

8. Mark schemes for Paper 2: reasoning

Qu.	Requirement	Mark	Additional guidance
1	Correct response circled, as shown: $9,206,499$ $9,215,300$ $9,206,504$ $9,215,298$ $9,206,909$	1m	Accept alternative unambiguous positive indication of the correct answer.
2	5	1m	
3	30,000	1m	
4a	Emma	1m	Accept unambiguous abbreviations, e.g. E, or recognisable misspellings. Accept 1,400 for the award of the mark.
4b	Olivia	1m	Accept unambiguous abbreviations, e.g. O, or recognisable misspellings. Accept 1,220 for the award of the mark.
5	2,300	1m	
6	2.25	1m	Refer to section 6.3 on page 16 for additional guidance on marking answers involving measures.
7	$\frac{6}{10}$	1m	Accept equivalent fractions and decimals, e.g. $\frac{3}{5}$ and 0.6 Do not accept 60%
8	Correct answer circled, as shown: $\frac{5}{8}$ $\frac{14}{8}$ $\frac{19}{8}$ $\frac{23}{8}$ $\frac{26}{8}$	1m	Accept alternative unambiguous positive indication of the correct answer.
9	52	1m	

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10	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of (£)2.85</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate method, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $190 \div 2 = 85$ (<i>error</i>) $190 + 85$ <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1.90×1.5 	Up to 2m	<p>Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark.</p> <p>Accept for ONE mark an answer of (£)285 OR £285p as evidence of an appropriate method.</p> <p>Refer to section 6.1 on pages 14 and 15 for additional guidance on marking answers involving money.</p>
11	<p>Award ONE mark for both numbers correct, as shown:</p> $\frac{3}{10} = \frac{\boxed{6}}{20}$ $\frac{12}{15} = \frac{4}{\boxed{5}}$	1m	
12	<p>Masses in correct order, as shown:</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px; margin: 2px;">2kg</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px; margin: 2px;">1500g</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px; margin: 2px;">1.4kg</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px 10px; margin: 2px;">300g</div> </div> <p>heaviest</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Accept correct conversions, e.g.</p> <p>2000g 1500g 1400g 300g</p> <p>OR</p> <p>2000 1500 1.4 300</p>	1m	<p>Misreads and transcription errors are not allowed.</p> <p>Accept with correct units or without units.</p> <p>Accept masses written in reverse order AND the label heaviest changed to follow suit.</p>

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13	<p>Award ONE mark for each part of Dev's journey matched with the correct sentence, as shown:</p>	1m	<p>Lines need not touch the boxes, provided the intention is clear.</p> <p>Do not accept any part of the journey which has been matched to more than one sentence.</p>										
14	50	1m											
15	<p>Award TWO marks for all four signs correct, as shown:</p> $1 \times 2 \times 3 \quad \boxed{=} \quad 1 + 2 + 3$ $2 \times 2 \times 2 \quad \boxed{>} \quad 2 + 2 + 2$ $1 \times 10 \times 10 \quad \boxed{>} \quad 1 + 10 + 10$ $0 \times 10 \times 10 \quad \boxed{<} \quad 0 + 10 + 10$ <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for three signs placed correctly.</p>	Up to 2m	Accept unambiguous drawings of the correct signs.										
16	<p>Award ONE mark for two boxes ticked correctly, as shown:</p> <table style="margin-left: 40px;"> <tr> <td>28.07</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>28.65</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>28.71</td> <td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>28.75</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> <tr> <td>28.97</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/></td> </tr> </table>	28.07	<input type="checkbox"/>	28.65	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	28.71	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	28.75	<input type="checkbox"/>	28.97	<input type="checkbox"/>	1m	Accept alternative unambiguous positive indication of the correct answer, e.g. Y.
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17	9 OR 12 OR 18 OR 36	1m	Award ONE mark for more than one correct answer given and no incorrect answers.
18	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 821</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate method, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $800 \times 2 = 1600$ $511 + 268 = 779$ $1600 - 779$ <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $800 - 511 = 289$ $800 - 268 = 542$ (<i>error</i>) $542 + 289$ <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $800 - 511 - 268 = 23$ (<i>error</i>) $800 + 23$ 	Up to 2m	Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark.
19	15	1m	Refer to section 6.3 on page 16 for additional guidance on marking answers involving measures.
20	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 12</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate complete method with no more than one arithmetic error, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $16 \times 15 = 210$ (<i>error</i>) $10 \times 18 = 180$ $210 + 180 = 390$ $432 - 390 = 42$ <p>OR</p> <p>Award ONE mark for sight of 420 (as evidence of the sum of the two correct products).</p>	Up to 2m	Misreads are not allowed.

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21a	16	1m	
21b	30	1m	<p>If the answer to part b is incorrect, award ONE mark for an answer of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $(200 - 5n) \div 4$ <p>Where n represents the answer to part a of the question, the value of n must be between 12 and 18 (inclusive).</p> <p>Any follow-through fraction or decimal answer must be expressed as an exact value.</p>
22	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 4,200</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate method, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $750 \div 250 = 3$ $1,150 + 250 = 1,400$ $1,400 \times 3$ <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $750 \div 250 = 3$ $1,150 \times 3 = 3,350$ (<i>error</i>) $3,350 + 750$ <p>Award ONE mark for sight of 3450, 3.45 OR 3.450 (as evidence of correctly calculating how much yellow paint is required).</p>	Up to 2m	<p>Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark.</p>

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23	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of 30</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate method, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $1.25\text{kg} - 1.1\text{kg} = 0.05\text{kg}$ (<i>error</i>) $1100\text{g} - 920\text{g} = 180\text{g}$ $180 - 50 = 130\text{g}$ <p>OR</p> <p>Award ONE mark for the correct weight of the banana and the orange, e.g.</p> <p>0.15(kg) AND 180(g)</p>	Up to 2m	<p>Accept for TWO marks 0.03kg for final answer in working and the answer box blank OR 0.03 in the answer box where the grams has been replaced with kilograms.</p> <p>Accept for ONE mark 0.03 (g) in the answer box OR as the final answer in working and answer box blank.</p> <p>Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark.</p> <p>Any conversion of units must be correct.</p> <p>Do not award the mark for a method that contains an incorrect conversion, e.g.</p> <p>$1.25 - 1.1 = 0.16$ (<i>error</i>)</p> <p>$1100 - 920 = 180$</p> <p>$180 - 16$ (<i>conversion error</i>)</p>
24	<p>Award TWO marks for the correct answer of $x = 75$ AND $y = 15$</p> <p>If the answer is incorrect, award ONE mark for evidence of an appropriate method calculating both angles, e.g.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> $180 - 30 = 150$ $150 \div 2 = 70$ (<i>error</i>) $90 - 70$ <p>OR</p> <p>Award ONE mark for either correct x OR y.</p>	Up to 2m	<p>Answer need not be obtained for the award of ONE mark.</p> <p>If there is no evidence of an appropriate method and the values for x AND y are incorrect, accept for ONE mark $x + y = 90$, unless x is between 65–69 (inclusive) AND y is between 21–25 (inclusive).</p>

Qu.	Requirement	Mark	Additional guidance
25	<p>Award TWO marks for both triangles correctly drawn, as shown:</p> <p>Award ONE mark for either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • correct triangle A <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • correct triangle B <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a correct reflection of an incorrectly translated triangle (maintaining congruency of the original triangle). 	<p>Up to 2m</p>	<p>Accept slight inaccuracies in drawing provided the intention is clear. (See page 13 for guidance.)</p> <p>Ignore any triangles drawn in the 2nd quadrant, unless it is a correct follow-through of triangle A.</p>