

DAWSON COLLEGE  
MATHEMATICS DEPARTMENT

FINAL EXAMINATION  
Winter 2025

Remedial Activities for Secondary IV Mathematics  
201-016-RE

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Date: May 21, 2025

Time: 14:00 – 17:00

Instructions:

- Print your name, student ID number and section in the space provided above.
- All questions are to be answered directly on the examination paper.
- Only calculators SHARP EL-531 are permitted.
- Please show all your work clearly.
- Please justify all your answers.
- Your answers must be exact and simplified unless otherwise stated.

All questions are equally weighted.  
This exam must be returned intact.

1. Simplify  $\frac{x^2(2x^2y)^{-5}}{4x^6}$  with positive exponents only.

2. Expand and simplify:  $2x(2x - 5)^2 - 8(x^3 + 7x)$

3. Simplify  $\frac{4x^2+8x+3}{x^3-27} \div \frac{2x^2+14x+3x+21}{x^2+4x-21}$

4. Simplify  $\frac{x-2}{5x-35} + \frac{x}{x^2-49}$

5. Rationalize the denominator and simplify the expression:  $\frac{48}{\sqrt{12}-2}$

6. Solve for x:  $x = \sqrt{2x + 17} - 7$

7. The sum of 4 consecutive negative odd numbers is -136. Find the numbers.
8. The sum of two numbers is 6 and double their difference is 56. Find the numbers.

9. The sum of a number and double its square is 55. Find the number(s).

10. The sum of a number and double its reciprocal is  $\frac{33}{4}$ . Find the number(s).

11. Solve for  $x$ :  $7^{2x-7}49^{x+4} = 343$

12. Solve for  $x$ :  $7^{2x-7} = 344$ . Correct your answer to 4 decimal places.

13. Find the domain of  $f(x)$  and give the answer using inequalities and on the real number line:

$$f(x) = \sqrt{-7(3x - 5) + 11x - 9}$$

14. Find  $3f(2) + f(f(5))$  if

- a.  $f$  is defined as:

$x$	1	2	3	4	5
$f(x)$	-7	-1	9	5	3

- b.  $f(x) = x^2 - 7x$

15. Find the linear function  $f(x)$  if  $f(1) = -3$  and  $f(5) = 9$ .

Also, find  $f(10)$ .

16. Find  $(x, y)$  if the midpoint of  $(x, y)$  and  $(1, -3)$  is  $(2, 4)$ .

Also, find the distance between the points  $(1, -3)$  and  $(2, 4)$ .

17. Find the intercepts and vertex of  $f(x) = -x^2 + 4x$ . Also, find  $f(3)$ .  
Sketch  $f(x)$  and state its range.

y-intercept: \_\_\_\_\_

x-intercept(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Vertex: \_\_\_\_\_

$f(3)$ : \_\_\_\_\_

Range: \_\_\_\_\_



18. The height  $h$  in feet of a volleyball in a game,  $t$  seconds after it is released is given by

$$h(t) = 24 + 6t - 3t^2$$

- a. When does the volleyball reach its maximum height and what is its maximum height?
- b. When will the volleyball hit the ground?

19. Find the exact value of  $\tan 60^\circ + \csc 45^\circ + 8 \cos 30^\circ$

20. A ladder leaning against a wall makes an angle of  $50^\circ$  with the ground. If the ladder is 25 meters long, how far is the foot of the ladder from the wall? Correct your answer to 4 decimal places.

Answers:

1.  $\frac{1}{128x^{14}y^5}$

2.  $-40x^2 - 6x$

3.  $\frac{2x+1}{x^2+3x+9}$

4.  $\frac{x^2+10x-14}{5(x-7)(x+7)}$

5.  $12\sqrt{3} + 12$

6.  $x = -4$

7.  $-37, -35, -33, -31$

8.  $17, -11$

9.  $5, -\frac{11}{2}$

10.  $8, \frac{1}{4}$

11.  $x = \frac{1}{2}$

12.  $x = 5.001$

13.  $x \leq \frac{13}{5}$

14. a) 6      b) 140

15.  $y = 3x - 6, f(10) = 24$

16.  $(3, 11), 5\sqrt{2}$

17.  $y - \text{int}: (0, 0), x - \text{int}: (0, 0), (4, 0), \text{vertex}: (2, 4), \text{range}: y \leq 4, f(3) = 3$

18. a) The maximum height is 27 feet after 1 second.

b) 4 seconds

19.  $\sqrt{2} + 5\sqrt{3}$

20. 16.0691 meters

