Victoria Shanghai Academy 2015/2016

## IB MYP 3 Year 8 Mathematics Assessment Schedule

Teachers: LF, SL, RY, ML

A:

B: Knowledge & Understanding

Investigating Patterns

C: Communication D:

Applying mathematics in real-life contexts

Unit	Statement of Inquiry	Unit Questions	ATL	Type of Assessment	Criterion	Assessment Date(s)
1. Data Handling (Ch.7 &13)	Studying the representation of quantities can help us make the logical decisions in our daily lives.	Factual:   How do you calculate the interquartile range?   Conceptual:   Are cumulative frequency polygons always the best way to explain and   represent data?   Debatable:   Are girls always smarter than boys?	Research vi. Information Literacy Thinking x. Transfer	Project assessment	C,D	Sep 14-18
2. Simultaneous Linear Equations (Ch.4)	Looking at how we can logically simplify scientific principles using systems.	Factual:   How do you solve a pair of linear equations with two unknowns at the same time?   Conceptual:   What does it mean when two straights lines meet on a graph?   Debatable:   Is the elimination method better than the substitution method?	Communication i. Communication Self-management v. Reflection Thinking x. Transfer	Written assessment	Α	Oct 12
3. Inequalities in one unknown (Ch.8)	Justifying patterns and relationships logically	Factual: How can we represent a range of values on a number line? Conceptual: What do we mean by a "range"? Debatable: Is zero a positive or negative value?	Communication <b>i. Communication</b> Self-Management <b>iv. Affective</b>	Written assessment	В	Nov 2-6
4. Area & Volume (Ch.10)	Finding areas and volumes are processes that can be used to measure space.	Factual: How do you find the area and volume of 2D and 3D shapes? Conceptual: Are there relationships between different formulae? Debatable: How big is big?	Research vi. Information Literacy Thinking x. Transfer	Incorporated into Summative Assessment Week		
Summative Assessment Week			Thinking <b>x. Transfer</b>	Including all topics in term 1 Written assessment	Α	Nov 30 – Dec 4
5. Pythagoras' Theorem (Ch.6) Trigonometry (Ch.11)	Properties of mathematical laws and theorems can be justified by different representations	Factual: How do you find the size of angles and lengths of a right-angled triangle? Conceptual: What are the different relationships between the sides and/or the angles of a triangle? Debatable: Which method is better to use when finding the lengths of right-angled triangles?	Research vi. Information Literacy Thinking x. Transfer	Written assessment	B,D	Jan 25 - 29
6. Identities and Factorization (Ch.3) Algebraic Fractions (Ch.9)	Simplifications and generalizations are processes that can be used to represent the relationships between mathematical identities	Factual: How do we simplify algebraic expressions? Conceptual: What are the different ways to simplify expressions? Debatable: Is simplification the most efficient method to use and to represent an answer?	Thinking viii. Critical thinking	Project assessment	A,C	Mar 14
Summative Assessment Week			Thinking <b>x. Transfer</b>	Including all topics in the year Written assessment	Α	May 26 – Jun 1

