Algebra 2 Ch 6 Notes

## **Chapter 6 Calendar**

Day	Date	Assignment (Due the next class meeting)	
Friday	11/17/23 (A)	6.1 Worksheet	
Monday	11/20/23 (B)	Adding/subtracting & Multiplying polynomial functions	
Tuesday	11/21/23 (A)	6.2 Worksheet	
Monday	11/27/23 (B)	Factoring polynomials	
Tuesday	11/28/23 (A)	6.3 Worksheet	
Wednesday	11/29/23 (B)	Polynomial division, remainder and factor theorems	
Thursday	11/30/23 (A)	6.4 Worksheet	
Friday	12/1/23 (B)	Rational Roots Theorem	
Monday	12/4/23 (A)	6.5 Worksheet	
Tuesday	12/5/23 (B)	Graphing polynomial functions day 1	
Wednesday	12/6/23 (A)	Chanton & Busation Test	
Thursday	12/7/23 (B)	Chapter 6 Practice Test	
Friday	12/8/23 (A)	Ch 6 TEST	
Monday	12/11/23 (B)	1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Review Packet	
Tuesday	12/12/23 (A)	Review Day	
Wednesday	12/13/23 (B)		
Thursday	12/14/23 (A)	DD A CTICE FINAL	
Friday	12/15/23 (B)	PRACTICE FINAL	
Monday	12/18/23 (C)	Review Day	
Tuesday	12/19/23		
Wednesday	12/20/23	FINALS	
Thursday	12/21/23		

- \* Be prepared for daily quizzes.
- \* Every student is expected to do every assignment for the entire unit.
- \* Students who complete *every assignment* for this semester are eligible for a 2% semester grade bonus and a pizza lunch paid by the math department.
- \* Try www.khanacademy.org or www.mathguy.us (Earl's website) if you need help.

## 6.1 Notes: Adding, Subtracting, & Multiplying Polynomials

Work with a partner to perform the indicated operation. Be prepared to share with the class.

1) Add: 
$$2x^3 - 5x^2 + 3x - 9$$
 and  $x^3 + 6x^2 + 11$ 

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

3) Subtract:  $5z^2 - z + 3$  from  $4z^2 + 9z - 12$ 

4) 
$$-(t^2-6t+2)-(5t^2-t-8)$$

5) 
$$-2 + 3(t^2-6t + 2) + 4(5t^2-t-8) - (6t+1)$$

6) 
$$20 - \frac{1}{2}(-6t^2 + 8t - 4) - 3(t^2 - 6t + 5) + (t - 3)$$

7) According to data from the U.S. Census Bureau for the period 2000-2007, the number of male students enrolled in high school in the United States can be approximated by the function  $M(x) = -0.004x^3 + 0.037x^2 + .049x + 8.11$  where x is the number of years since 2000 and M(x) is the number of male students in the millions. The number of female students enrolled in high school in the United States can be approximated by the function  $F(x) = -0.006x^3 + 0.029x^2 + 0.165x + 7.67$  where x is the number of years since 2000 and F(x) is the number of female students in millions. Estimate the total number of students enrolled in high school in the United States in 2007.

# **Multiplying Polynomials**

- 8) If f(x) = 2x + 1 and g(x) = x 6, find  $f(x) \cdot g(x)$ .
- 9) If  $h(x) = x^2 5$  and g(x) = x 1, find  $h(x) \cdot g(x)$ .

- 10) Multiply:  $-2y^2 + 3y 6$  and y 2 11)  $-(2x 3y)(x^2 + 3y 2)$

12)  $(x^2 + 3x)(3x^2 - 2x + 4)$ 

13) -(x-5)(x+2)(3x-1)

- 14) What is the degree of the function,  $f(x) = (x^2 + 4x 3)(3x^5 + 6x^3)$ ?
- 15) Write the area of a triangle if its height is 2x 3 and its base is  $5x^2 + 1$ .

16) You want to build a raised rectangular garden bed with a certain height h. You want the width to be the height plus 10 feet, and the length to be 5 times the height. Write a polynomial to describe the volume of the garden bed, in feet.

## **6.2 Notes: Factoring Polynomials**

In boxes 1 - 4, Factor:

1) Greatest Common Factor (GCF) $3x + 6$	2) Difference of Perfect Squares $x^2 - 9$	3) Trinomials $x^2 - x - 2$
4) Trinomials with coefficient $5x^2 - 7x - 6$	5) Grouping $x^3 + 6x^2 - 3x - 18$	6) Sum/Difference of Cubes $x^3 + 27$

$$\frac{Sum \ of \ two \ cubes}{a^3 + b^3 = (a+b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)}$$

$$\frac{\textbf{Difference of two cubes}}{a^3 - b^3 = (a - b)(a^2 + ab + b^2)}$$

Look at these two formulas and describe the similarities between them.

What are the differences?

Factor the polynomials completely:

1) 
$$x^3 + 64$$

2) 
$$x^3 - 8$$

3) 
$$27x^3 - 125$$

4) 
$$-2d^5 - 250d^2$$

5) 
$$16b^6 - 686b^3$$

For some polynomials, you can \_\_\_\_\_ pairs of terms that have a common monomial factor.

$$ra + rb + sa + sb = r(a + b) + s(a + b)$$
 \*or use the box method  
=  $(r+s)(a+b)$ 

Factor the polynomials completely:

6) 
$$x^3 - 3x^2 - 16x + 48$$

7) 
$$8t^2 + 28ts - 6ts - 21s^2$$

8) 
$$2x^3 - 6x^2 + x - 3$$

<sup>\*</sup>Go back to the chart and complete the examples in boxes 5 and 6.

# **6.3 Notes: Dividing Polynomials**

### **Long Division**

Divide using long division:

Divide 
$$f(x) = x^3 + 3x^2 - 7 by x^2 - x - 2$$

What steps did you do?

1) Divide 
$$f(x) = 3x^4 - 5x^3 + 4x - 6$$
 by  $x^2 - 3x + 5$ 

2) 
$$(2x^3 + 10x^2 + 6x - 18) \div (2x + 6)$$

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**Write about it:** Imagine that you had to get in front of the class and explain how to do long division with polynomials. Write a paragraph describing what you would say to the class to help them understand the process.

#### **Synthetic Division**

A shorthand method for dividing a polynomial by x - a is called synthetic division. It is similar to long division, but you use only the coefficients.

3) Divide  $(2x^3 + x^2 - 8x + 5)$  by (x + 3)

4) Divide  $(4x^3 - 3x + 7)$  by (x - 1)

Factor Theorem: a polynomial f(x) has a factor x - a if and only if f(a)=0 (REMAINDER = 0)

- 5) Factor  $f(x) = 3x^3 4x^2 28x 16$  completely given that x + 2 is a factor.
  - \*Because you know x+2 is a factor, you know that f(-2) = 0 or that x = -2 is a root. Use synthetic division to find the other factors.

6) Factor the polynomial completely given that  $f(x) = x^3 - 6x^2 + 5x + 12$  and that x - 4 is a factor.

7) Find the other zeros of f given that f(2) = 0 and  $f(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 22x + 40$ 

8) Find the other solutions of f given that x = -7 is a root and  $f(x) = x^3 + 8x^2 + 5x - 14$ 

## **6.4 Notes: Rational Root Theorem**

The Fundamental Theorem of Algebra: Any polynomial of degree **n** has at most **n** roots, both real and complex.

1) How many x-intercepts does the following function have?  $f(x) = 7x^5 - 4x^2 + 1$ 

2) With a partner try to solve (find the roots of) the polynomial,  $x^3 + 7x^2 + 15x + 9 = 0$ .

Can it be factored? Any other ways to solve it?

If we know <u>possible roots</u> we can use synthetic division to tell if they are <u>actual roots</u>! So how do we find a possible root?

The Rational Zeros Theorem: If f(x) is a polynomial with integer coefficients and if  $\frac{p}{q}$  is a zero of f(x), then p is a factor of the constant term of f(x) and q is a factor of the leading coefficient of f(x).

3) Make a list of all possible rational zeros of f(x) given below.

 $f(x) = 2x^4 + x^3 - 19x^2 - 9x + 9$ 

Steps for finding possible roots:

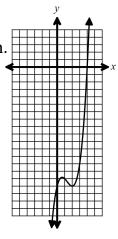
- 1. Write down all the factors of the constant term (p)
- 2. Write down all the factors of the leading coefficient (q)
- 3. Write down all the possible value of  $\frac{p}{q}$ . Remember to include both positive and negative factors.
- 4. Remove any duplicate values.
- 4) Make a list of all possible roots for the function,  $f(x) = x^3 + x^2 8x 12$ .

Now use synthetic division to see which possible roots are actual solutions to f(x). If it is a solution the remainder needs to be equal to \_\_\_\_\_\_.

5) Which of the following are not possible solutions to the function below. Choose all that apply!  $f(x) = 2x^4 + 5x^3 - 5x^2 - 5x + 3$ 

- A. 2 B.  $-\frac{3}{2}$  C. 1 D.  $\frac{1}{2}$  E.  $-\frac{2}{3}$  F. 3 G.  $\frac{1}{3}$

6) The equation  $x^3 - 4x^2 + 4x - 16 = 0$  is graphed to the right. Use the graph to help solve the equation and find all the roots of the function.



7) a. Find all possible roots of the function,  $g(x) = 2x^4 - 3x^3 + 7x^2 + 12x$ .

b. Use the possible roots and synthetic division to find the solutions.

# 6.5 Notes: Graphing Polynomials day 1

#### **End Behavior:**

The end behavior of a function describes what happens to the range as the domain approaches

Example 1:

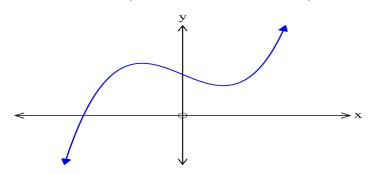
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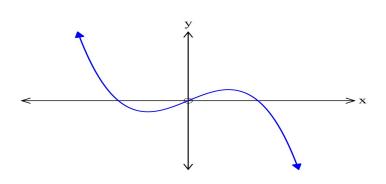
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#### Example 2:

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as 
$$x \to \infty$$
,  $y \to \infty$ 



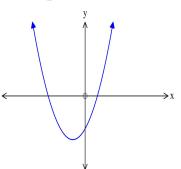


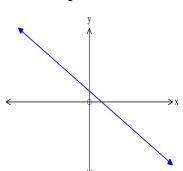
For #3-5, describe the end behavior:

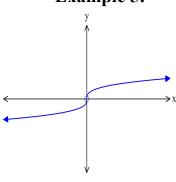
Example 3:

Example 4:

Example 5:

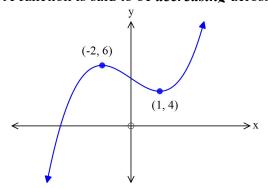


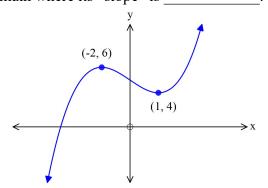




### **Increasing and Decreasing**

A function is said to be *increasing* across a certain domain where its "slope" is A function is said to be *decreasing* across a certain domain where its "slope" is

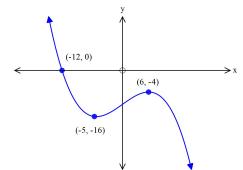




Highlight where the function is increasing. Write in interval notation:

Highlight where it's decreasing. Write in interval notation:

6)



Increasing:

Decreasing:

Degree:

End behavior:

Max:

Relative Max:

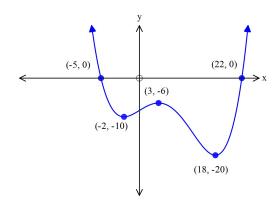
Min:

Relative Min:

Positive:

Negative:

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Increasing:

Decreasing:

Degree:

End behavior:

Max:

Relative Max:

Min:

Relative Min:

Positive:

Negative: