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Notes

Algebra Section 5.5

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Goal: "You will write equations of parallel and perpendicular lines"





## Vocabulary:

Parallel: Two lines are always the same \_\_\_\_\_\_ apart and will never \_\_\_\_\_

Parallel lines have the same \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Symbol:

Determine which lines, if any, are parallel. (put in slope-intercept form first)

1.

**a.** 
$$y = 5x - 3$$

**b.** 
$$x + 5y = 2$$

**c.** 
$$-10y - 2x = 0$$

**a.** 
$$y = -3x + 1$$

**b.** 
$$-x + 3y = 1$$
 **c.**  $2x - 6y = 4$ 

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**a.** 
$$-1.5y + 4.5x = 6$$

**b.** 
$$y = 3x - 8$$

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 **c.**  $2x + 6y = -3$ 

Write an Equation with the Given Information:

A line is parallel to y = 2x - 1 and has a y-intercept of -5

A line is parallel to  $y = -\frac{1}{3}x + 4$  and has a y-intercept of 2

## Write an Equation with the Given Information:

1) Passes through

$$(-3, -5)$$
 | to  $y = 3x - 1$ 

2) What do you know?

x= y= m= b=

- 3) Plug the known values into y = mx + b.
- 4) Solve for the unknown value.
- 5) Write the equation.

Plug in the values for m and b.

Leave *x* and *y* as variables.

**Try These:** Follow the steps above.

1) Passes through (-2, 11) | to y = -x + 5

2) Passes through (-3, 3) | | to y + 2x = 1