## Teacher Notes

## Stage 11, Unit 1: Investigating properties of shapes

## Check in

The following boarding card is intended to check that your students have a secure grasp of the knowledge required for this unit, with the intention of it being used diagnostically rather than as a summative test:

- Apply Pythagoras' theorem in two dimensions
- Know the trigonometric ratios, $\sin \theta=o p p / h y p, \cos \theta=a d j / h y p, \tan \theta=o p p / a d j$
- Choose an appropriate trigonometric ratio that can be used in a given two-dimensional situation
- Set up and solve a trigonometric equation to find a missing side or angle in a right-angled triangle


## ANSWERS:

$18.1 m$ (to 1dp)
25.2 m (to 1 dp )
$3 \quad 90.1 \mathrm{~km}$ (to 1dp)
$4 \sin \theta=0 p p / h Y p, \cos \theta=\operatorname{adj} / h Y p, \tan \theta=$ opp/adj
55 cm
610 cm
720 cm
853.1 (to 1dp)
953.1 (to 1dp)
105.2 m (to 1 dp )

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Things to remember:
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3. A ship leaves Port, P, and sails due North for 50 km . It then sails due East for a further 75 km . How far is the ship from $P$ ?
4. Complete the trigonometric ratios: $\sin \theta=\quad \cos \theta=\quad \tan \theta=$
5. In triangle $P Q R$,
$Q R=10 \mathrm{~cm}$ and angle $P R Q=30^{\circ}$. Find PQ

6. In triangle STU,

ST $=10 \mathrm{~cm}$ and angle STU $=45^{\circ}$. ST = 10cm Find SU
7. Find $Y Z$

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9. Find angle $A B C$


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