

Section 4.5 Slope-Intercept Form

Slope and y-intercept in context

1. At the Mad Genius Escape Room on Hawthorne, the cost is \$30 per person. If you want the room to be private for your party the cost is \$27 plus \$24 per person.

Source: <https://www.madgeniuses escapes.com/faq>

Write an equation for the total cost,  $y$ , in terms of the number of people in your party,  $x$ .

a. For a private room.

b. For a non-private room.

What is the rate of change or slope?

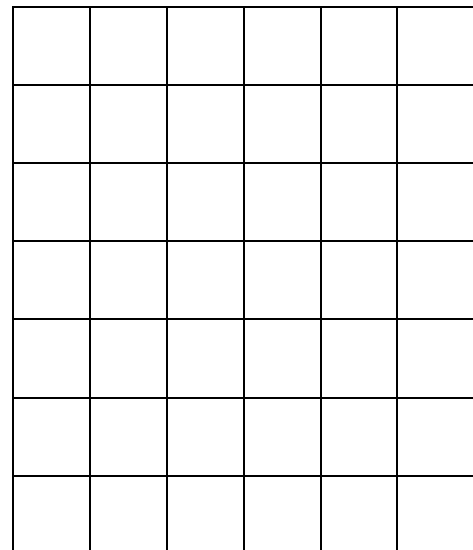
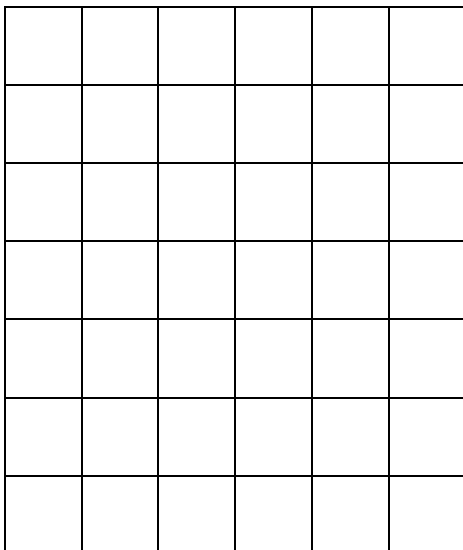
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Slope-Intercept Form of a Linear Equation:  $y = mx + b$

2. Identify the slope and the  $y$ -intercept of each line below.

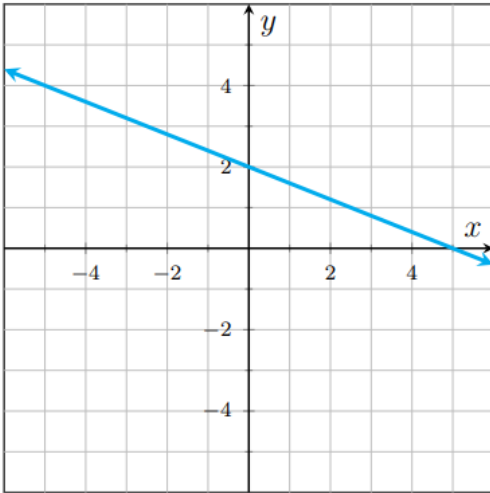
a.  $y = -9x + 4$

b.  $y = \frac{2}{3}x - 6$

c.  $y = -x + 3$

3. Write the equation of each line by finding the slope and  $y$ -intercept from the graph.

a.

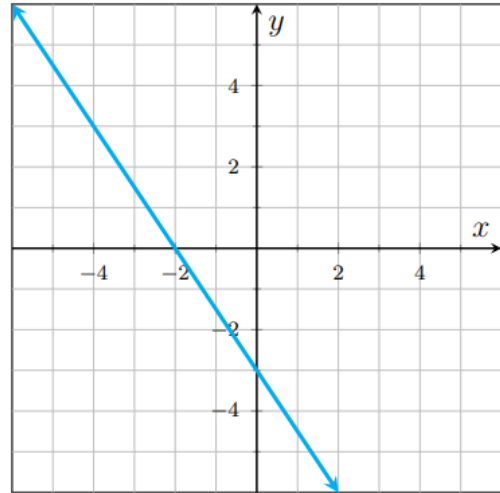


Slope:

$y$ -intercept:

Equation:

b.



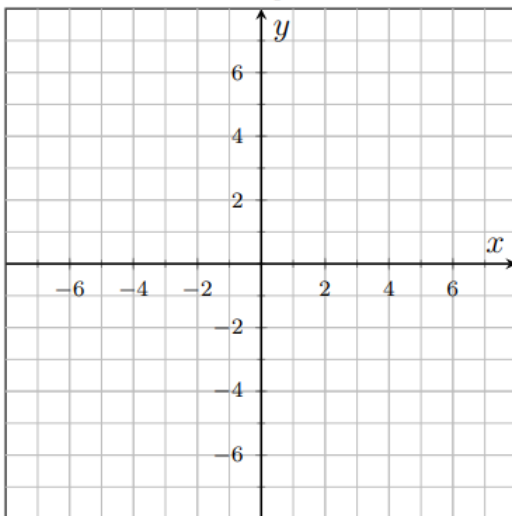
Slope:

$y$ -intercept:

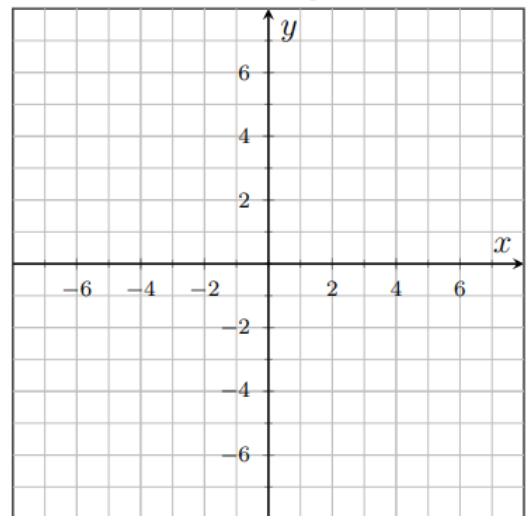
Equation:

4. Graph each equation by plotting the  $y$ -intercept and then using the slope to plot additional points.

a.  $y = 3x + 1$



b.  $y = -\frac{2}{3}x + 6$



## Section 4.6 Point-Slope Form

The Point-Slope Form of a line with slope  $m$  that passes through the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  is  $y = m(x - x_1) + y_1$

5. Identify the slope and a point that is on each line below.

a.  $y = 4(x - 1) + 5$

b.  $y = -\frac{1}{3}(x + 2) - 4$

c.  $y = -9(x + 1) - 10$

6. Find the equation of the line with a slope of  $-2$  that passes through the point  $(3, -5)$ . Then simplify the equation to slope-intercept form.

7. Find the equation of the line that passes through the points  $(2,0)$  and  $(4,2)$ . First write the equation in point-slope form, then simplify the equation to slope-intercept form.

8. A bakery owner has learned that by pricing pastries at \$2.50 each, sales reach 100 pastries per day. If they price them at \$3.50 each, they only sell 60 per day. Let  $y$  be the number of pastries the bakery sells per day at  $x$  dollars each. Write a linear equation that models the number of pastries sold per day when the price is  $x$  dollars each.