

Notes 2-4B Parallel & Perpendicular Lines  
Algebra II

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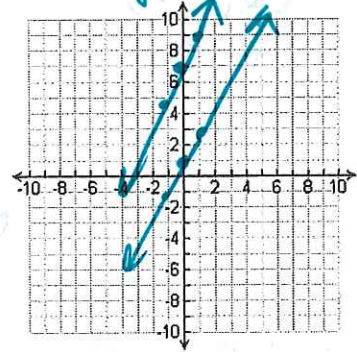
$$y = mx + b$$

Parallel Lines:

Have the same slope, but different y intercepts.

Ex:  $y = 2x + 1$  and  $\left[ \frac{1}{2}y = x + \frac{7}{2} \right]^2$

$$y = 2x + 7$$

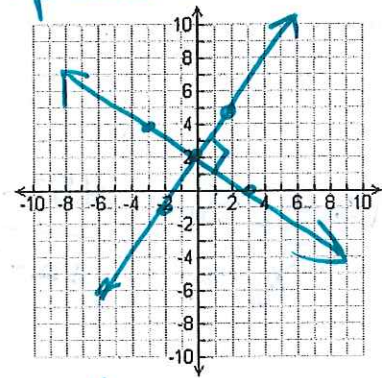


Perpendicular Lines:

Have opposite reciprocal slopes. They can have the same y intercept. Their product = -1.

Ex:  $y = \frac{3}{2}x + 2$  and  $\frac{3}{3}y = \frac{-2}{3}x + \frac{6}{3}$

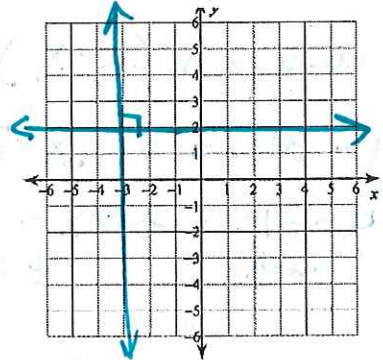
$$y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$$



$$\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)\left(-\frac{2}{3}\right) = -1 \quad \checkmark$$

Ex:  $y = 2$  and  $x = -3$

$$y = 2$$



$$x = -3$$

Write the slope-intercept equation of a line parallel to  $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 6$  and passing through (4, 5). Hint: start with point slope formula.

$M = \frac{2}{3}$   $x_1, y_1$   
 $(x_1, y_1) = (4, 5)$

$$\begin{aligned} y - y_1 &= m(x - x_1) \\ y - 5 &= \frac{2}{3}(x - 4) \\ y - 5 &= \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{8}{3} \\ \underline{+5} \qquad \qquad \underline{+5} \end{aligned}$$

$$y = \frac{2}{3}x + \frac{7}{3}$$

$$-\frac{8}{3} + 5 = -\frac{8}{3} + \frac{15}{3} = \frac{7}{3}$$

$m = \text{opposite sign \& reciprocal}$

Write the slope-intercept equation of a line that is perpendicular to  $y = -\frac{3}{4}x + 2$  and passes through  $(6, -4)$ .

$M = \frac{4}{3}$

$(x_1, y_1) = (6, -4)$   
 $x_1, y_1$

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$

$$y - (-4) = \frac{4}{3}(x - 6)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} y + 4 = \frac{4}{3}x - 8 \\ -4 \qquad -4 \end{array}$$

$$y = \frac{4}{3}x - 12$$

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Samantha owns her own jewelry-making business. At the beginning of her 7<sup>th</sup> week of business, she had \$312 in her business account. At the beginning of her 12<sup>th</sup> week of business, she had \$487 in her business account. Write a function for the amount of money in Samantha's business account in terms of time (in weeks) since the start of her business.

Name two points on the graph from the given information.

$(7, 312)$   
 $(12, 487)$

What is the slope of the function and what does it mean in the context of the problem?

$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{487 - 312}{12 - 7} = \frac{175}{5} = 35$$

Samantha is making \$35 per week.

What is the y-intercept of the function and what does it mean in the context of the problem?

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$
$$y - 312 = 35(x - 7)$$
$$\begin{array}{r} y - 312 = 35x - 245 \\ + 312 \qquad + 312 \end{array}$$
$$y = 35x + 67$$

y intercept = 67  
means she had \$67 in her acct. before she began her business.

When will Samantha have earned the \$836 she needs to buy a plane ticket to France for a well-deserved vacation?

$$y = 35x + 67$$
$$\begin{array}{r} 836 = 35x + 67 \\ -67 \qquad -67 \\ \hline 769 = 35x \\ \hline \frac{769}{35} = \frac{35x}{35} \end{array}$$

$$x = 21.97 \text{ weeks}$$

after 22 weeks, she will have enough money.