

National 4 Lifeskills Maths Course Outline

The course is made up from three units: Managing Finance and Statistics, Geometry and Measures, and Numeracy. Assessments must show evidence that the candidate has achieved each outcome. Candidates must also pass a value-added unit which is assessed through an internally-marked course assessment test.

The outline below is for the units being covered sequentially to ensure S3 Nat4 LS and Nat 4 maths classes cover the common Numeracy unit at the same time.

| Term | Unit | Outcomes |
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| Feb – May | Numeracy | Whole Numbers and Integers Decimals, Fractions and Percentages Time, Distance and Speed Ratio and Proportion Length and Measurement Graphs, Charts and Tables Probability ASSESSMENT: Numeracy* |
| June – Sept | Managing Finance and Statistics | Income Foreign Exchange Borrowing and Saving Budgeting Best Buys Risk Statistics and Statistical Diagrams ASSESSMENT: Managing Finance and Statistics* |
| Oct – Dec | Geometry and Measures | Gradient Perimeter Area and Volume Pythagoras Scale drawing and Navigation Packing Evaluating formulae ASSESSMENT: Geometry and Measure* |
| Jan - May | National 5 Numeracy | |

* Teachers can decide by which method they are administering unit assessments e.g assessment standard by assessment standard, all assessment standards together, paper-based or using SQASolar.