

Answer ..... [1]

(c)  $4 - 3 \times 0$

Answer ..... [1]

(d)  $8 + 0 \div 4$

Answer ..... [1]

(e)  $-1 \times 4 + 3 \times 5$

Answer ..... [1]

(f)  $7 - 7 \div 7 + 7$

Answer ..... [1]

**Question 3**

Insert brackets to make the following statements correct:

(a)  $9 \times 5 \div 2 + 1 = 15$

(b)  $3 \times 7 - 6 \times 4 - 3 = 15$

[2]

**Question 4**

A pile of food can feed 12 rabbits for 15 days.  
For how long could the same pile of food feed 20 rabbits?

Answer ..... [2]

**Question 5**

An iPhone used to cost £500. Since Brexit the price has increased by 22%.  
How much does it cost now?

Answer ..... [2]

**Question 6**

$a$  and  $b$  are two *different, positive* whole numbers which make the following statement true

$$3a + 2b = 48$$

Find two possible pairs of numbers which make the statement above true.

First pair      $a = \dots\dots\dots$       $b = \dots\dots\dots$

Second pair    $a = \dots\dots\dots$       $b = \dots\dots\dots$   
[2]

### Question 7

The ratio of height to width on an old television screen is 3:4.

If the height of a television screen was 21cm, find the perimeter of the screen.

Answer ..... [2]

### Question 8

Write down the missing number in each part.

(a)  $23 \times ? = 690$

Answer ..... [1]

(b)  $2.3 \times ? = 6\,900$

Answer ..... [1]

(c)  $6\,900 \div ? = 23\,000$

Answer ..... [2]

### Question 9

In this question you may use the grid below to help you answer the questions.

A straight line passes through the points (1, 2) and (6, 12).

- (a) (i) The point (3,  $a$ ) also lies on the line. Calculate the value of  $a$ .

Answer ..... [1]

- (ii) The point (7,  $b$ ) also lies on the line. Calculate the value of  $b$ .

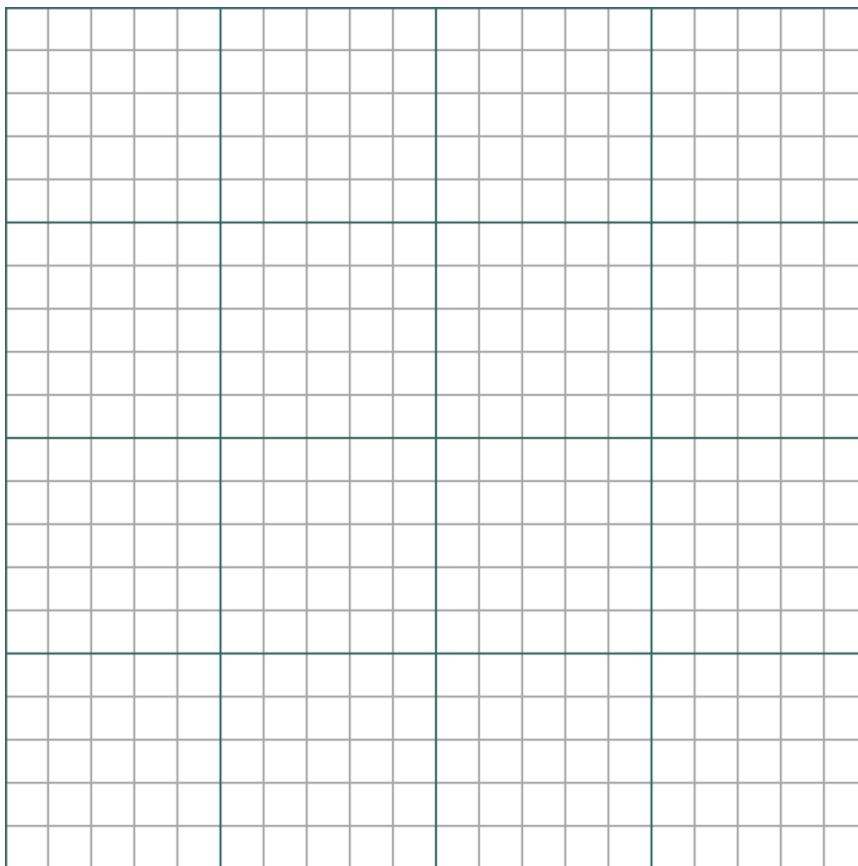
Answer ..... [1]

- (iii) Give the coordinates of a new point which would form a right angled triangle with the original two points.

Answer ..... [1]

- (b) Another straight line goes through the point (5, 1) and is *parallel* to the first line. Give the coordinates of any other point on this second line.

Answer ..... [1]



### Question 10

When the fraction “one thirteenth” is written as a decimal, the first digit after the decimal point is 0, the second is 7 and the third is 6. If fifteen decimal places are calculated then we find:

$$1/13 = 0.076\ 923\ 076\ 923\ 076\ldots$$

You will notice that after six decimal places the digits begin to repeat, and in fact *this pattern continues*.

- (a) Write down the digits that are in the 4<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> decimal places.

4<sup>th</sup> digit: ..... 10<sup>th</sup> digit: ..... [2]

- (b) What number would you find in the 15<sup>th</sup> decimal place?

..... [1]

- (c) What number would you find in the 2,000<sup>th</sup> decimal place?

..... [1]

- (d) How many 7s appear in the first 200 decimal places?

..... [1]

### Question 11

You have the numbers –2, 7, 5 and –13 available.

Any of these numbers can be used in each part of the question.

- (a) What is the highest number that can be obtained by adding two of the above numbers?

Answer: ..... [1]

- (b) What is the lowest number that can be obtained by adding two of the above numbers?

Answer: ..... [1]

- (c) What is the highest number that can be obtained by subtracting two of the above numbers?

Answer: ..... [1]

- (d) What is the lowest number that can be obtained by multiplying two of the above numbers?

Answer: ..... [1]

### Question 12

This question is about fractions.

- (a) Which fraction is bigger, four fifths or eight ninths?

Answer ..... [1]

- (b) Write down a fraction which is greater than two fifths, but less than four fifths.

Answer ..... [1]

- (c) Write down a fraction that is greater than three fifths, but less than four fifths.

Answer ..... [1]

- (d) Write down a fraction which is less than one seventh, but greater than zero.

Answer ..... [1]

- (e) Calculate half of one sixth.

Answer ..... [1]

- (f) What is the result if one is subtracted from three fifths?

Answer ..... [1]