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Essential Question: What are transformations and how can we apply them to functions? Day 1

Do Now:

The function, f(x), is shown below. Determine the value of g(4), given that g(x) = 5f(x) + 1

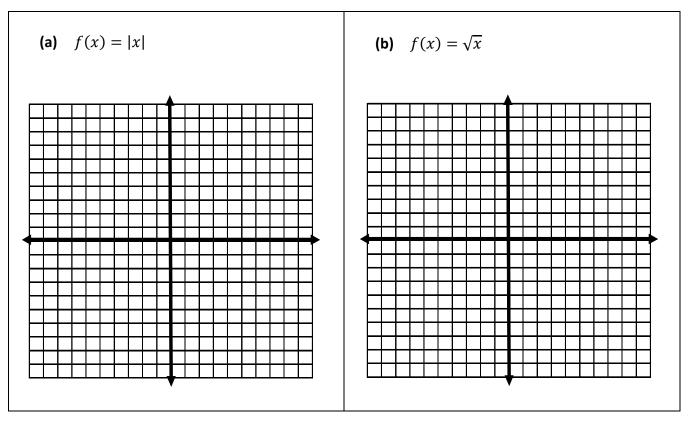
x	f(x)
2	-8
3	-1
4	3
5	7

Transformation: A mathematical process that applies a change to a *parent function* to produce another function with similar characteristics. Here are the parent functions we will be working with.

FUNCTION	f(x) = x	$f(x) = x^2$	$f(x) = \sqrt{x}$	$f(x) = x^3$	$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$
FUNCTION NAME					
GRAPH					
DOMAIN					
RANGE					
INCREASING					
DECREASING					
x- INTERCEPTS					
y-INTERCEPTS					
MAX/MIN					
END BEHAVIOR					

Today we are going to learn how to **TRANSLATE** functions. A translation is a horizontal or vertical shift. This happens when we add/subtract values to our given parent function.

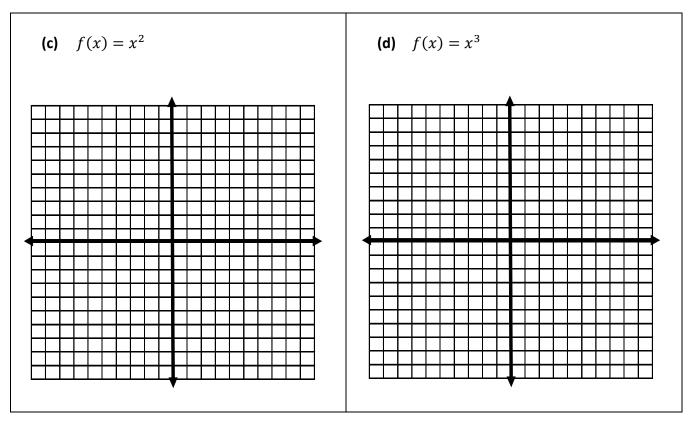
1. In the same coordinate plane, graph the parent function f(x) and the new functions y = f(x) + k for k = 3 and k = -4.



Use the results from above to describe the relationship between the graph of f(x) and the two new functions. Discuss some of the key concepts such as domain, range, intercepts, etc...

Function Notation	Type of transformation
f(x) - k	
f(x) + k	

2. In the same coordinate plane, graph the parent function f(x) and the new functions y = f(x + h) for h = 2 and h = -3.



Use the results from above to describe the relationship between the graph of f(x) and the two new functions.

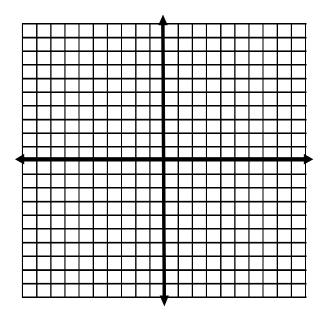
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f(x+h)	
f(x-h)	

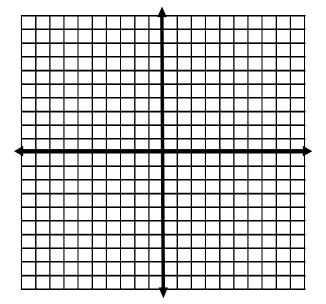
Practice Problem Set

- **1.** Given the function f(x) and (x) = f(x 5) + 6, describe the transformation.
- **2.** On the set of axes, graph both functions <u>without a table of values</u>. Use your knowledge of parent functions and transformations.

a)
$$f(x) = |x|$$
 and $g(x) = |x + 1| - 5$

b)
$$f(x) = \sqrt[3]{x}$$
 and $g(x) = \sqrt[3]{x} + 4$





- **3.** Using your knowledge of the parent function $f(x) = \sqrt{x}$, state the domain and range of a new function given by $g(x) = \sqrt{x-7} + 2$
- **4.** Using your knowledge of the parent function $f(x) = x^2$,
 - a. State the vertex
 - **b.** Given $g(x) = (x + 3)^2 1$, describe the transformation from the parent function
 - **c.** State the vertex of g(x)