

WJHS Summer Math Packet  
For Rising Algebra 2/Honors Algebra 2 Students

This packet is an optional review of the skills that will help you be successful in Algebra 2. By completing this packet over the summer, you will not only keep your brain mathematically active but you will be able to identify skills that you need to strengthen for your year ahead. Complete the exercises then check your answers with the Answer Key. If you struggle with any of the exercises, please seek help from a friend, parent, sibling, book, or online resource (some suggestions have been provided for you). Enjoy your math review and we look forward to meeting you in August!

### I. Operations on Numbers

Rational Numbers

<http://www.mathsisfun.com/rational-numbers.html>

Simplify.

1.  $84 + (-90) = \underline{-6}$

2.  $\frac{-12}{30} = \underline{-\frac{2}{5}}$

3.  $-\frac{3}{4} + \frac{5}{4} = \underline{\frac{1}{2}}$

4.  $-\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{4} = \underline{-\frac{11}{12}}$

5.  $-\frac{1}{5} - \left(-\frac{4}{7}\right) = \underline{\frac{13}{35}}$

6.  $\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{15}{16}\right) = \underline{-\frac{5}{8}}$

7.  $\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right) = \underline{-\frac{1}{8}}$

8.  $\frac{-6(-6+2)}{-10+(-2)} = \underline{-2}$

9.  $\left(-\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = \underline{-\frac{3}{8}}$

10.  $-\frac{15}{32} + \left(-\frac{3}{10}\right) = \underline{\frac{25}{116}}$

11.  $\frac{57y-12}{3} = \underline{19y-4}$

Order of Operations <http://www.themathpage.com/alg/algebraic-expressions.htm#order>

Simplify each expression using PEMDAS.

12.  $[(12-14)-10^2+2]+5^2 = \underline{-4}$

13.  $\frac{50-(8-9)+\frac{12}{4}}{4^2-7} = \underline{6}$

Evaluate.

14.  $b^2 - 4ac$  if  $a = 3, b = -5, c = -1 = \underline{37}$

15.  $mx + b$  if  $m = -\frac{2}{5}, b = -\frac{3}{10}, x = -1 = \underline{\frac{1}{10}}$

## II. Linear Equations in One Variable <http://www.themathpage.com/alg/equations.htm>

Solve each linear equation. A solution is a value for the variable that makes the equation true. You should check each solution to verify that it makes the left side of the equation equal to the right side.

16.  $8 - 5w = -37$   $w = 9$

17.  $\frac{b+1}{3} = 2$   $b = 5$

18.  $\frac{5}{2}c - 8 = -3$   $c = 2$

19.  $-\frac{h}{3} - 4 = 13$   $h = -51$

20.  $2.5g + 0.45 = 0.95$   $g = 0.2$

21.  $8 + 4k = -10 + k$   $k = -6$

22.  $\frac{2}{3}n + 8 = \frac{1}{2}n + 2$   $n = -36$

23.  $-7(2d - 4) = 5(6 - 2d)$   $d = -\frac{1}{2}$

24.  $\frac{1}{9}(2m - 16) = \frac{1}{3}(2m + 4)$   $m = -7$

25.  $2(a + 8) + 7 = 5(a + 2) - 3a - 19$  no solution

26.  $\frac{3}{7} = \frac{x-2}{6}$   $x = \frac{32}{7}$

27. Solve for  $x$  in terms of  $b$  and  $c$ .  
 $2x + b = c$   $x = \frac{c-b}{2}$

28. Solve for  $z$  in terms of  $a$  and  $b$ .

$$\frac{b-4z}{7} = a \quad \underline{z = \frac{b-7a}{4}}$$

29. Solve for  $w$  in terms of  $y$ .

$$2w - y = 7w - 2 \quad \underline{w = \frac{2-y}{5}}$$

### III. Linear Equations in Two Variables <http://www.themathpage.com/alg/equations.htm>

Slope: Find the slope of the line that passes through the two points. If the slope does not exist, write *no slope*.

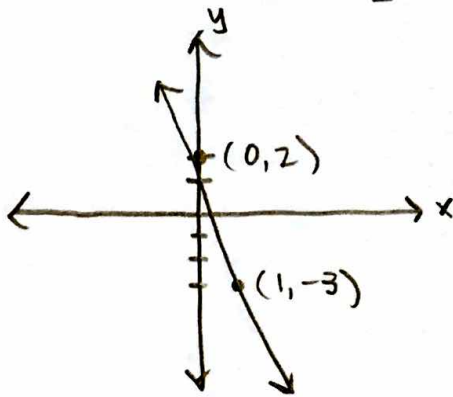
30. (14,-8) and (7,-6)  $-\frac{2}{7}$       31. (4,-3) and (8,-3)  $0$       32. (-2,4) and (-2,9) no slope  
OR undefined

Slope-Intercept Form

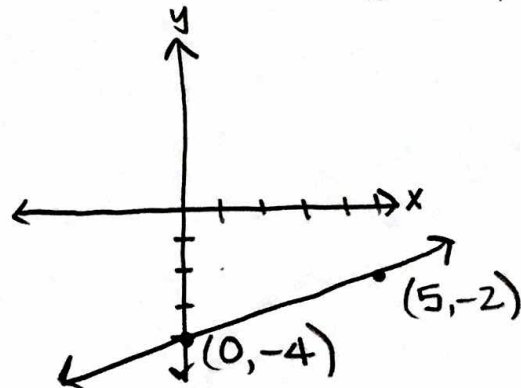
33. Write the equation of the line whose slope is  $-\frac{3}{2}$  and whose y-intercept is 5.  $y = -\frac{3}{2}x + 5$

State the slope and y-intercept then graph each line. Label the y-intercept and a second point on each line.

34.  $y = -5x + 2$        $m = -5$   
    $b = 2$

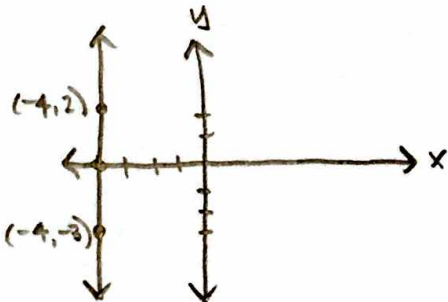


35.  $y = \frac{2}{5}x - 4$        $m = \frac{2}{5}$   
    $b = -4$

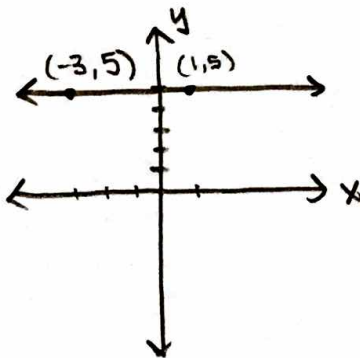


Graph each horizontal or vertical line. Label two points on each line.

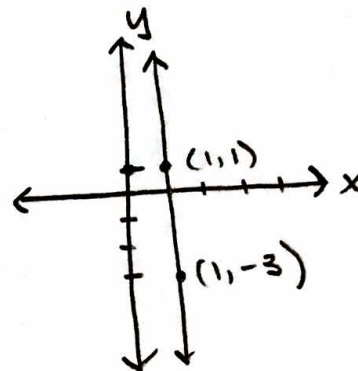
36.  $x = -4$



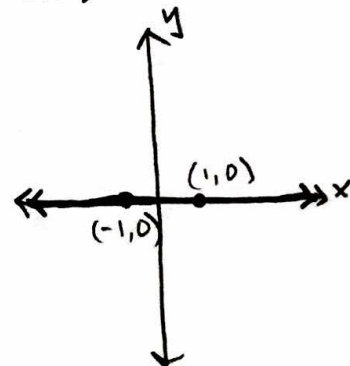
37.  $y = 5$



38.  $x = 1$



39.  $y = 0$



40. Use slope-intercept form to write the equation of the line whose x-intercept is -3 and whose y-intercept is 6.

$$\underline{y = 2x + 6}$$

41. Use slope-intercept form to write the equation of the line that passes through the points (-1,6) and (3,-2).

$$\underline{y = -2x + 4}$$

#### IV. Systems of Linear Equations

<http://www.themathpage.com/alg/simultaneous-equations.htm#addition>

Solve each system using the indicated method. If there is no solution or an infinite number of solutions, state so and explain why.

42.  $\begin{cases} x + y = 1 \\ y = \frac{1}{3}x + 5 \end{cases} \quad (-3, 4)$

43.  $\begin{cases} 2x + 2y = 7 \\ x - 2y = -1 \end{cases} \quad (2, \frac{3}{2})$

44.  $\begin{cases} 3x + 2y = -1 \\ 4x + 2y = -6 \end{cases} \quad (-5, 7)$

45.  $\begin{cases} 4x + 5y = 6 \\ 6x - 7y = -20 \end{cases} \quad (-1, 2)$

**V. Exponents**<http://www.themathpage.com/alg/exponents.htm><http://www.themathpage.com/alg/negative-exponents.htm>

Simplify.

46.  $(-6)^0 = \underline{1}$

47.  $c^4 \cdot c^2 \cdot c = \underline{c^7}$

48.  $(-4x^3)(-5x^7) = \underline{20x^{10}}$

49.  $(n^2)^5 = \underline{n^{10}}$

50.  $(7x^6)^2 = \underline{49x^{12}}$

51.  $(-5n)^3 = \underline{-125n^3}$

52.  $(4a^3b)^2(b^3) = \underline{16a^6b^5}$

53.  $(-18m^2n)^2\left(\frac{1}{6}mn^2\right) = \underline{54m^5n^4}$

54.  $\frac{6^5}{6^3} = \underline{6^2}$  OR  $36$

55.  $\frac{-2y^7}{14y^5} = \underline{-\frac{y^2}{7}}$

56.  $\frac{-6m}{15m^3} = \underline{-\frac{2}{5m^2}}$

57.  $\frac{x^3y^3}{xy^7} = \underline{-\frac{x^4}{y^4}}$  OR  $\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)^4$

58.  $\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^3 = \underline{\frac{8}{125}}$

59.  $\left(-\frac{3}{7}\right)^2 = \underline{\frac{9}{49}}$

**VI. Simplifying Polynomials**

60.  $(2m^2 + 5m - 1) + (4m^2 - 8m - 6)$

$$6m^2 - 3m - 7$$

61.  $(n^2 + 3n + 2) - (2n^2 - 6n - 2)$

$$-n^2 + 9n + 4$$

62.  $-4x(2x^3 - 2x + 3)$

$$-8x^4 + 8x^2 - 12x$$

63.  $2b(b^2 + 4b + 8) - 3b(3b^2 + 9b - 18) + 5b^2$

$$-7b^3 - 14b^2 + 70b$$

C. Find each product using the FOIL or box method.

<http://www.themathpage.com/alg/quadratic-trinomial.htm>

64.  $(x+5)(x+7)$

$$x^2 + 12x + 35$$

65.  $(x-6)(x-2)$

$$x^2 - 8x + 12$$

66.  $(x+8)(x-5)$

$$x^2 + 3x - 40$$

67.  $(x+4)(x-4)$

$$x^2 - 16$$

68.  $(x+4)(x+4)$

$$x^2 + 8x + 16$$

69.  $(c-8)^2$

$$c^2 - 16c + 64$$

70.  $(3d+1)^2$

$$9d^2 + 6d + 1$$

71.  $(2x-1)(x+5)$

$$2x^2 + 9x - 5$$

72.  $(7g+4)(7g-4)$

$$49g^2 - 16$$

**VII. Factoring Polynomials**

[http://www.wtamu.edu/academic/anns/mps/math/mathlab/col\\_algebra/col\\_alg\\_tut7\\_factor.htm](http://www.wtamu.edu/academic/anns/mps/math/mathlab/col_algebra/col_alg_tut7_factor.htm)

<https://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra-basics/quadratics-polynomials-topic/factoring-quadratic-expressions-core-algebra/v/factoring-quadratic-expressions>

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Factor each polynomial using the Distributive Property. In other words, by factoring out the GCF.

73.  $24x + 16 = \underline{8(3x + 2)}$

74.  $14y^3 - 28y^2 + y = \underline{y(14y^2 - 28y + 1)}$

Trinomials in the Form  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a = 1$ . Factor each trinomial into two binomials. If not factorable, write PRIME.

75.  $m^2 + 12m + 32 = \underline{(m+8)(m+4)}$

76.  $r^2 - 3r + 2 = \underline{(r-2)(r-1)}$

77.  $x^2 - 4x - 21 = \underline{(x-7)(x+3)}$

78.  $x^2 + 8x - 16 = \underline{\text{PRIME}}$

79.  $m^2 + 4m - 12 = \underline{(m+6)(m-2)}$

80.  $d^2 + 63 - 16d = \underline{(d-9)(d-7)}$

81.  $48 - 16g + g^2 = \underline{(g-12)(g-4)}$

Trinomials in the Form  $ax^2 + bx + c$ , where  $a \neq 1$ . Factor each trinomial into two binomials. If not factorable, write PRIME.

82.  $2x^2 + 5x + 3 = \underline{(2x+3)(x+1)}$

83.  $3m^2 - 8m - 3 = \underline{(3m+1)(m-3)}$

84.  $4c^2 - 19c + 21 = \underline{(4c-7)(c-3)}$

85.  $2t^2 - 11t + 15 = \underline{(2t-5)(t-3)}$

86.  $4n^2 + 8n - 5 = \underline{(2n+5)(2n-1)}$

87.  $2x^2 + 3x - 6 = \underline{\text{prime}}$

Factor each difference of squares. If not factorable, write PRIME.

88.  $x^2 - 81 = \underline{(x+9)(x-9)}$

89.  $4n^2 - 25 = \underline{(2n+5)(2n-5)}$

90.  $-49 + c^2 = \underline{(c+7)(c-7)}$

91.  $d^2 + 4e^2 = \underline{\text{prime}}$

### VIII. Quadratic Formula

<http://www.regentsprep.org/Regents/math/algtrig/ATE3/quadformula.htm>

Solve each equation using the Quadratic Formula. If  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ , then  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$ .

92.  $5x^2 + 3x - 1 = 0$

$$x = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{29}}{10}$$

93.  $x^2 + 4x = -20$

$$x = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-64}}{2}$$

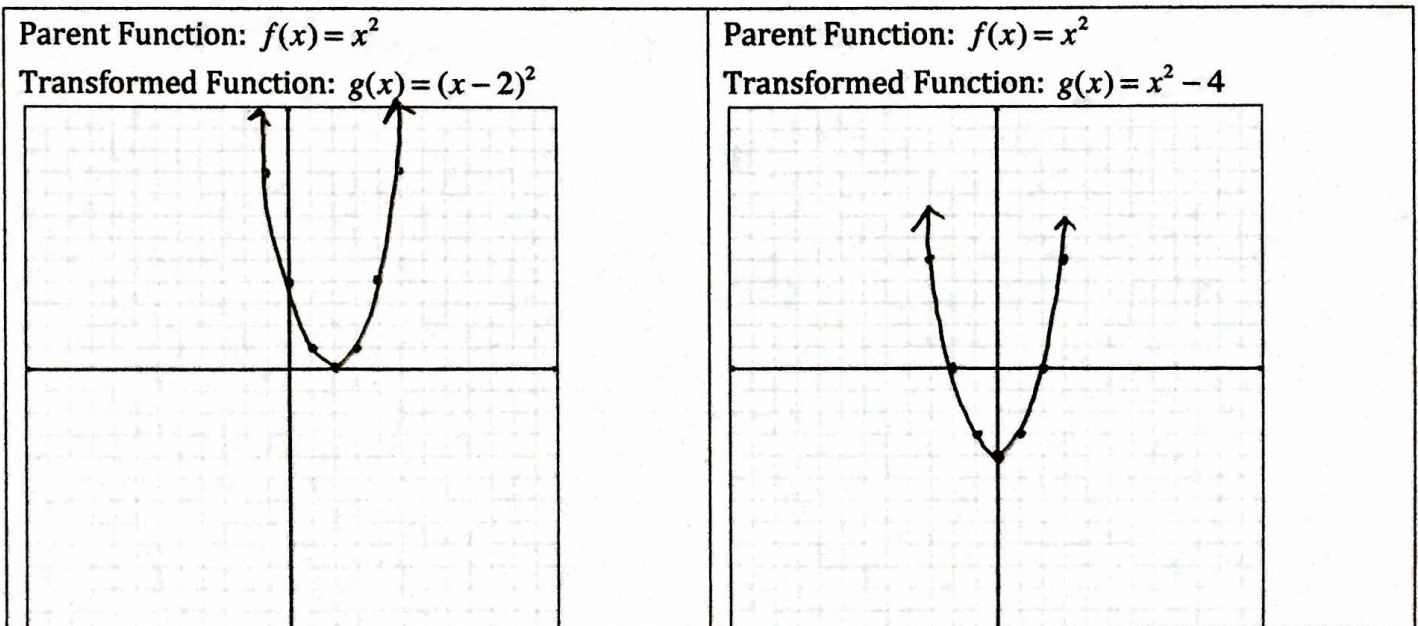
no real  
solutions

94.  $-7x^2 + 2x = -9$

$$x = 1 \text{ OR } x = \frac{9}{7}$$

**IX. Graphing:** Identify the transformations from the parent function. Then graph the function.

<http://www.purplemath.com/modules/fcntrans.htm>

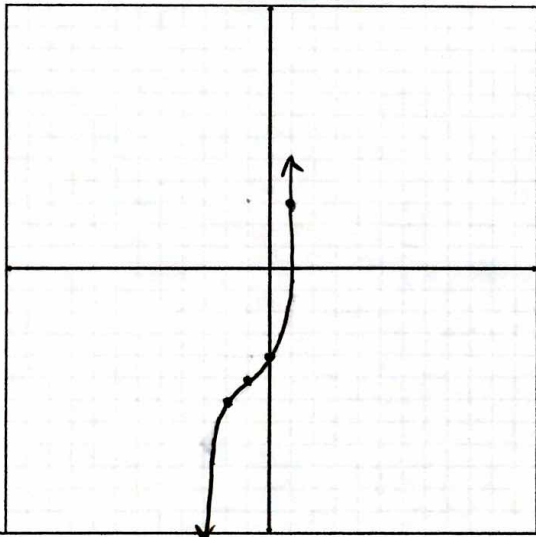


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Parent Function:  $f(x) = x^3$

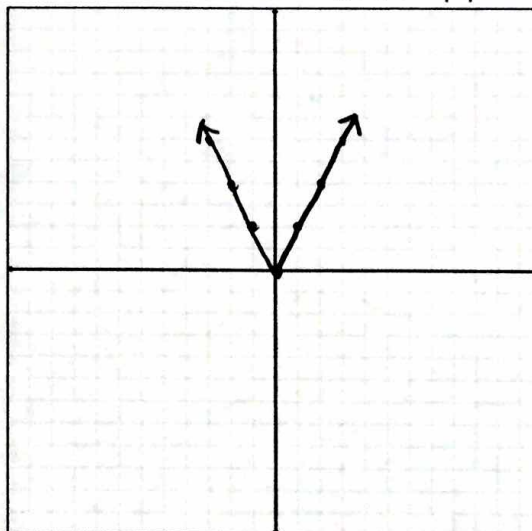
Transformed Function:  $g(x) = (x+1)^3 - 5$



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Parent Function:  $f(x) = |x|$

Transformed Function:  $g(x) = 2|x|$



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