

# Cambridge PreAICE Math

## 10<sup>th</sup> Grade

- PS 1 Demonstrate familiarity with Cartesian co-ordinates in two dimensions and interpret and use graphs in practical situations including travel graphs and conversion graphs.
- PS 2 Apply the idea of rate of change by using distance-time and speed-time graphs, acceleration and deceleration, and calculate distance traveled as area under a speed-time graph.
- PS 3 Use function notation to describe simple functions, evaluate a function for a given domain, and find the inverse of functions.
- PS 4 Form composite functions as defined by  $gf(x) = g(f(x))$ .
- PS 5 Construct tables of values for functions and draw and interpret the graphs of linear, quadratic, cubic, and reciprocal functions.
- PS 6 Find the gradient of a straight line graph and estimate gradients of curves by drawing tangents; solve associated equations by graphical methods.
- PS 7 Use the laws of indices to simplify expressions involving indices, including the zero index.
- PS 8 Evaluate fractional indices and solve exponential equations that can be rewritten with equivalent bases.
- PS 9 Apply the Pythagorean theorem and the sine, cosine, and tangent ratios to solve for missing elements of a triangle and for three-figure bearings measured clockwise from the north.
- PS 10 Solve trigonometrical problems in two and three dimensions including angles of elevation and depression; use sine and cosine rules; and finding the area of a triangle by using trigonometric principles.
- PS 11 Recognize and describe reflections, rotations, translations, enlargements, shears, stretches, and their combinations.
- PS 12 Identify and give precise descriptions of transformations connecting given figures; describe transformations using coordinates and matrices.
- PS 13 Understand and use mean, median, mode and correlation; estimate the median, percentiles, quartiles and inter-quartile range; calculate an estimate of the mean for grouped and continuous data; identify the modal class from a grouped frequency distribution.
- PS 14 Construct and read histograms with equal and unequal intervals; construct and use cumulative frequency diagrams.
- PS 15 Calculate the probability of a single event and simple combined events, using possibility diagrams and tree diagrams where appropriate.
- PS 16 Apply procedures for counting techniques such as the fundamental counting principle, permutations, and combinations and use those to calculate probabilities.
- PS 17 Convert between exponential and logarithmic form and expand or condense expressions using log rules.
- PS 18 Solve problems that can be represented by exponential or logarithmic equations.
- PS 19 Generate a unit circle and use it to evaluate trigonometric ratios and convert between radians and degrees.
- PS 20 Know and apply trigonometric identities and use them to solve problems containing trigonometric functions.
- PS 21 Distinguish between arithmetic and geometric sequences and write an expression for the general term of arithmetic and geometric sequences.
- PS 22 Find the partial sums of arithmetic and geometric series and infinite geometric series where appropriate.