

# Pre-AP Precalculus

CR 3 – SAT PREP 7

\*\*\*NO CALCULATOR\*\*\*

1] 
$$\frac{8-i}{3-2i}$$

If the expression above is rewritten in the form  $a + bi$ , where  $a$  and  $b$  are real numbers, what is the value of  $a$ ? (Note:  $i = \sqrt{-1}$ )

A) 2

B)  $\frac{8}{3}$

C) 3

D)  $\frac{11}{3}$

2] The line  $y = kx + 4$ , where  $k$  is a constant, is graphed in the  $xy$ -plane. If the line contains the point  $(c, d)$ , where  $c \neq 0$  and  $d \neq 0$ , what is the slope of the line in terms of  $c$  and  $d$ ?

A)  $\frac{d-4}{c}$

B)  $\frac{c-4}{d}$

C)  $\frac{4-d}{c}$

D)  $\frac{4-c}{d}$

3] 
$$f(x) = \frac{3}{2}x + b$$

In the function above,  $b$  is a constant. If  $f(6) = 7$ , what is the value of  $f(-2)$ ?

A) -5

B) -2

C) 1

D) 7

4] If  $\frac{a-b}{b} = \frac{3}{7}$ , which of the following must also be true?

A)  $\frac{a}{b} = -\frac{4}{7}$

B)  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{10}{7}$

C)  $\frac{a+b}{b} = \frac{10}{7}$

D)  $\frac{a-2b}{b} = -\frac{11}{7}$

5]

$$\frac{x}{y} = 6$$

$$4(y + 1) = x$$

If  $(x, y)$  is the solution to the system of equations above, what is the value of  $y$  ?

- A) 2
- B) 4
- C) 12
- D) 24

- 6] Ken and Paul each ordered a sandwich at a restaurant. The price of Ken's sandwich was  $x$  dollars, and the price of Paul's sandwich was \$1 more than the price of Ken's sandwich. If Ken and Paul split the cost of the sandwiches evenly and each paid a 20% tip, which of the following expressions represents the amount, in dollars, each of them paid? (Assume there is no sales tax.)

- A)  $0.2x + 0.2$
- B)  $0.5x + 0.1$
- C)  $1.2x + 0.6$
- D)  $2.4x + 1.2$

7]

$$\sqrt{x - a} = x - 4$$

If  $a = 2$ , what is the solution set of the equation above?

- A) {3, 6}
- B) {2}
- C) {3}
- D) {6}

8]

If  $\frac{7}{9}x - \frac{4}{9}x = \frac{1}{4} + \frac{5}{12}$ , what is the value of  $x$  ?

- 9] If  $f(x) = -2x + 5$ , what is  $f(-3x)$  equal to?

- A)  $-6x - 5$
- B)  $6x + 5$
- C)  $6x - 5$
- D)  $6x^2 - 15x$

- 10] While preparing to run a marathon, Amelia created a training schedule in which the distance of her longest run every week increased by a constant amount. If Amelia's training schedule requires that her longest run in week 4 is a distance of 8 miles and her longest run in week 16 is a distance of 26 miles, which of the following best describes how the distance Amelia runs changes between week 4 and week 16 of her training schedule?

- A) Amelia increases the distance of her longest run by 0.5 miles each week.
- B) Amelia increases the distance of her longest run by 2 miles each week.
- C) Amelia increases the distance of her longest run by 2 miles every 3 weeks.
- D) Amelia increases the distance of her longest run by 1.5 miles each week.