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WORK IN PENCIL AND SHOW YOUR WORK!
Objective: Write equations from story problems in slope-intercept form Due: Sept $4^{\text {th }} /$ Sept $5^{\text {th }}$

1. The amount of money Joe the plumber charges is represented by the equation $\boldsymbol{C}=\mathbf{6 5 h}+\mathbf{1 0 0}$.
a. Define the two variables. $h=$ $\qquad$ $C=$ $\qquad$
b. What is the slope of the equation? $\qquad$ What does the slope represent in the context of the problem? $\qquad$
c. What is the $y$-intercept? $\qquad$ What does it represent in the story? $\qquad$
d. If you were to hire Joe and he worked for 11 hours, how much would you owe him? $\qquad$
e. If Joe said that he made $\$ 620$ on a job, how many hours did he work? $\qquad$
f. Complete the table and define your variables.

| $h:$ | $C:$ |
| :---: | :--- |
| 0 |  |
| 2 |  |
| 3 |  |
| $\mathbf{1 1}$ |  |

2. Laura lights a candle. The height of the candle is 6 " and each hour that it burns it goes down by $1 / 2$ ".
a. What is the slope of the equation representing the height of the candle? $\qquad$
b. What does the slope represent in the context of the problem? $\qquad$
c. What is the $y$-intercept? $\qquad$ What does it represent in the story? $\qquad$
d. Define your variables: $\qquad$
e. What is the x-intercept? $\qquad$ What does it represent in the story? $\qquad$
f. How many hours will the candle burn before it is gone? $\qquad$ .
g. If the height of the candle is 2.75 ", how long has the candle burned? $\qquad$
h. Make a table that fits this situation.

| Hours |  |
| :---: | :---: |
|  | 0 |
| 0 |  |
|  |  |
|  |  |

3. Barbara earns money and deposits $\$ 50$ into a savings account. The bank pays her $7 \%$ annual interest each year that she keeps the money in the account.
a. What is the $y$-intercept of the equation? $\qquad$
b. What does the y-intercept represent in the context of the problem? $\qquad$
c. What is the slope of the equation? $\qquad$
d. What does the slope represent in the context of the problem? $\qquad$
e. Define your variables: $\qquad$
f. Write an equation to represent the story
g. If she saves all of the money in her account for the next four years, how much will she have? $\qquad$
4. Ricardo is draining his pool for the winter. There are $\mathbf{2 4 0}$ gallons in the pool and it is drains out $\mathbf{6 0}$ gallons in 2 hours.
a. What is the slope of the equation representing Ricardo draining his pool? $\qquad$
b. What does the slope represent in the context of the problem? $\qquad$
c. Define your variables: $\qquad$
d. Write an equation to represent the story
e. How many hours will it take him to drain the pool? $\qquad$ . On a graph, where do you see this?
f. How many hours has he been draining the pool if there are 150 gallons left? $\qquad$
g. Make a table that fits this situation
h. Graph
(Don't forget to label the axis and scale)

5. Kristina is running the freshman class fundraiser. They are selling VHMS key
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a. What is the slope? $\qquad$ What does it represent in the context of the problem?
b. What's the y-intercept? $\qquad$ What does it represent in the story? $\qquad$
c. Define your variables $\qquad$
d. Write an equation to represent the story
e. If her goal is to raise $\$ 500$, how many key chains must she sell? $\qquad$
f. If she sells 58 key chains, how much money will she earn? $\qquad$
h. List at least 3 data points that would fit the situation.
i. Describe how to choose the scale for your axes for your graph.
j. Graph (label and scale)


## List the slope and intercepts:

6. $6 y=2 x+9$
7. $20 x+5 y=5$
8. $4 x-3 y=12$

Slope: $\qquad$
$y$-intercept: $\qquad$
x -intercept: $\qquad$
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x-intercept:
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