## Savings and Interest

The Royal Bank of Scone has an interest rate of 4% p.a. (per annum).



How much interest would you receive on the following amounts of money at the end of 1 year?

- (a) £600
- (b) £1400
- (c) £480
- (d) £80.50

Pegasys Building Society has three different savings schemes.
Each scheme has its own interest rate and a particular rule for withdrawing your money.

Super Saver Scheme : Interest 5% p.a. - monthly withdrawals allowed.

Bumper Savings Scheme: Interest 6% p.a. - 3 months notice of withdrawal.

Flexible Savings : Interest 3% p.a. - no notice of withdrawal

- (a) How much interest would you receive in a year on :-
  - (i) Savings of £750 in the "Bumper Scheme" ?
  - (ii) Savings of £2340 in the "FlexibleScheme" ?
  - (iii) Savings of £320 in the "Super Saver Scheme" ?
  - (iv) Savings of £8160 in the "Flexible Scheme"?
- (b) John wants to split his savings of £1200. He decides to put half in the "Super Saver Scheme" and half in "Flexible Savings. Calculate the total interest he will receive in a year from his two accounts.
- Calculate the interest on :
  - (a) £960 at 7% p.a. for 6 months.
- (b) £1356 at 5% p.a. for 4 months.
- (c) £440 at 3% p.a. for 2 months.
- (d) £972 at 9% p.a. for 9 months.
- (e) £3450 at 2% p.a. for 1 month.
- (f) £576 at  $2\frac{1}{2}\%$  p.a. for 7 months.
- 4. Mr White invests £3200 at 6% p.a. Five months later he decides to draw out his interest to help pay for a new camera. How much does he draw out?



5. Miss Gray invests £1500 at 8% p.a. Eight months later she decides to lift out her interest to help pay for a night out. How much will she draw out?



## Savings & Interest (answers)

1. a) £24 b) £56 c) £19.20 d) £3.22

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a) £33.60
b) £22.60
c) £2.20
d) £65.61
e) £5.75
f) £8.40

4. £80

5. £80