

# SSS1 FURTHER MATH HOLIDAY ASSIGNMENT

1 Solve the equation  $\log_5(8x+7) - \log_5 2x = 2$ . [3]

2 (a) Given the simultaneous equations

$$\lg x + 2 \lg y = 1,$$

$$x - 3y^2 = 13,$$

(i) show that  $x^2 - 13x - 30 = 0$ . [4]

(ii) Solve these simultaneous equations, giving your answers in exact form. [2]

(b) Solve the equation  $\log_a x + 3 \log_x a = 4$ , where  $a$  is a positive constant, giving  $x$  in terms of  $a$ . [5]

3 (a) Solve the equation  $5^{w-1} = 12$ , giving your answer correct to 2 decimal places. [2]

(b) Solve the equation  $x^{\frac{2}{3}} - 5x^{\frac{1}{3}} + 6 = 0$ . [3]

4 (a) Write  $2 \lg x - (\lg(x+6) + \lg 3)$  as a single logarithm to base 10. [2]

(b) Hence solve the equation  $2 \lg x - (\lg(x+6) + \lg 3) = 0$ . [4]

5 (a) Given that  $\log_a p + \log_a 5 - \log_a 4 = \log_a 20$ , find the value of  $p$ . [2]

(b) Solve the equation  $3^{2x+1} + 8(3^x) - 3 = 0$ . [3]

(c) Solve the equation  $4 \log_y 2 + \log_2 y = 4$ . [3]