

1. The table shows information about the weekly earnings of 20 people who work in a shop.

Weekly earnings (£x)	Frequency	Midpoint
$150 < x \leq 250$	1	200
$250 < x \leq 350$	11	300
$350 < x \leq 450$	5	400
$450 < x \leq 550$	0	500
$550 < x \leq 650$	3	600

(a) Work out an estimate for the mean of the weekly earnings.

$$1 \times 200 + 11 \times 300 + 5 \times 400 + 3 \times 600$$
$$= 200 + 3300 + 2000 + 1800$$
$$= 7300$$

$$\frac{7300}{20}$$

$$= 730 \div 2$$
$$= 365$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 200 \\ 3300 \\ 2000 \\ 1800 \\ \hline 7300 \\ 1 \end{array}$$

$$\pounds 365$$

(3)

Nadiya says,

“The mean may **not** be the best average to use to represent this information.”

(b) Do you agree with Nadiya?
You must justify your answer.

Yes, because outliers will affect the mean

(1)

(Total for Question is 4 marks)

2. The table shows information about the heights of 80 children.

Height (h cm)	Frequency
$130 < h \leq 140$	4
$140 < h \leq 150$	11
$150 < h \leq 160$	24
$160 < h \leq 170$	22
$170 < h \leq 180$	19

$$15 \quad 130 < h \leq 140$$

$$39 \quad 130 < h \leq 150$$

$$61 \quad 130 < h \leq 170$$

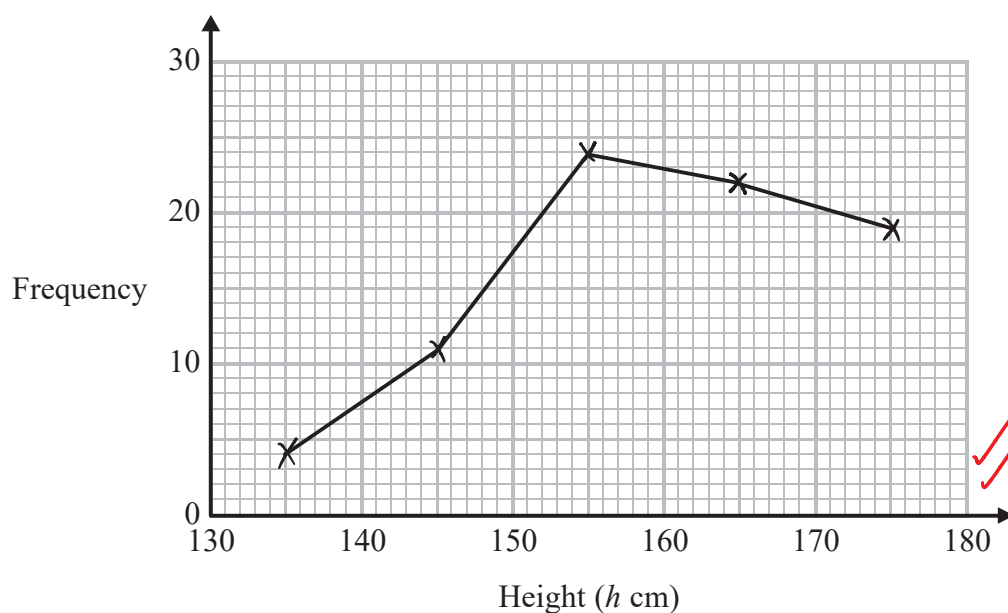
- (a) Find the class interval that contains the median.

median = middle value when arranged in ascending order

$$160 < h \leq 170$$

(1)

- (b) Draw a frequency polygon for the information in the table.



(2)

(Total for Question 2 is 3 marks)

3. The table gives information about the times taken, in seconds, by 18 students to run a race.

Time (t seconds)	Frequency
$5 < t \leq 10$	1
$10 < t \leq 15$	2
$15 < t \leq 20$	7
$20 < t \leq 25$	8

middle

7.5

12.5

17.5

22.5

Work out an estimate for the mean time.

Give your answer correct to 3 significant figures.

$$1 \times 7.5 + 2 \times 12.5 + 7 \times 17.5 + 8 \times 22.5 \\ = 335 \quad \checkmark$$

$$\frac{335}{18} = 18.6111 \dots \\ = 18.6 \text{ (3.s.f.)}$$

..... 18.6 \checkmark seconds

(Total for Question is 3 marks)