

Summer Practice

In order to be successful in Algebra 2, you must have solid familiarity with certain prerequisite skills. **You will be quizzed on the topics listed below during the first week of school. There will be no reassessment for this quiz.** Complete this practice over the summer. If you do not understand a section, use resources available to you (e.g., the internet, the public library, family, and friends) and complete the work. **Complete this work on lined paper: Copy each problem and show all work in a neat, organized manner. (You may complete #4, 5, 6 in this packet.)**

(1) Solve the equations. Show all algebraic steps.

(a) $x + 14 = -35$

(b) $16 - x = 18$

(c) $x - 3.1 = 5.8$

(d) $-94 = x - 7$

(e) $4x = 48$

(f) $-36 = 9x$

(g) $\frac{x}{-3} = 9$

(h) $10 = \frac{4}{x}$

(i) $2x - 5 = 9$

(j) $\frac{x}{2} + 6 = 15$

(k) $14.5 = 3x + 2.5$

(l) $5(x - 3) = -20$

(m) $104 = 8(3x + 4)$

(n) $7x - 5 = 3x - 1$

(o) $-5 + 4x + 3 = 3x - x - 8$

(p) $3x + 4(2x + 1) = 81$

(q) $-3x + 23 = 5 - 2(x - 4)$

(2) Solve the inequalities and graph each solution on a number line. (Number the number lines from -3 to 3.)

(a) $x - 5 \geq -3$

(b) $-3x > -6$

(c) $\frac{x}{-2} + 1 \leq 0$

(d) $3 + 2x < 1$

(e) $4 - 3x \geq -5$

(3) Rewrite the following equations in y = form. Example:

$y - 5 = 7x$

$y = 7x + 5$

(a) $y + 4x = 3$

(b) $6y = 12x + 6$

(c) $2y + 4 = 8x$

(d) $\frac{y}{5} - 3x = 10$

(e) $\frac{2}{3}y = 1 + 6x$

(f) $xy = 30$

(4) Graph and label the following points.

(a) A (0,4)

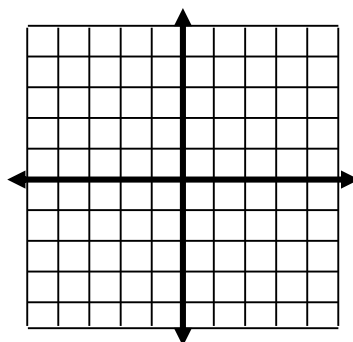
(b) B (-3,0)

(c) C (4,2)

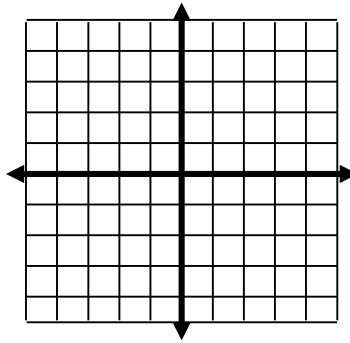
(d) D (-3,-4)

(e) E (-5,3)

(f) F (1,-4)



(5) On the following graph, draw 3 vertical lines in red and draw 2 horizontal lines in blue. Also, label the x -axis, the y -axis, and the origin.

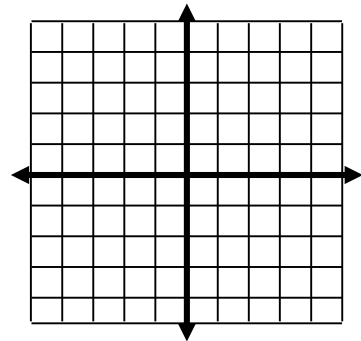
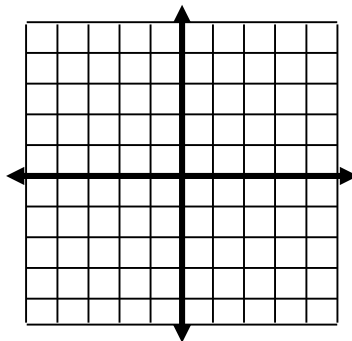
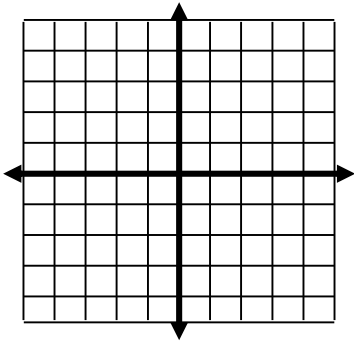


(6) Graph the following lines.

(a) $y = 2x - 4$

(b) $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 1$

(c) $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + 3$



(7) Find the value of each function given the particular x -value.

(a) $f(x) = 3x - 14$; $f(6)$

(b) $f(x) = \frac{2x+1}{x-4}$; $f(3)$

(c) $f(x) = -7x + 2$; $f(-1)$

(d) $f(x) = x^2 + x^3$; $f(2)$

(e) $f(x) = 4 - 5x$; $f(-3)$

(f) $f(x) = \sqrt{x+20}$; $f(16)$

(8) Without using a calculator, multiply.

(a) $3 \square 8$

(b) $7 \square 6$

(c) $5 \square 6$

(d) $9 \square 9$

(e) $10 \square 4$

(f) $8 \square 7$

(g) $9 \square 4$

(h) $7 \square 3$

(i) $5 \square 8$

(j) $9 \square 6$

(k) $4 \square 8$

(l) $5 \square 7$

(m) $8 \square 6$

(n) $9 \square 8$

(9) Without using a calculator, perform the following operations.

(a) $2 \square (-8)$

(b) $-2 \square (-8)$

(c) $-2 \square 8$

(d) $\frac{-8}{-2}$

(e) $\frac{-8}{2}$

(f) $\frac{8}{-2}$

(g) $2 + (-8)$

(h) $-2 + 8$

(i) $-2 + (-8)$

(j) $8 - (-2)$

(k) $-8 - 2$

(l) $-8 - (-2)$

(10) Distribute or F.O.I.L.

(a) $4x(x+3)$

(b) $-3x(2x-1)$

(c) $x^2(5x+4)$

(d) $(x+3)(x+4)$

(e) $(x-7)(x-2)$

(f) $(x-10)(x+3)$

(g) $(2x+1)(3x-5)$

(h) $(5x-4)(x-2)$

(11) Simplify the following, or state “already simplified.”

(a) $5x+8x$

(b) $6x-(-4x)$

(c) x^2+4x

(d) $8x-4y$

(e) $-3x+y+5x+1$

(f) $3y+(-2y)+y^2$

(12) Rearrange the following expressions into standard form.

(a) x^2-4+3x

(b) $5+4x^2-7x$

(c) $8x-5-2x^2$

(13) Set the following equations equal to zero. Example:

$x^2 = 5x - 3$

$x^2 - 5x + 3 = 0$

(a) $x^2 = -7x + 4$

(b) $6x + 20 = -x^2$

(c) $9 + 5x^2 = 3x$

(d) $2x^2 - 3x = 5x + 4$

(e) $x^2 + 7 = 6x^2 + 10$

(f) $-5x^2 - 7x + 4 = 4 + 4x$

(14) Recognize perfect squares. Are the following numbers perfect squares? Yes or no.

(a) 81

(b) 50

(c) 36

(d) 16

(e) 100

(f) 9

(g) 38

(h) 4

(i) 18

(j) 49

(k) 1

(l) 41

(m) 64

(n) 25

(15) Recognize perfect cubes. Are the following numbers perfect cubes? Yes or no.

(a) 7

(b) 1

(c) 8

(d) 27

(e) 40

(f) 25

(g) 64

(h) 125

(i) 100

(j) 24

(16) Using the zero product property, state the solutions. Example:

$(x-3)(2x+1) = 0$
 $x = \left\{ 3, -\frac{1}{2} \right\}$

(a) $(x-7)(x-4) = 0$

(b) $(x+1)(x-5) = 0$

(c) $(2x-5)(x+10) = 0$

(d) $x(x-5) = 0$

(e) $(3x-8)(4x+7)$

(17) Simplify without any negative exponents in the final answer.

(a) $x^2 \bullet x^7$

(b) $7x^4 \bullet (-2x^4)$

(c) $(3x^5)(2x^{-9})$

(d) $\frac{x^{10}}{x^4}$

(e) $\frac{10x^7}{5x^3}$

(f) $\frac{-8x^4}{4x^6}$

(g) $(x^2)^5$

(h) $(2x^2)^3$

(i) $(x^3)^{-2}$

(j) x^0

(k) 2^5

(l) 5^2

(m) 2^3

(n) 3^3

(o) $(-2)^2$

(18) Find the least common multiple between the following sets of numbers.

(a) 6 and 3

(b) 4 and 6

(c) 5 and 20

(d) 8 and 10

(e) 9 and 120

(19) Simplify completely.

(a) $\frac{3}{5} + \frac{1}{10}$

(b) $\frac{3}{8} + \frac{4}{10}$

(c) $\frac{8}{6} - \frac{1}{3}$

(d) $\frac{8}{9} - \frac{1}{6}$

(e) $\frac{10}{3} \square \frac{6}{8}$

(f) $\frac{2}{4} \square \frac{15}{20}$

(g) $\frac{4}{7} \div \frac{10}{21}$

(h) $\frac{8}{10} \div \frac{16}{5}$