

Converting Linear Equations

Q: What are the 2 forms that we have learned?

Point slope & slope intercept form

Converting

Point slope $\rightarrow$ Slope intercept

USE ALGEBRA!!

Ex 1: Convert $y - 3 = 2(x + 1) + 1$ into slope intercept form.

GOAL: $y = mx + b$
y-alone! #s and variables separate

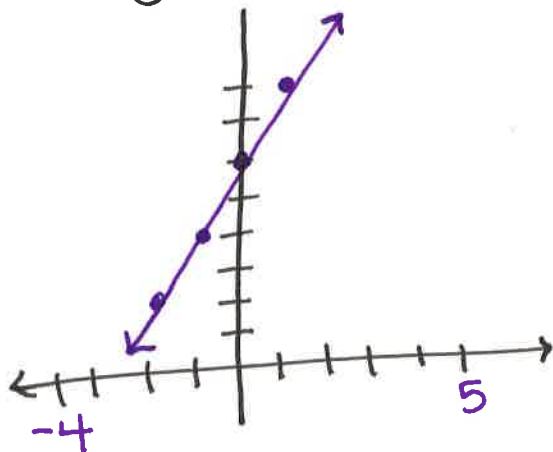
$$\begin{aligned} y - 3 &= 2(x + 1) + 1 \\ y - 3 &= 2x + 2 + 1 \\ y - 3 &= 2x + 3 \\ +3 &\quad +3 \end{aligned}$$

Slope Intercept $\rightarrow y = 2x + 6$

* What is the slope & y-intercept?

$m = 2$ $y\text{-int}:$

* Sketch a graph



yt) convert $y+2 = -3(x-4)$ to slope intercept form.

$$y+2 = -3(x-4)$$

$$y+2 = -3x + 12$$

$$\underline{y = -3x + 10}$$

Ex 2: A line passes through the points $(-2, -10)$ & $(3, 5)$

a) write an equation in point slope form.

$$m = \frac{5 - (-10)}{3 - (-2)} = \frac{15}{5} = 3$$

$$y - 5 = 3(x - 3)$$

or

$$y + 10 = 3(x + 2)$$

b) convert your equation in slope intercept.

$$y - 5 = 3(x - 3)$$

$$y - 5 = 3x - 9$$

$$\underline{y = 3x - 4}$$

yt) A caterer charges \$120 to cater a party for 15 people & \$200 for 25 people. write an equation in slope intercept form.

$$m = \frac{200 - 120}{25 - 15} = 8$$

$(15, 120)$
 $(25, 200)$

Tip! Writing it in point slope first could be helpful ☺

$$y - 200 = 8(x - 25)$$

$$y - 200 = 8x - 200$$

$$\underline{y = 8x}$$