# AH Mathematics HW

### Essential knowledge:

- 1. Use the Euclidean algorithm to find the greatest common divisor of:
  - (a) 679 and 388 (b) 174 and 319 (c) 3066 and 713
- 2. Which pair of values in question 1 are co-prime?
- **3.** Use the Euclidean algorithm to find integers x and y such that 149x + 139y = 1
- **4.** Convert 238<sub>9</sub> to base 10.
- 5. Convert 59 to base 3.

### Unit level:

6. Use the Euclidean algorithm to obtain the greatest common divisor of 1448 and 328

#### Assessment level:

- **7.** Use the Euclidean algorithm to show that (231, 17) = 1.
- **8.** Use the Euclidean algorithm to obtain the greatest common divisor of 1204 and 833, expressing it in the form 1204a + 833b, where *a* and *b* are integers.
- **9.** Change  $712_8$  to base 5.

## **<u>Challenge Questions</u>** (optional)

The numbers 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 are to be placed in the diagram, so that the sum of the numbers in each pair of touching circles is a prime number. The number 5 is placed in the top circle. What number is placed in the shaded circle?



- **A** 6 **B** 7 **C** 8 **D** 9 **E** 10
- **2.** The number 3 can be expressed as the sum of one or more positive integers in four different ways:

3; 1+2; 2+1; 1+1+1 In how many ways can the number 5 be so expressed?

**A** 8 **B** 10 **C** 12 **D** 14 **E** 16