

Links to *Instructional Movies* that Help Students Review
99 Key Math Concepts for College Readiness Testing

Part I: Algebra

Algebraic Expressions

| # | Math Concept & Instructional COUNTDOWN movies | Sample Problem |
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| 1 | Evaluating an Expression Substitution Principle: Part 1 | <i>Find the value of: $x^2 + 5x + 2$ when $x = -2$</i> |
| 2 | Adding and Subtracting Monomials Matching Coefficients | <i>Find the value of $3x + 5x$ Find the value of $5x - 4x$</i> |
| 3 | Adding and Subtracting Polynomials Simplification 1 Simplification 2 | $4a + 4b + 4a + 2b - b$ |
| 4 | Multiplying Monomials Intro to Simplifying Fractions Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 1 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 2 | $4a \times 2a$ |
| 5 | Multiplying Binomials—FOIL Factoring Trinomials: Part 1 | $(x + 2)(x - 5)$ |
| 6 | Multiplying Other Polynomials | $(x^2 + 2x + 3)(x - 5)$ |

Factoring Algebraic Expressions

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| 7 | Factoring Out a Common Divisor Intro to Simplifying Algebraic Fractions Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 1 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 2 | $4x^2 + 8x + 24$ |
| 8 | Factoring the Difference of Squares Factoring: Difference of Two Squares | $a^2 - b^2$ |
| 9 | Factoring the Square of a Binomial Factoring Trinomials: Part 2 | $(a^2 + 2ab + b^2)$ |
| 10 | Factoring Other Polynomials-- Foil in Reverse Factoring Trinomials: Part 1 | $x^2 + 5x + 6$ |
| 11 | Simplifying an Algebraic Fraction Intro to Simplifying Algebraic Fractions Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 1 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Monomials Part 2 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Binomials Part 1 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Binomials Part 2 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Binomials Part 3 Simplifying Algebraic Fractions: Difference of Two Squares | $x^2 - x - 12 / x^2 - 9$ |

Solving Equation

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| 1 2 | Solving a Linear Equation Equation Basics Addition Property of Equality Using the Addition Property of Equality | $2x + 13 = -5x - 8$ |
| 1 3 | Solving "In Terms of" | $3a - 10b = -5a + 6b$ |
| 1 4 | Translating from English into Algebra Translating English to Algebra Countdown Challenge: The Language of Algebra | <i>Four less than twice the sum of x and 6.</i> |

Intermediate Algebra

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| 15 | Solving a Quadratic Equation Solving Quadratic Equations: Factoring | Solve for x: $x^2 - 7x + 12$ |
| 16 | Solving a System of Equations | $x + y + 3$ and $3x + 2y = 7$ |
| 17 | Solving an Equation that Includes Absolute Value Signs Absolute Value Equations: Part 1 Absolute Value Equations: Part 2 Graphing Absolute Value Equations Solving Absolute Value Equations: Part 1 Solving Absolute Value Equations: Part 2 Solving Absolute Value Equations: Part 3 | $ x - 12 = 4$ |
| 18 | Solving an Inequality Algebraic Intro to Inequalities Solution set: $x < -2$ and $x \geq 1$ Solution set: $-3 \leq x < 3$ Solving: $x + 4 > 6$ | $-3x - 1 > 4 + 2x$ |

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| 19 | <p>Graphing Inequalities</p> <p>Graphing Inequalities: Part 1</p> <p>Graphing Inequalities: Part 2</p> <p>Graphing Inequalities</p> | <i>Graph $x > 3$</i> |
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Coordinate Geometry

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| 20 | <p>Finding the Distance Between Two Points</p> <p>Pythagorean GPS Problem</p> <p>Pythagorean Baseball Problem</p> | <i>Find the distance between $A(-1, -2)$ and $B(2, -2)$.</i> |
| 21 | <p>Using Two Points to Find the Slope</p> <p>Distance Formula: Part 1</p> <p>Distance Formula: Part 2</p> | <i>Find the slope of the line that contains the points $C(3, 3)$ and $D(1, -1)$.</i> |
| 22 | <p>Using an Equation to Find the Slope</p> <p>Using $y=mx+b$: Runner 1</p> <p>Using $y=mx+b$: Runner 2</p> | <i>What is the slope of $y = 2x$?</i> |
| 23 | <p>Using an Equation to Find an Intercept</p> <p>Intro to Y Intercept & Slope</p> | <i>Find the y-intercept of $y = 2x + 1$</i> |
| 24 | <p>Equation for a Circle</p> <p>Graphs: Matching Labels, Formulas & Pictures</p> | <i>Write an equation for a circle.</i> |
| 25 | <p>Equation for a Parabola</p> <p>Parabola Basics</p> | <i>Write an equation for a parabola.</i> |
| 26 | <p>Equation for an Ellipse</p> | <i>Write an equation for an ellipse.</i> |