# INDIAN SCHOOL SOHAR <br> HOLIDAY HOMEWORK <br> MATHEMATICS CLASS VIII 

## ACTIVITY I

1. The area of the floor of a rectangular hall of length 40 m is 960 sq m . Carpets of size 6 $\mathrm{m} \times 4 \mathrm{~m}$ are available. Find how many carpets are required to cover the hall?
2. The perimeter of a square is 48 m . The area of a rectangle is $4 \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{m}$ less than the area of the given square. If the length of the rectangle is 14 m , find its breadth.
3. Find the area of a field in the form of a rhombus, if the length of each side is 14 cm and the altitude is 16 cm .
4. The area of a rhombus is 240 sq . cm and one of the diagonal is 16 cm . Find the other diagonal.
5. The area of a trapezium is $1586 \mathrm{sq} . \mathrm{cm}$ and the distance between the parallel sides is 26 cm . If one of the parallel sides is 38 cm , find the other.
6. The area of a field in the form of rhombus is 126 sq. m and its perimeter is 56 m , find its altitude.

## ACTIVITY 2: COMPARING QUANTITIES

TOPIC: Difference between simple interest and compound interest.
Description: Calculate simple interest and compound interest on Rs 100000 at $10 \%$ per annum for 5 consecutive years and tabulate the data in the following manner.

| Year | Principal for S.I. | Principal for C.I. | Simple interest | Compound interest |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 1 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  |  |  |  |
| 3 |  |  |  |  |
| 4 |  |  |  |  |
| 5 |  |  |  |  |

Make a double bar graph representing S.I. and C.I. and observe the gain in each year and long term benefits of compound interest.

