acute angle: an angle between $0^{\circ}$ and $90^{\circ}$
acute triangle: a triangle where all angles are less than $90^{\circ}$

amortization period: the length of time over which a loan is paid off
amortization table: a detailed outline showing how much of each equal payment repays interest and principal and the loan balance after each payment
amount of an annuity: the ending balance after a designated amount of time; it is the principal plus interest; see future value angle of depression: the angle between the horizontal and a sightline to a point below eye level

angle of elevation: the angle between the horizontal and a sightline to a point above eye level

angle of inclination: see angle of elevation annuity: a series of regular, equal payments paid into, or out of, an account
area: the number of square units needed to cover a surface; common units used to measure area include square centimetres and square metres
average: a single number that represents a set of numbers: see mean, median, mode
balance: for a budget, the difference when total expenses are subtracted from total income. Adjusting the balance so that expenses meet income is called balancing the budget.
bar graph: a graph that displays data using horizontal or vertical bars whose lengths are proportional to the numbers they represent

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base: the side of a polygon, or the face of a solid or object, from which the height is measured; also, in an expression of the form $b^{n}, b$ is the base; see exponent, power

base value: for an index, a set value used for comparisons across the index
bearing: the angle describing an object's position as measured clockwise from North, usually expressed using 3 digits
bias: an emphasis on characteristics that are not typical of the entire population
budget: a written plan to outline how money will be spent
capacity: the measure of how much liquid a container can hold. It can be measured in imperial or metric units. Imperial measures of capacity include fluid ounces (fl. oz.), pints (pt.), quarts (qt.), and gallons (gal.)
categorical data: data that are grouped by categories
census: the collection of data about every individual in a population
circle: the set of points in a plane that are a given distance (the radius) from a fixed point (the centre)

circle graph: a diagram that uses parts of a circle to display data, sometimes called a pie chart

Favourite Colours of People in My Class

circumference: the distance around a circle; the distance around any region whose boundary is a simple closed curve
cluster sampling: sampling in which the data are organized into representative groups and one group is chosen as a sample
composite figure: a figure made up of two or more other figures
composite object: a 3-dimensional structure or object made up of two or more objects
compound interest: interest earned via a method of calculating interest in which the interest due is added to the principal and thereafter earns interest; calculated using the formula $A=P(1+i)^{n}$, where $A$ is the amount of the compound interest, $P$ is the principal, $i$ is the interest rate per compounding period as a decimal, $n$ is the number of compounding periods
concept map: a graphic organizer that illustrates the connections among different terms or concepts

cone: a solid that is formed by a region (base of the cone) and all the line segments joining points in the base to a point not in the base

congruent: having the same size and shape, but not necessarily the same orientation
constraint: a condition that limits or restricts options
convenience sampling: sampling in which individuals who are easy to sample are chosen coordinate axes: the horizontal and vertical number lines on a grid that represents a plane
coordinates: also called Cartesian coordinates; the numbers in an ordered pair that locate a point in the coordinate plane
correlation: the strength of a linear relationship between two variables
correlation coefficient, $r$ : a measure,
between -1 and 1 , of how closely data can be described by a certain type of function; the closer the value of $r$ to 1 or -1 , the more closely the data fits the function
cosine: for an acute $\angle \mathrm{A}$ in a right triangle, the ratio of the length of the side adjacent to $\angle \mathrm{A}$, to the length of the hypotenuse; written $\cos \mathrm{A}$ $\cos \mathrm{A}=\frac{\text { length of side adjacent to } \angle \mathrm{A}}{\text { length of hypotenuse }}$


Cosine Law: In any $\triangle A B C$,
$c^{2}=a^{2}+b^{2}-2 a b \cos \mathrm{C}$
This can also be written as: $\cos \mathrm{C}=\frac{a^{2}+b^{2}-c^{2}}{2 a b}$ cube: a rectangular prism whose length, width, and height are all equal; see rectangular prism

cube number: a power with exponent 3 ; for example, 8 is a cube number because $2^{3}=8$ cube root: a number which, when raised to the power 3, results in a given number; for example, 3 is the cube root of 27 , and -3 is the cube root of -27
curve of best fit: for a given scatter plot, the curve that passes most closely to the majority of points; the curve of best fit can be obtained by exponential or quadratic regression
cylinder: a solid with two parallel, congruent, circular bases

equation: a mathematical statement indicating that two expressions are equal
equilateral triangle: a triangle with three equal sides; each angle is $60^{\circ}$
expenses: items that must be paid from income; for example, food, shelter, transportation
exponent: in an expression of the form $b^{n}$, $n$ is the exponent; exponents that are positive integers indicate the number of times a factor is repeated in a product; for example, in $3^{4}$, the exponent 4 indicates that the base 3 is used as a factor 4 times; see base, power
exponential equation: an equation in the form $y=a b^{x} ; a$ is the initial value; $b$ is the growth or decay factor
exponential regression: the process of identifying an exponential curve of best fit for a given set of data
expression: a meaningful mathematical phrase made up of numbers and/or variables which may include operation symbols
extrapolate: to estimate a value that lies beyond the known values

face: a flat surface of a 3-dimensional object
fixed cost: the same amount charged at regular intervals
formula: a rule that is expressed as a mathematical equation that relates two or more variables

Frayer model: a graphic organizer with 4 sections which can hold a definition, characteristics or facts, examples, and non-examples of a word or a concept

| Definition | Facts/ <br> Characteristics <br> Apolygon with 4 sides <br> angles is $360^{\circ}$. <br> The sum of the exterior <br> angles is $360^{\circ}$. |
| :--- | :--- |
| Examples |  |
| Trapezoid, <br> parallelogram, <br> rectangle, square | Non-examples |

function: a rule that gives a single output number for each input number
future value: the principal and interest due when an investment matures; also referred to as amount
Amount $=$ Principal + Interest, or $A=P+I$
horizontal intercept: the horizontal coordinate of a point where the graph of a relation intersects the horizontal axis
hypotenuse: the side opposite the right angle in a right triangle

income: the money you earn
income tax: money paid as tax to the federal and provincial governments based on the amount of income earned
index: a comparative set of data used to track trends or establish guidelines for
a given situation; each value may be given as a percent of the base value (as in a stock index); or calculated using a formula (as in the body mass index)
inflation: the continuing rise in the general price of all goods and services; it is usually attributed to an increase in the volume of money and credit relative to available goods and services
interest: the fee paid by a borrower for the use of a lender's money
interest rate: the amount earned or paid for the use of money; usually given as a percent of the amount invested or borrowed per year
interpolate: to estimate a value between two known values

inverse operation: an operation that reverses another operation
inverse ratios: $\sin ^{-1}, \cos ^{-1}$, and $\tan ^{-1}$ which are used to determine the measure of an angle when its trigonometric ratio is known
judgement sampling: sampling in which the person doing the sampling uses her or his judgement to create a representative sample
landlord: the owner of a property. He/she receives compensation from the tenant for use of his/her property.
lease: to rent an item from the owner; the lease payments cover the depreciation of the item over the course of the lease plus interest on the outstanding balance of the full purchase price
line of best fit: a line that passes as close as possible to a set of plotted points

linear correlation: a trend where points may lie in the general direction of a line
linear regression: the process of identifying a line of best fit for a set of data
margin of error: the proportion that we add to and subtract from a result to create a range of possible values between which the result could lie mass: a measure of the amount of material in an object: common units are grams or kilograms
matrix: a graphic organizer used to list and compare characteristics of different items
mean: one measure of the average of a set of numbers; to find the mean, divide the sum of the data by the number of data
measure of central tendency: the mean, median, or mode of a data set
median: the middle number of a set of data arranged in numerical order; if there are two middle numbers, the median is their average mode: the most frequently occurring value in a set of data
mortgage: a long-term loan on real estate that gives the person or firm providing the money a claim on the property if the loan is not repaid numeric data: data that always involve numbers oblique angle: an angle that is not a multiple of $90^{\circ}$
oblique triangle: a triangle that does not contain a $90^{\circ}$ angle

obtuse angle: an angle between $90^{\circ}$ and $180^{\circ}$ obtuse triangle: a triangle with one obtuse angle

one-variable data: a set of data that describes one attribute per item in a sample
optimization: the process of finding the most efficient use of available materials within given constraints
ordered pair: a pair of numbers, written as $(x, y)$, that represents a point on the coordinate plane; see coordinates
ordinary simple annuity: an annuity in which payments are made and interest is compounded with the same frequency; see annuity
outlier: an observed value that differs markedly from the pattern established by most data in a set parabola: the graph of a quadratic relation; see quadratic regression
parallel: describing lines lying on the same plane that do not intersect
parallelogram: a quadrilateral with opposite sides parallel

percentile: tells approximately what percent of the data are less than a particular data value perimeter: the distance around a closed figure perpendicular: intersecting at right angles $\left(90^{\circ}\right)$

pi ( $\pi$ ): the ratio of the circumference of a circle to its diameter; $\pi \doteq 3.1416$
poll: a survey or an investigation of a topic to find out people's views
polygon: a closed figure that consists of line segments that only intersect at their endpoints population: the set of all things or people being considered
power: an expression of the form $b^{n}$, where $b$ is the base and $n$ is the exponent; for positive integer exponents, powers are a shortcut for repeated multiplication - for example, $(-4)^{3}=(-4) \times(-4) \times(-4)$; see base, exponent
present value: the principal that must be invested today to obtain a given amount in the future; compare to future value
present value of an annuity: the principal that must be invested today to provide the regular payments of an annuity
primary trigonometric ratios: sine, cosine, and tangent
prime number: a whole number with exactly two factors, itself and 1 ; for example, $2,3,5,7$, $11,29,31,43 \ldots$
principal: the sum of money invested or borrowed
prism: a solid with two congruent and parallel faces (bases); all other faces are parallelograms

property tax: an amount that property owners pay to their municipal government
pyramid: a solid with one face that is a polygon (the base) and the other faces that are triangles with a common vertex


Pythagorean Theorem: for any right triangle, the area of the square on the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the areas of the squares on the other two sides; $a^{2}+b^{2}=c^{2}$

quadrants: one of the four regions into which the coordinate axes divide the plane

quadratic regression: a process of identifying the parabola of best fit for a given set of data
quadrilateral: a polygon with four sides quartile: any of three numbers that separate a sorted data set into four equal parts
radical form: a number written using the root symbol: $\sqrt{ }$ or $\sqrt[n]{ }$, where $n=2,3, \ldots$
rate: a certain quantity or amount of one thing considered in relation to a unit of another thing
rate of change: the rate at which something is changing; it is often indicated by the slope of a graph
ratio: a comparison of two or more quantities with the same unit
rectangle: a quadrilateral with four right angles

rectangular prism: a prism with rectangular faces; see prism
regression: the process of identifying a curve or a line of best fit for a set of data
representative sample: a sample which in certain respects is typical of the population from which it is chosen
rhombus: a parallelogram with four equal sides
right angle: a $90^{\circ}$ angle
right triangle: a triangle with one right angle

root of a number: the $n$th root of a number is a number which, when $n$ copies of the number are multiplied, results in a given number; for example, 3 is a cube root of 27
sampling technique: the process used to select the individuals from a population who will be studied; see cluster sampling, convenience sampling, judgement sampling, simple random sampling, stratified sampling, systematic sampling, voluntary sampling
savings: money set aside for future use; in a budget, it is shown as an expense
scatter plot: a graph of data that are a series of points

| Height (cm) | 154 | 162 | 172 | 178 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mass (kg) | 56.3 | 60.1 | 72.2 | 64.3 |


sightline: the line from an observer's eye to a specific object
simple interest: interest earned only on the principal, calculated using the formula $I=P r t$, where $I$ is the simple interest, $P$ is the principal, $r$ is the annual interest rate as a decimal, $t$ is the time in years; compare to compound interest
simple random sampling: sampling in which individuals are chosen randomly from the entire population
sine: for an acute $\angle \mathrm{A}$ in a right triangle, the ratio of the length of the side opposite $\angle \mathrm{A}$, to the length of the hypotenuse; written $\sin \mathrm{A}$
$\sin \mathrm{A}=\frac{\text { length of side opposite } \angle \mathrm{A}}{\text { length of hypotenuse }}$
Sine Law: In any $\triangle A B C$,
$\frac{a}{\sin \mathrm{~A}}=\frac{b}{\sin \mathrm{~B}}=\frac{c}{\sin \mathrm{C}}$ and $\frac{\sin \mathrm{A}}{a}=\frac{\sin \mathrm{B}}{b}=\frac{\sin \mathrm{C}}{c}$
slope: a measure of the steepness of a line;
calculated as slope $=\frac{\text { rise }}{\text { run }}$
solve a triangle: to determine the measures of all unknown sides and angles in a triangle
sphere: the set of points in space that are a given distance (the radius) from a fixed point (the centre)

square: a rectangle with four equal sides

square of a number: the product of a number multiplied by itself; a number to the power of 2 square root: a number which, when multiplied by itself, results in a given number; for example, 5 and -5 are the square roots of 25
stratified sampling: sampling in which data are grouped and a few individuals from each group are selected randomly
supplementary angles: 2 angles whose sum is $180^{\circ}$ surface area: the measure of the area of all the faces of an object
systematic sampling: sampling in which every $n$th individual is selected
tangent: for an acute $\angle \mathrm{A}$ in a right triangle, the ratio of the length of the side opposite $\angle \mathrm{A}$, to the length of the side adjacent to $\angle A$; written $\tan A$
$\tan \mathrm{A}=\frac{\text { length of side opposite } \angle \mathrm{A}}{\text { length of side adjacent to } \angle \mathrm{A}}$
tenant: the user of a property owned by another person; he/she pays the landlord for use of the property
torus: an object shaped like a doughnut

trends: patterns of change; trends are often used to justify decisions and make predictions triangle: a polygon with three sides
triangular prism: a prism with triangular bases, see prism

trigonometric ratios: see cosine, sine, and tangent
two-variable data: a set of data that gives measures of two attributes for each item in a sample
utilities: services such as heat, water, and electricity
valid conclusion: a conclusion that is supported by unbiased data that has been interpreted appropriately
variable: a letter or symbol used to represent a quantity that can vary
variable cost: operating costs that change depending on variables; compare to fixed cost

Venn diagram: a graphical organizer with loops that group items to show similarities and differences

vertical intercept: the vertical coordinate of a point where the graph of a relation intersects the vertical axis
volume: the amount of space occupied by an object; measured in cubic units
voluntary sampling: sampling in which participants volunteer to be included in the sample
$\boldsymbol{x}$-axis: the horizontal number line on a coordinate grid
$\boldsymbol{x}$-intercept: the $x$-coordinate of a point where a graph intersects the $x$-axis; see horizontal intercept
$y$-axis: the vertical number line on a coordinate grid
$y$-intercept: the $y$-coordinate of a point where a graph intersects the $y$-axis; see vertical intercept

