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## Skill 1: Rates/Ratios/Proportions

1) What is the ratio of 4 hours to 30 minutes?
2) If 5 pounds of store brand hamburger costs $\$ 18.75$, and the select brand is on sale for $\$ 7.10$ for 2 pounds, which is the better buy? (Hint: find the price per pound to the nearest hundredth)
3) Find the length of side a.

4) A tall tree casts a shadow that is 21 feet long. If a flag pole nearby that is 14 feet tall casts a 3 foot shadow, how tall is the tree?

## Skill 2: Percent Problems

1) On a day when the class of 19 students had 5 members absent, what percent of the class took the quiz that day?
2) Charlie got a Black Friday special on a laptop computer for $\$ 370.00$. If the tax rate is $7.4 \%$ what does he pay for the system?
3) The total school enrollment at Fort Collins High School was 1800 in 2013. In 2014 the student population was 1692. What was the percent change in enrollment?
4) Connie found a $25 \%$ off coupon for a TV that was $\$ 280.00$ at Best Electronics. If the tax rate was $7.5 \%$, what did she pay for the TV?
5) In 2015 the Colorado Dept. of Transportation reported there were 68 fatalities on Colorado roads resulting from drivers under the influence of cannabis. This was $12.4 \%$ of all fatalities involving drugs. How many total deaths happened in our state due to "drugged drivers"?

# Skill 3: Measurements \& Conversions 

1 inch $=2.54 \mathrm{~cm}$
$1 \mathrm{lb} .=0.45 \mathrm{Kg}$

1) $9.72 \mathrm{~L}=$ $\qquad$ mL
2) $28 \mathrm{~cm}=$ $\qquad$ m
3) $54 \mathrm{~g}=$ $\qquad$ Kg
4) $4 \mathrm{yds}=$ $\qquad$ in
5) 92 oz . $=$ $\qquad$ lb
6) 864 cups $=\ldots$ gallons
7) $60 \mathrm{mph}=\ldots$ feet per second
8) $25.4 \mathrm{~m}=$ $\qquad$ yds
9) 50 gal
$=$ $\qquad$
10) $67.5 \mathrm{Kg}=\ldots \mathrm{lbs}$

## Skill 4: Geometry

1) What is the area of this shape?

2) What is the perimeter of this shape?
(Leave in terms of $\pi$ )

6.0 in
3) What is the circumference of this shape?

What is the area? (Use 3.14 for $\pi$ )

4) What is the volume of this water tank?
(Use $\frac{22}{7}$ for $\pi$ )


## Skill 5: Order of Operations \& Exponents

## Simplify:

1) $72 \div 6^{2}(2)+(-7+10)$
2) $\frac{-6+\sqrt{5^{2}-4(2)(-3)}}{2(1)}$
3) $\frac{3(4)^{2}-24 \div 3(2)}{4(-2)}$
4) $\left(-7 a^{3} b^{3}\right)\left(7 a^{6} b^{4}\right)$
5) $\frac{12 p^{8} q^{9} r^{0}}{\left(6 p^{3} q^{2} r\right)^{2}}$

## Skill 6: Negative Exponents \& Scientific Notation

Simplify:

1) $\frac{12 m^{5} n^{-7}}{-4 m^{-2} n^{-3}}$
2) $\left(\frac{-2 x^{-2} y^{-1} z^{3}}{6 x y^{-2}}\right)^{2}$
3) $\frac{\left(-3 x^{4} y^{-2}\right)^{-2}}{(x y z)^{-3}}$
4) $\left(5.3 \times 10^{4}\right)\left(4.1 \times 10^{-7}\right)$
5) $\left(1.071 \times 10^{-4}\right)$
$\left(2.1 \times 10^{-6}\right)$

## Skill 7: Expressions and Equations

1) Evaluate the following expression when $\mathrm{a}=-3$, and $\mathrm{b}=2$

$$
a^{2}+3 a b-b^{2}
$$

2) Is 6 a solution to the following equation?

$$
\frac{3}{7} x=\frac{15}{7}+\frac{x}{14}
$$

Solve:
3) $10=8(3 y-4)-13 y+20$
4) $0.25 t+0.10(t-3)=0.05(22)$
5) $\frac{3(y+3)}{5}=2 y+6$
6) $\frac{5 x+3}{4}+\frac{25}{12}=\frac{5 x+2}{3}$

## Skill 8: Linear Relationships

1) Find the slope between the points: $(5,-9)$ and $(-3,1)$
2) For the equation: $y=\frac{3}{4} x-2$
a. What is the slope of this line?
b. What is the $y$-intercept for this line?
c. Graph the line on the grid to the right.

3) Write the equation of the line $6 x+3 y=21$ in slope-intercept form.
a. What is the slope of this line?
b. What is the $y$-intercept for this line?
c. Graph the line on the same grid above.
4) Identify the type of line and slope for the following lines:
a. $\quad x=-2$
b. $y=3$
5) A catering company offers a service where they rent their dining room, (which is in a beautiful location) and serve your guests dinner. They charge a fee of $\$ 250$ to rent the dining room and they charge $\$ 45$ for the food, service, and linens for each guest attending. If " $g$ " represents the number of guests attending, and " $C$ " represents the total cost, the linear model for this caterer's cost is: $C=45 \mathrm{~g}+250$.
a. Estimate the cost to a client who will have 75 guests.
b. Interpret the meaning of the slope in the context of this problem.
c. Interpret the meaning of the y-intercept in context.

## Skill 9: Writing Linear Equations

1) Write the equation of the line that has a slope of -2 and goes through the point $(0,-4)$.
2) Write the equation of the line that passes through the points $(4,-3)$ and $(-2,2)$. Write your answer in slope-intercept form.
3) Write the equation of a line with the following slope and point:
a. Slope $=0 ;(5,-4)$
b. Slope is undefined; $(2,6)$
4) In 2005, 110 students applied for the Math Department Scholarship. There were 125 applicants in 2010. Assume that 2005 is "year 0" for the Math Scholarship, and following years are the number of years after 2005.
a. Write an equation in slope-intercept form that models how many applicants there will be for the years after 2005.
b. Interpret the meaning of slope in the context of this problem.
c. Interpret the meaning of the $y$-intercept in this problem.
d. Estimate the number of students who will apply in 2016?

## Skill 10: Polynomials

Simplify:

1) $3 x^{3}-2 x^{2}+6-4 x^{3}+5 x-3 x^{2}-1-9 x$
2) $5 y^{2}\left(-4 y^{3}+10 y^{2}-7 y+3\right)$
3) $\left(3.1 x^{2}-8.4 x+5.7 y^{2}\right)+\left(-2.8 x^{2}+6.6 y-0.9 y^{2}\right)$
4) $\left(7 y^{2}+9 y 8\right)\left(5 y^{2} 8 y+2\right)$
5) $(2 x-7)(8 x+4)$
6) $(h-8)\left(6 h^{2}+8 h-7\right)$
7) $\left(3 x^{2}+4\right)\left(3 x^{2}-4\right)$
8) $\left(-12 a^{3}+24 a^{2}+36 a-15\right) \div-3 a$

## Skill 11: Factoring

1) $-42 r^{4} s-63 r^{3} s^{2}+28 r^{2} s^{3}-7 r s$
2) $15 x^{3}-10 x^{2}-9 x+6$
3) $x^{2}-12 x+11$
4) $-z^{2}+3 z+70$
5) $2 x^{3}-18 x^{2}+40 x$
6) $n^{2}-36$
7) $b^{2}+100$

## Skill 12: Solving Formulas

1) $\quad B=\frac{1}{4}(x+y+z) \quad$ Solve for $z$
2) $6 x-9 y=15$ Solve for $y$
3) $C=\frac{6 d-54}{3} \quad$ Solve for $d$

## Skill 13: Solving Inequalities

Solve each inequality. Write your answer in Interval Notation.

1) $4 x-1 \geq 5 x-2 x$
2) $-3(x+2)-6>2(x-3)+14$
3) $-\frac{1}{2} x+\frac{3}{4} \leq \frac{13}{8}+\frac{3}{8} x$
