

SCIENCE SKILLS ACADEMY

OUTDOOR MATHS KIT OVERVIEW

Title	Activity	Preparation	What you need from your Outdoor Maths Kit
Find your Factor	Fast-paced game for practicing multiplication and division facts.	None	• Chalk
Ladders	Traditional ladders game reinvented for maths revision.	None	• Chalk
How far can we fly?	Investigate angles using paper planes and scale models.	Get A4 and A3 paper, or A5 and A4.	ProtractorsWhiteboardsTape measuresChalk
Get your bearings	Plot a course using bearings. Measure and follow angles accurately. Draw and use a map to scale.	Review bearings in class.	ProtractorsWhiteboardsTape measuresChalk
Car Park Conundrums	Measure car park spaces and carry out calculations for total area and a proposed extension. Scale drawings.	Access to the car park. Risk assessment for car park access.	Tape measuresWhiteboards
Explore The Perimeter	Challenge pupils to draw shapes with a specified perimeter. Accurate calculation and measuring required.	Identify an area of hard standing pupils are allowed to draw on with chalk.	Tape measures Chalk
Highest Heights	Estimating the height of trees and other objects that are too tall to measure.	Identify tall objects the pupils can access - trees, playground equipment, window or door heights outside.	Tape measures Whiteboards
Tree-mendously Old	Measuring the girth of trees and calculating the age of trees.	Trees that pupils can measure. Preferably a range of widths.	Tape measures Whiteboards

MATHS BOX OVERVIEW

Title	Activity	Preparation	What you need from your Maths Week box
Is Faster Better?	Survey cars in the car park. Research speed 0-60 and mpg then graph and compare this data.	Access to the car park. Risk assessment for car park access. Pupils will need to carry out research on their chromebooks.	Tape measures
Graphs, Glorious Graphs	A variety of ideas for data that pupils can collect outside and then produce a graph.	None	Whiteboards
Make A Bolt For It	Pupils gather data about their stride and height then use stopwatches to test their pace. Use a scatter graph and evaluate whether there is a correlation.	None	Tape measuresWhiteboardsStopwatches
Hopscotch Muddle	Playing Hopscotch to gather data and use the stopwatch to record the time taken.	Identify an area of hard standing pupils are allowed to draw on with chalk.	 Tape measures Whiteboards Chalk
Scavenger Hunt	Collect objects found outside then prepare pie charts and bar charts with the data.	None	• Whiteboards
Pace & Distance	Apply percentages to increase and decrease the race area, then record pupil's pace over each distance.	None	 Tape measures Whiteboards Stopwatches
Maths Trail	A toolkit and example 'bases' to help you create a maths trail at your school.	Choose your questions, print and laminate then put up outside.	
Nature Shop	Working within a budget; calculating prices and profit.	None	Whiteboards Chalk
Topping the Charts	Using a place value chart to form and modify numbers.	None	Whiteboards



