Teacher(s)	TCO, TSA, DCH, JGO, DSP, MCH	Subject group and discipline	Maths		
Unit title	4 Triangles and Measurement	MYP year	3	Unit duration (hrs)	

## Inquiry: Establishing the purpose of the unit

Key concept	Related concept(s)	Global context
forrm	Measurement, space, systems	Orientation in space and time:working from direct to indirect measurement

## Statement of inquiry

Indirect measurement is made possible through the systems associated with forms in space.

## **Inquiry questions**

Factual – How do you enlarge a shape? How can we find missing angles and sides in right-angled triangles? How can we estimate the height of a tree?

Conceptual— What does a negative scale factor for an enlargement mean? How do similar shapes allow indirect measurement? How does Pythagoras' Theorem allow indirect measurement? How does trigonometry allow indirect measurement?

Debatable— To what extent is maths driven by real-life need? Why was trigonometry invented?

Objectives	Summative assessment		
Assessment 1:	Assessment 1:	Assessment !:	
Criteria D  i. identify relevant elements of authentic real-life situations	Outline of summative assessment task(s) including assessment criteria:	Relationship between summative assessment task(s) and statement of inquiry:	
ii. select appropriate mathematical strategies when solving authentic real-life situations iii. apply the selected mathematical strategies successfully to reach a solution	Students are asked to solve problems involving the use of right angled triangles to measure indirectly angles and distances in real life situations.	By applying knowledge gained in this unit, students make inferences about real-life measurements without measuring directly.	

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Approaches to learning (ATL)					
	S Criteria A				
	P Make conclusion about which TV is bigger				
	S In shop, looking at specs on box				
	A Family members				
	R Purchaser of a new television				
iii. solve problems correctly in a variety of contexts.	G State the diagonal length of a TV screen				
<ul><li>i. select appropriate mathematics when solving problems in both familiar and unfamiliar situations</li><li>ii. apply the selected mathematics successfully when solving problems</li></ul>	Factual assessment on Pythagoras' Theorem and its applications. Different questions will have different scenarios E.g.	Students recognise and apply their ability to calculate missing side lengths without measurement.			
Criteria A	Outline of summative assessment task(s) including assessment criteria:	Relationship between summative assessment task(s) and statement of inquiry:			
Assessment 2: (if used in the unit)	Assessment 2: (if used in the unit)	Assessment 2:			
	information S Criteria D				
	P Find the lengths and angles required from the given				
	S Asked to find lengths and angles for construction purposes, but wanting to do so without direct measurement				
	A Builders, readers of report				
of the authentic real-life situation.	R Surveyor				
iv. explain the degree of accuracy of a solution v. explain whether a solution makes sense in the context	G Calculate various impossible-to-measure-directly distances and angles				

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