

Subject	Maths
Unit/Topic	Year 8 – Multiplicative Change

Key Vocabulary	Definition
Proportion	Two ratios or fractions that are equal. For example: $\frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{6}$
Linear	A straight-line relationship between two things.
Variable	A symbol for a value we don't know yet. This is usually written as a letter.
Convert	To change an expression into one form from another.
Approximation	A result that is not exact, but close enough to be used.
Exchange Rate	The value of one currency in terms of the value of another currency.
Currency	Money, such as coins or banknotes.
Estimate	To find a value that is close enough to the right answer, usually with some thought or calculation involved.
Orientation	Someone or something relative to the points of a compass or other specified position
Similar	When one shape can become another after a resize, flip, slide or turn.
Corresponding	A close similarity or connection between two variables.
Enlargement	To change size of something by a given scale factor.
Scale Factor	A quantity by which you enlarge something.