## **Spelling list: Maths words**

## Maths vocabulary I -z

length The **length** of the trip made us tired.

likely Probable means **likely** to be true.

mean Defeat would **mean** that the team was relegated.

median Descriptive statistics include mean, mode, **median** and range.

millimetre The car was a **millimetre** away from hitting the wall.

mode The computer was inactive whilst in standby **mode** .

metre He ran the 100 metres in 9.8 seconds.

Multiples are numbers in their own times table; for example, six, nine, twelve

are all multiples of three.

multiply Brackets in Maths means **multiply**.

negative There exist two types of electric charges, called positive and **negative**.

An **obtuse** angle is an angle more than 90 degrees but less than 180

degrees.

percentage

obtuse

multiple

perimeter Add all the sides of a shape to get the **perimeter**.

**Probability** relates to the chance of wrongly accepting a null or experimental probability

hypothesis.

radius The **radius** is a line from one side of a circle to the centre.

reflex A **reflex** angle is an angle of more than 180 degrees.

sequence A byte is a **sequence** of 8 bits. (Computer data terminology).

symmetry Line **symmetry** is when a line drawn through a shape leaves each side a

mirror image of the other.

vertical A **vertical** cliff is a precipice.

unlikely