STD 7 MATHS Model Paper 2 Answer Key

Activity 1: Ratio and Proportion

(a) Simplify the following ratios:

(i)
$$18:24 = \frac{18}{24} = 3:4$$

(ii) $45:75 = \frac{45}{75} = 3:5$

(b)

- Ratio of apples to oranges = 3:5.
- If apples = 15, oranges = $\frac{15 \times 5}{3} = 25$.

Activity 2: Algebra

(a) (i) $\frac{x}{7} + 9$ (ii) 3x - 8

- (b) Solve for x:
- (i) 2x + 5 = 15:

$$2x = 15 - 5 \implies 2x = 10 \implies x = 5$$

(ii) 3x - 4 = 11:

$$3x = 11 + 4 \implies 3x = 15 \implies x = 5$$

Activity 3: Geometry

(a) (i) Area = $12 \times 5 = 60 \text{ cm}^2$ (ii) Area = $8 \times 4 = 32 \text{ cm}^2$ (b) • Area of triangle = $\frac{1}{2} \times \text{Base} \times \text{Height:}$

$$\frac{1}{2}\times 10\times 6=30\,\mathrm{cm}^2$$

Activity 4: Powers and Exponents

(a)
(i)
$$5 \times 5 \times 5 \times 5 = 5^4$$

(ii) $7 \times 7 = 7^2$
(b)
(i) $4^3 \div 4^2 = 4^{3-2} = 4^1 = 4$
(ii) $2^5 \times 2^3 = 2^{5+3} = 2^8 = 256$

Activity 5: Factors

(a) Prime factorization:

(i) $84 = 2^2 \times 3 \times 7$ (ii) $90 = 2 \times 3^2 \times 5$ (b) Least Common Multiple (LCM): (i) LCM of 18 and 24 = 72 (ii) LCM of 12 and 15 = 60

Activity 6: Practical Applications of Ratio

(a)

- Ratio of boys to girls = 4:3.
- If boys = 120, girls = $\frac{120 \times 3}{4} = 90$.

(b)

- Ratio of apples to bananas = 5:2.
- If apples = 25, bananas = $\frac{25 \times 2}{5} = 10$.

Activity 7: Problem Solving

(a)

- Perimeter = 48 m, Ratio of length to breadth = 5:3.
- Let the dimensions be 5x and 3x:

$$2(5x+3x)=48\implies 16x=48\implies x=3$$

Length = $5 \times 3 = 15 \,\mathrm{m}$, Breadth = $3 \times 3 = 9 \,\mathrm{m}$.

• Area = $15 \times 9 = 135 \,\mathrm{m}^2$.

(b)

- Total length = 30 m, Ratio = 2:3:5.
- Let the parts be 2x, 3x, and 5x:

$$2x+3x+5x=30\implies 10x=30\implies x=3$$

Lengths are $2 \times 3 = 6$ m, $3 \times 3 = 9$ m, $5 \times 3 = 15$ m.