

Lesson #2: Graphing Linear Relationships

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Learning Goal: We are learning to create a table of values from a linear equation and use that table to create a list of ordered pairs that can be plotted on a coordinate grid.

Once again, we will begin with some new vocabulary:

Independent Variable

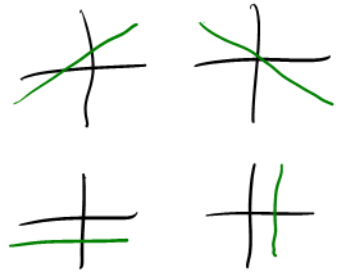
- ↳ a variable which acts as the input value in a relationship.
- ↳ it is the variable used to determine other information.
- ↳ the x-coordinate, x-axis

Dependent Variable

- ↳ a variable which changes based on an input value.
- ↳ the information you are trying to determine.
- ↳ y-coordinate / y-axis

Linear Relationship

A relationship between the dependent + independent variables which results in a straight line.

**Table of Values**

A table/chart used to organize the linear relationship.

The goal for today's lesson is to graph a linear relationship using this algorithm:

1. Rearrange the equation so it is dependent variable = everything else (or $y = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$)
2. Create a Table of Values and choose an appropriate set of x-coordinates.
3. Use that set and calculate the corresponding y-coordinates.
4. Create the point (x,y).
5. Plot the points.
6. Draw a line through the points (do not just connect them).

$$y = mx + b$$

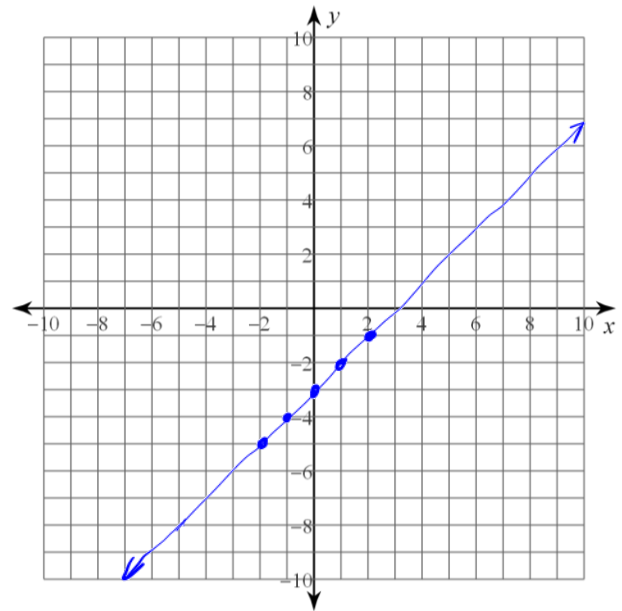
Your table of values should look like this:

x	y	(x,y)
Set of x-coordinates	Corresponding y-coordinates	Set of points to plot

Examples:

1. $y = x - 3$

x	$y = x - 3$	(x, y)
-2	$(-2) - 3 = -5$	$(-2, -5)$
-1	$(-1) - 3 = -4$	$(-1, -4)$
0	$(0) - 3 = -3$	$(0, -3)$
1	$(1) - 3 = -2$	$(1, -2)$
2	$(2) - 3 = -1$	$(2, -1)$

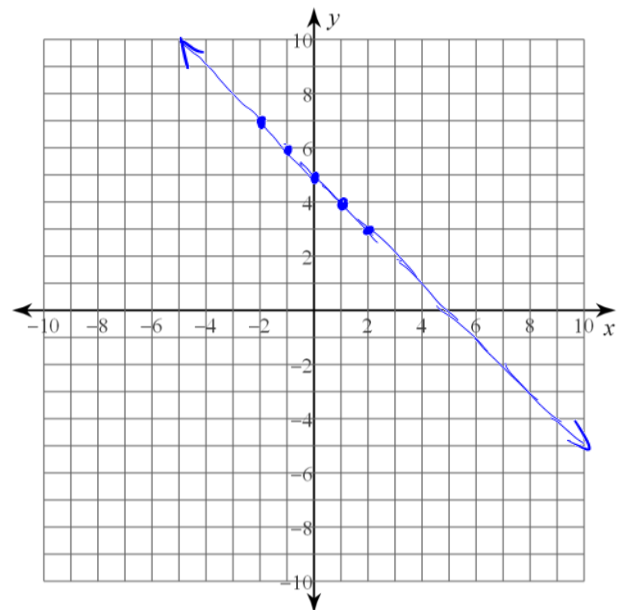


* If y is positive, leave it alone.

2. $x + y = 5$
 ~~$-x$~~ ~~$-x$~~

$y = 5 - x$

x	$y = 5 - x$	(x, y)
-2	$5 - (-2) = 7$	$(-2, 7)$
-1	$5 - (-1) = 6$	$(-1, 6)$
0	$5 - (0) = 5$	$(0, 5)$
1	$5 - (1) = 4$	$(1, 4)$
2	$5 - (2) = 3$	$(2, 3)$



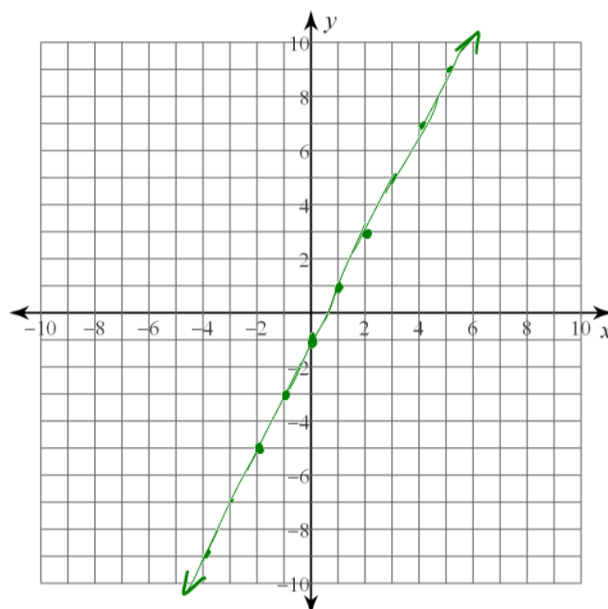
*If y is negative, move it! AND move the other stuff away.

3. $2x - y = 1$

$+y \quad +y$

$2x = 1 + y$
 $-1 \quad -1$

$2x - 1 = y$ OR $y = 2x - 1$



x	y = 2x - 1	(x, y)
-2	$2(-2) - 1 = -5$	$(-2, -5)$
-1	$2(-1) - 1 = -3$	$(-1, -3)$
0	$2(0) - 1 = -1$	$(0, -1)$
1	$2(1) - 1 = 1$	$(1, 1)$
2	$2(2) - 1 = 3$	$(2, 3)$

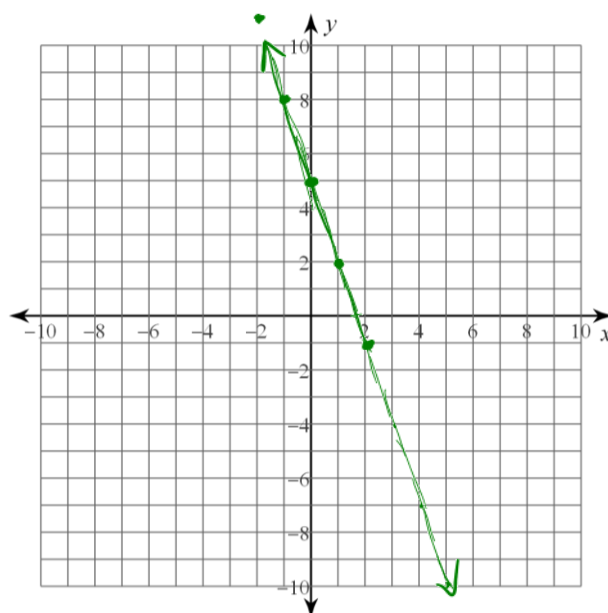
4. $6x + 2y - 10 = 0$

$-6x \quad -6x$

$2y - 10 = -6x$
 $+10 \quad +10$

$\frac{2y}{2} = \frac{-6x + 10}{2}$

$y = -3x + 5$

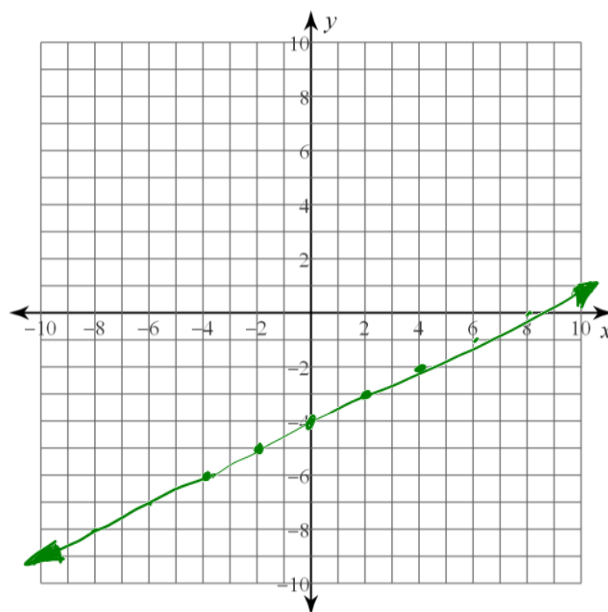


x	y = -3x + 5	(x, y)
-2	$-3(-2) + 5 = 11$	$(-2, 11)$
-1	$-3(-1) + 5 = 8$	$(-1, 8)$
0	$-3(0) + 5 = 5$	$(0, 5)$
1	$-3(1) + 5 = 2$	$(1, 2)$
2	$-3(2) + 5 = -1$	$(2, -1)$

If there is a fraction in front of the x , multiply $(-2, -1, 0, 1, 2)$ by the denominator. Use these as input values.

5. $y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$

x	$y = \frac{1}{2}x - 4$	(x, y)
-4	$\frac{1}{2}(-4) - 4 = -6$	$(-4, -6)$
-2	$\frac{1}{2}(-2) - 4 = -5$	$(-2, -5)$
0	$\frac{1}{2}(0) - 4 = -4$	$(0, -4)$
2	$\frac{1}{2}(2) - 4 = -3$	$(2, -3)$
4	$\frac{1}{2}(4) - 4 = -2$	$(4, -2)$



6. $3x - 4y = 12$

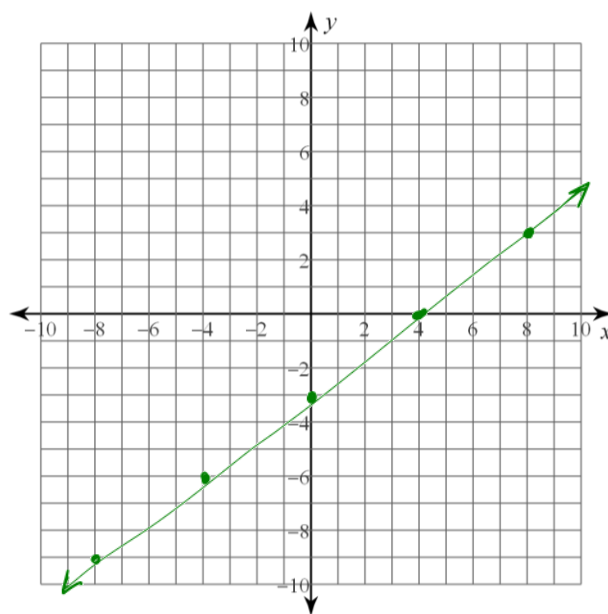
$+4y \quad +4y$

$3x = 12 + 4y$
 $-12 \quad -12$

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

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

x	$y = \frac{3}{4}x - 3$	(x, y)
-8	$(\frac{3}{4})(-8) - 3 = -9$	$(-8, -9)$
-4	$(\frac{3}{4})(-4) - 3 = -6$	$(-4, -6)$
0	$(\frac{3}{4})(0) - 3 = -3$	$(0, -3)$



Success Criteria:

- I can rearrange a linear equation so that the "dependent variable = everything else"
- I can create a table of values and choose an appropriate set of x coordinates.
- I can use those x -coordinates to generate a set of y -coordinates
- I can create ordered pairs from the sets of x and y coordinates and graph my ordered pairs on a coordinate grid

4	$(\frac{3}{4})(4) - 3 = 0$	$(4, 0)$
8	$(\frac{3}{4})(8) - 3 = 3$	$(8, 3)$