# 2017 ALGEBRA 2 2018 WEEKLY ASSIGNMENT SHEET FOR MAY. 14 TO MAY. 18 FOURTH QUARTER (Q4). WEEK 7 OF 9. (Q4-7)

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### CONTINUING OBJECTIVES:

- 1. Improve organization skills.
- 2. Move from memorizing and repeating to applying and thinking.
- 3. Read, write and interpret math statements.
- 4. Use mistakes as opportunities to learn.
- 5. Expand successes and build up weaknesses. Continue to move forward.

## SCCCR STANDARDS:

Sequences and Series. Identify geometric and arithmetic sequences. Find common difference and common ratios

- 1. A2.FBF.1\*, A2.FBF.2\*, A2.FIF.3\*, A2.FIF.9\*, A2.FLQE.2\*, A2.FLQE.5\*
- 2. Review.

## MONDAY (IF YOU DID NOT ATTEND LAST FRIDAY'S CLASS.) $\rightarrow \rightarrow$

- 1. After this week, what % of Q4 is complete? What % of S2 grade is complete?
- 2. Read & study section 9-3. Record 3 key words. Starting on p. 648 do 1 13, 22 24.
- 3. Read & study worksheet Q4-7 Monday. Record 3 key words.
- 4. Complete all problems on worksheet Q4-7 Monday.
- Re-try District Written Exam problems from problem solving q4-6, without notes. Then use notes to correct and update the problems.

Check your last week's assignment sheet for Friday's work. Complete this work to prepare for this week's assessment.

## TUESDAY (IF YOU DID NOT ATTEND CLASS ON MONDAY) $\rightarrow \rightarrow$

- 1. Grade/UPDATE/discuss Monday's work.
- 2. Read & Study section 9-4. Record 3 key words. Starting on p. 659 do 1 15.
- 3. Read & study worksheet Q4-7 Tuesday. Record 3 key words.
- 4. Complete all problems on worksheet Q4-7 Tuesday.
- 5. Re-try District Written Exam problems from problem solving q4-6, without notes. Then use notes to correct and update the problems.

Please complete Monday's assignments. Use them to prepare for the assessment.

## WEDNESDAY (IF YOU DID NOT ATTEND CLASS ON TUESDAY) $\rightarrow \rightarrow$

- 1. Grade/UPDATE/discuss Tuesday's work.
- 2. Complete DISTRICT WRITTEN EXAM.
- 3. Complete test review sheet.
- 4. Journal: Explain how to determine if a sequence is arithmetic. Hint: first page of worksheet q4-7 Monday.

Please complete Tuesday's assignments and use them to prepare for the assessment.

## THURSDAY (IF YOU DID NOT ATTEND CLASS ON WEDNESDAY)→

- 1. Grade/UPDATE/discuss Wednesday's work. Review.
- 2. Complete Weekly Test in Aleks.
- 3. You may use all note pages on this assessment.
- If you did not attend class yesterday, your first take will count as your new test problems. Your 2<sup>nd</sup> take will count as your test score. Additional takes will be updates.

Please complete Wednesday's assignments and use them to prepare for the weekly assessment.

## FRIDAY (IF YOU DID NOT ATTEND CLASS ON THURSDAY) $\rightarrow \rightarrow$

- 1. Update yesterday's test in Aleks.
- 2. Problem solving Q4-7. Turn in before leaving class.

Please complete the weekly assessment today.

# Arithmetic Sequences and Series

To determine whether a sequence is an arithmetic sequence, check for a common difference. d.  $d \neq 0$ . Find the first differences of the terms.

 $-7, -3, 1, 5, 9, \dots$ Differences: -3 - (-7) = 41 - (-3) = 45 - 1 = 49 - 5 = 4

The common difference is 4. The sequence is arithmetic.

2, 6, 18, 54, 162, ... Differences: 6 - 2 = 418 - 6 = 1254 - 18 = 36162 - 54 = 108

There is no common difference. The sequence is not arithmetic.

If you know the first term of an arithmetic sequence,  $a_1$ , and the common difference, d, then you can find the *n*th term,  $a_n$ , using the following rule.

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1) d$$

Find the 15th term of the arithmetic sequence 10, 4, -2, -8, -14, ...

Find the common difference, d. Step 1

$$d = 4 - 10 = -6$$

Identify the first term, a<sub>1</sub>. Step 2

$$a_1 = 10$$

Step 3 Use the formula with n = 15 to find the 15th term,  $a_{15}$ .

$$a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$$

Write the rule.

$$a_{15} = a_1 + (15 - 1)d$$

Substitute n = 15.

$$a_{15} = 10 + (14)(-6)$$

Substitute  $a_1 = 10$  and d = -6.

$$a_{15} = -74$$

Simplify.

The 15th term of the sequence is -74.

Determine whether each sequence could be arithmetic. If so, find the common difference.

Find the 10th term of each arithmetic sequence.

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# Arithmetic Sequences and Series (continued)

If you know any two terms in an arithmetic sequence, you can find any other term in the sequence.

- Find the common difference by using the two terms and the formula for the nth term.
- Then use the formula for the nth term to find the first term and the nth term.

Find the 12th term of the arithmetic sequence with  $a_3 = 33$  and  $a_9 = 117$ .

Step 1 Use the known terms and the formula for the *n*th term to find the common difference.

Since  $a_n = a_9$ , n = 9 in the formula.  $a_9 = a_3 + (9 - 3)d$   $a_9 = a_3 + 6d$ Simplify.

Substitute  $a_9 = 117$  and  $a_3 = 33$ .

Solve for d.

Since  $a_n = a_9$ , n = 9 in the formula.

Replace 1 with 3 since  $a_1 = a_3$ .

**Step 2** Use one of the known terms and the common difference, d = 14, to find  $a_1$ . Use  $a_3 = 33$  and the formula for the *n*th term.

 $a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$  Write the formula.  $a_3 = a_1 + (3-1)(14)$  Let  $a_n = a_3$ , so n = 3 and d = 14.  $a_3 = a_1 + (2)(14)$  Simplify.  $33 = a_1 + 28$  Substitute  $a_3 = 33$ .  $5 = a_1$  Solve for  $a_1$ .

**Step 3** Use  $a_1 = 5$ , d = 14, and n = 12 in the formula for the *n*th term to find  $a_{12}$ .

 $a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$  Write the formula.  $a_{12} = 5 + (12-1)(14)$  Substitute  $a_1 = 5$ , d = 14, and n = 12.  $a_{12} = 5 + (11)(14)$  Simplify.  $a_{12} = 159$  Solve for  $a_{12}$ .

Find the 10th term of the arithmetic sequence with  $a_4 = 34$  and  $a_6 = 52$ .

6. Find <i>a</i> .	<ol> <li>Find a₁.</li> </ol>	

Let  $a_n = a_6$  and  $a_1 = a_4$ . Let  $a_n = a_4$ .

 $a_6 = a_4 + (6 - 4) d$   $a_4 = a_1 + (4 - 1) ($ \_\_\_\_)

Find a<sub>10</sub>.

1. Yes; d = 12

No

Yes; d = −8

4. 8; 5; 10;  $a_{10} = 77$ 

5. -3; 7; 10;  $a_{10} = -20$ 

6. 52 = 34 + 2d; d = 9

7. 9;  $34 = a_1 + 27$ ;  $a_1 = 7$ 

8. 10;  $a_{10} = a_1 + (10 - 1)d$ ;  $a_{10} = 7 + 81$ ;  $a_{10} = 88$ 

# Geometric Sequences and Series

To determine whether a sequence is a geometric sequence, check for a common ratio,  $r(r \neq 1)$ .

Find the ratios of pairs of terms to decide whether the sequence is geometric.

Ratios: 
$$\frac{6}{-2} = -3$$

$$\frac{-18}{6} = -3$$

$$\frac{54}{-18} = -3$$

$$\frac{-162}{54} = -3$$

The common ratio is -3. The sequence is geometric.

If you know the first term of a geometric sequence,  $a_1$ , and the common ratio, r, then you can find the nth term,  $a_n$ , using the following rule.

$$a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$$

Find the 10th term of the geometric sequence 3, 12, 48, 192, 768, ...

Find the common ratio, r.

$$r = \frac{12}{3} = 4$$

Identify the first term, a<sub>1</sub>.

$$a_1 = 3$$

Use the formula with r = 3 to find the 10th term,  $a_{10}$ . Step 3

$$a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$$

Write the rule.

$$a_{10} = a_1 r^{10-1}$$

Substitute n = 10.

$$a_{10} = 3 (4)^9$$

Substitute  $a_1 = 3$  and r = 4.

$$a_{10} = 3 (262,144) = 786,432$$

Simplify.

The 10th term of the sequence is 786,432.

Determine whether each sequence could be geometric. If so, find the common ratio.

Find the 8th term of each geometric sequence.

# Worksheet Q4-7 Tuesday cont.

# Geometric Sequences and Series (continued)

If you know any two terms in a geometric sequence, you can find any other term in the sequence.

- Find the common ratio by using the two terms and the formula for the nth term.
- Then use the formula for the nth term to find the first term and the nth term.

Find the 8th term of the geometric sequence with  $a_4 = 162$  and  $a_6 = 1458$ .

Step 1 Use the known terms and the formula for the nth term to find the common ratio.

 $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ 

Write the formula.

 $a_6 = a_4 r^{6-4}$ 

Let  $a_n = a_6$  and  $a_1 = a_4$ .

 $1458 = 162r^2$ 

Simplify and substitute  $a_6 = 1458$  and  $a_4 = 162$ .

 $\pm 3 = r$ 

Solve for r.

Step 2 Use one of the known terms and the common ratio,  $r = \pm 3$ , to find  $a_1$ . Use  $a_4 =$ 162 and the formula for the nth term.

 $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ 

Write the formula.

 $a_4 = a_1(3)^{4-1}$ 

OR 
$$a_4 = a_1 (-3)^{4-1}$$

 $a_n = a_4$ , so n = 4; r = 3 or -3

 $162 = 27a_1$ 

OR  $162 = -27a_1$ 

Simplify and substitute a<sub>4</sub> = 162.

 $6 = a_1$ 

OR  $-6 = a_1$  Solve for a<sub>1</sub>.

Use both cases in the formula for the nth term to find a<sub>8</sub>. Step 3

When r = 3,  $a_1 = 6$ .

When 
$$r = -3$$
,  $a_1 = -6$ .

 $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ 

$$a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$a_n = 6(3)^{n-1}$$

$$a_n = -6(-3)^{n-1}$$

$$a_8 = 6(3)^{8-1}$$

$$a_n = -6(-3)^n$$
  
 $a_8 = -6(-3)^{8-1}$ 

$$a_8 = 6(3)^7$$

$$a_8 = -6(-3)^7$$

$$a_8 = 13,122$$

$$a_8 = -6(-3)$$

 $a_8 = 13.122$ 

In both cases, the 8th term is 13, 122.

# Find the 7th term of the geometric sequence with $a_4 = 80$ and $a_5 = 160$ .

Find r.

Let  $a_n = a_5$  and  $a_1 = a_4$ .

Let 
$$a_n = a_4$$
.

$$a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$$

$$a_n = a_1 I^{n-1}$$

$$a_5 = a_4 r^{5-4}$$

 $a_n = a_1 r^{n-1}$ 

$$a_4 = a_1 ()^{4-1}$$

1. Yes; 
$$r = -2$$

2. Yes; 
$$r = 3$$

4. 
$$-2$$
;  $-7$ ; 8;  $a_8 = 896$ 

5. 3; 8; 8; 
$$a_8 = 17,496$$

6. 
$$160 = 80(r)^{1}$$
;  $r = 2$ 

7. 2; 
$$80 = a_1(2^3)$$
;  $a_1 = 10$ 

8. 7; 
$$a_7 = 10(2^6)$$
;  $a_7 = 640$