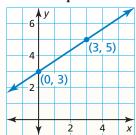
# Writing Equations in Slope-Intercept Form (pp. 165–170)

Write an equation of the line in slope-intercept form.



Find the slope and y-intercept.

Let  $(x_1, y_1) = (0, 3)$  and  $(x_2, y_2) = (3, 5)$ .

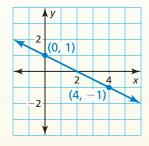
$$m = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \frac{5 - 3}{3 - 0} = \frac{2}{3}$$

Because the line crosses the y-axis at (0, 3), the y-intercept is 3.



So, the equation is  $y = \frac{2}{3}x + 3$ .

Write an equation of the line in slope-intercept form.



Write a linear function f with the given values.

**2.** 
$$f(0) = 8, f(4) = 20$$

**3.** 
$$f(0) = 5, f(2) = -3$$

**4.** 
$$f(5) = -1, f(0) = -1$$

**5.** 
$$f(-4) = 0, f(0) = 0$$

# Writing Equations in Point-Slope Form (pp. 171–176)

Write an equation in point-slope form of the line that passes through the point (-1, -8)and has a slope of 3.

$$y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$$
 Write the point-slope form.  
 $y - (-8) = 3[x - (-1)]$  Substitute 3 for  $m$ ,  $-1$  for  $x_1$ , and  $-8$  for  $y_1$ .

$$y + 8 = 3(x + 1)$$
 Simplify.

The equation is y + 8 = 3(x + 1).

**6.** Write an equation in point-slope form of the line that passes through the point (4, 7) and has a slope of -1.

Write an equation in slope-intercept form of the line that passes through the given points.

Write a linear function f with the given values.

**10.** 
$$f(10) = 5, f(2) = -3$$

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 **11.**  $f(3) = -4, f(5) = -4$  **12.**  $f(6) = 8, f(9) = 3$ 

**12.** 
$$f(6) = 8, f(9) = 3$$

### Writing Equations of Parallel and Perpendicular Lines (pp. 177–182)

Determine which of the lines, if any, are parallel or perpendicular.

Line *a*: 
$$y = 2x + 3$$

Line *b*: 
$$2y + x = 5$$

Line *c*: 
$$4y - 8x = -4$$

Write the equations in slope-intercept form. Then compare the slopes.

Line *a*: 
$$y = 2x + 3$$

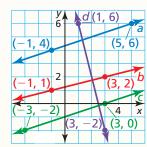
Line b: 
$$y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{5}{2}$$
 Line c:  $y = 2x - 1$ 

Line *c*: 
$$y = 2x - 1$$

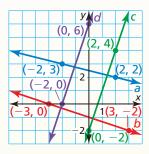
Lines a and c have slopes of 2, so they are parallel. Line b has a slope of  $-\frac{1}{2}$ , the negative reciprocal of 2, so it is perpendicular to lines a and c.

Determine which of the lines, if any, are parallel or perpendicular. Explain.

13.



14.



- **15.** Line *a* passes through (0, 4) and (4, 3). Line b passes through (0, 1) and (4, 0). Line c passes through (2, 0) and (4, 4).
- **16.** Line a: 2x 7y = 14

Line *b*: 
$$y = \frac{7}{2}x - 8$$

Line 
$$c: 2x + 7y = -21$$

- 17. Write an equation of the line that passes through (1, 5) and is parallel to the line y = -4x + 2.
- **18.** Write an equation of the line that passes through (2, -3) and is perpendicular to the line y = -2x - 3.

#### Scatter Plots and Lines of Fit (pp. 185–190)

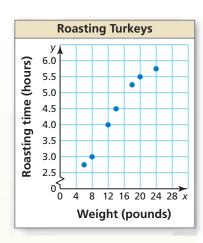
The scatter plot shows the roasting times (in hours) and weights (in pounds) of seven turkeys. Tell whether the data show a positive, a negative, or no correlation.

As the weight of a turkey increases, the roasting time increases.

So, the scatter plot shows a positive correlation.

Use the scatter plot in the example.

- **19.** What is the roasting time for a 12-pound turkey?
- **20.** What is the weight of a turkey that has a roasting time of 5.5 hours?
- **21.** Write an equation that models the roasting time as a function of the weight of a turkey. Interpret the slope and y-intercept of the line of fit.



## 4.5 Analyzing Lines of Fit (pp. 191–198)

The table shows the heights x (in inches) and shoe sizes y of several students. Use a graphing calculator to find an equation of the line of best fit. Identify and interpret the correlation coefficient.

**Step 1** Enter the data from the table into two lists.

**Step 2** Use the *linear regression* feature.

LinReg y=ax+b a=.4989919355 b=-23.4828629 r<sup>2</sup>=.9477256904 r=.9735120392 Height,

X

64

62

70

63

72

68

66 74

68

59

Shoe

size, y

9

7

12

8

13

9.5 9

13.5 10

6.5

An equation of the line of best fit is
y = 0.50x - 23.5. The correlation coefficient is about 0.974. This means that
the relationship between the heights and the shoe sizes has a strong positive
correlation and the equation closely models the data.

- **22.** Make a scatter plot of the residuals to verify that the model in the example is a good fit.
- **23.** Use the data in the example. (a) Approximate the height of a student whose shoe size is 9. (b) Predict the shoe size of a student whose height is 60 inches.
- **24.** Is there a causal relationship in the data in the example? Explain.

#### 4.6 Arithmetic Sequences (pp. 199–206)

Write an equation for the *n*th term of the arithmetic sequence  $-3, -5, -7, -9, \dots$ Then find  $a_{20}$ .

The first term is -3, and the common difference is -2.

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

Equation for an arithmetic sequence

$$a_n = -3 + (n-1)(-2)$$

Substitute -3 for  $a_1$  and -2 for d.

$$a_n = -2n - 1$$

Simplify.

Use the equation to find the 20th term.

$$a_{20} = -2(20) - 1$$

Substitute 20 for *n*.

$$= -41$$

Simplify.

The 20th term of the arithmetic sequence is 
$$-41$$
.

Write the next three terms of the arithmetic sequence.

**27.** 
$$\frac{7}{8}$$
,  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $\frac{5}{8}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , ...

Write an equation for the *n*th term of the arithmetic sequence. Then find  $a_{30}$ .