

# Algebra 2 Readiness Test 1

## Algebra 2 Placement Test

### Section 1

Evaluate each expression below.

1.  $5 - 3(x - 1)$  when  $x = 7$
2.  $4x^2 - 5x + 1$  when  $x = -2$

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## Answers

1.  $-13$

2.  $27$

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Simplify each expression below.

3.  $y(y - 11)$

4.  $(x + 6)(x - 3)$

5.  $(y - 1)(y^2 + 2y + 1)$

6.  $(\sqrt{2} \cdot \sqrt{3})^2$

7.  $(7x^2)(x^4)(-5x)$

8.  $\frac{4x^4 - x^3}{8x - 2}$

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## Answers

3.  $y^2 - 11y$

4.  $x^2 + 3x - 18$

5.  $y^3 + y^2 - y - 1$

6. 6

7.  $-35x^7$

8.  $\frac{x^3}{2}$

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Solve each equation below.

9.  $6x + 7 = 31$

10.  $3y + \frac{1}{4}y = 26$

11.  $12(x - 1) = 8(x + 1)$

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

13.  $5[1 - 2(x + 2)] = 4x$

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## Answers

9.  $x = 4$

10.  $y = 8$

11.  $x = 5$

12.  $y = \frac{2}{9}$

13.  $x = -\frac{15}{14}$

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Translate each problem below into an equation and solve.

14. Victoria and Margaret are 625 miles apart and traveling straight toward each other. If Victoria's speed is 55 mph and Margaret's speed is 70 mph, how many hours will it be before the two meet?
15. Mike, a Salvation Army bell ringer, has 5 fewer quarters than nickels in his cup. If Mike has \$5.95 in quarters and nickels, how many nickels does he have?

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## Answers

**14.** 5 hours

**15.** 24 nickels



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Solve each equation or inequality below. Make sure to give *all* solutions.

16.  $7x + 6 \leq 34$

17.  $2x^2 - 8 = 10$

18.  $3x^2 + 15x = 0$

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16.  $x \leq 4$

17. 3, -3

18. 0, -5

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### Section 2

Answer each question below.

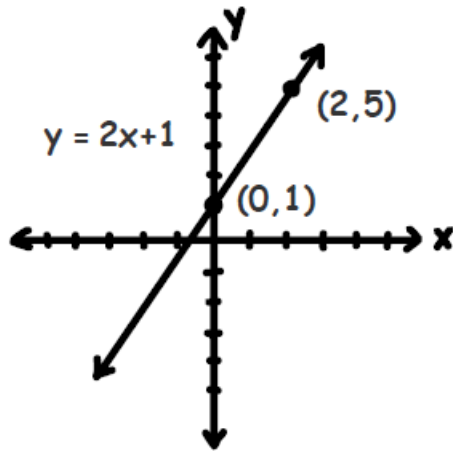
19. In the equation  $y = 4x - 7$ , find  $y$  when  $x = -2$ .
20. Graph the equation  $y = 2x + 1$  on a coordinate plane.
21. Graph the equation  $y + 3x = 4$  on a coordinate plane.
22. Find the  $x$  and  $y$ -intercepts of the graph of the equation  $y = 5x - 10$ .
23. Find the slope of the graph of the equation  $y = 5x - 10$ .

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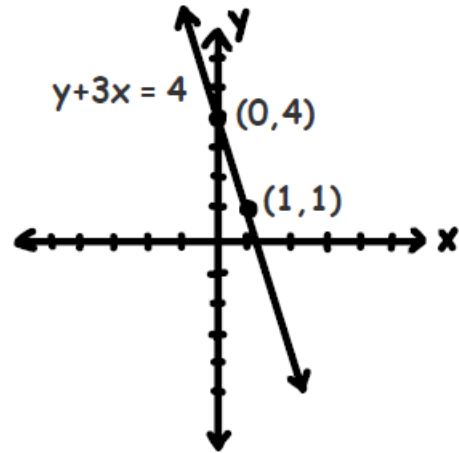
## Answers

19.  $y = -15$

20.



21.



22. x-intercept:  $(2, 0)$  ;

y-intercept:

$(0, -10)$

23. slope = 5

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Simplify each expression below.

24.  $13x^2y - 9x^2y$

25.  $xy(x^2 + y^2)$

26.  $\frac{q}{ps^3} - \frac{r}{ps^3}$

27.  $\frac{x+y}{x^2 + 2xy + y^2}$

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24.  $4x^2y$

25.  $x^3y + xy^3$

26.  $\frac{q-r}{ps^3}$

27.  $\frac{1}{x+y}$

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Answer each question below.

28. In the equation  $y = ax^2 + bx + c$ , find the value of  $y$  when  $x = 2$ ,  $a = 1$ ,  $b = 3$ , and  $c = 5$ .
29. Solve the equation  $3n - n = b - 1$  for  $n$  in terms of  $b$ .
30. Solve the system of equations  $\begin{cases} 4x - 2y = 10 \\ x + 2y = 15 \end{cases}$  for  $x$  and  $y$ .

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28.  $y = 15$

29.  $n = \frac{b-1}{2}$

30.  $x = 5, y = 5$