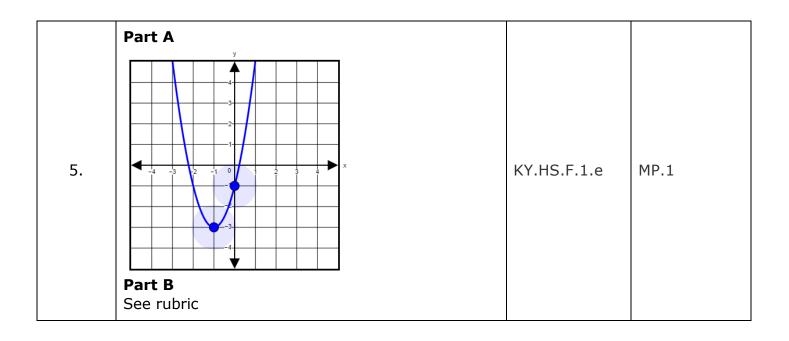


Practice Test Answer and Alignment Document Mathematics – Grade 10

Part A

Item Number	Answer Key	Kentucky Academic Standard	Mathematical Practices
1.	D	KY.HS.N.2	MP.8
2.	y -4 -3 -2 1 0 1 2 3 4 × -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -1 -	KY.HS.F.4.a	MP.4, MP.5
3.	See rubric	KY.HS.F.7.a	MP.4, MP.5
4.	x	KY.HS.A.25.b	MP.6



Part B

Item Number	Answer Key	Kentucky Academic Standard	Mathematical Practices
1.	Kim's equation would be most appropriate to use to predict a population of 14,745 people in a town with an area of 7.2 square kilometers.	KY.HS.SP.6.a	MP.2, MP.8
2.	C, E	KY.HS.G.6	MP.1
3.	See rubric	KY.HS.F.5.a	MP.2
4.	0.3 or equivalent number	KY.HS.SP.8.a	MP.5
5.	$x = \frac{3+\sqrt{189}}{10}$ and $x = \frac{3-\sqrt{189}}{10}$ or equivalent numbers	KY.HS.A.19.a	MP.7
6.	See rubric	KY.HS.F.3.a	MP.2, MP.4
7.	D	KY.HS.F.3.a	MP.2

Rubrics

Part A #3		
Rubric		
Score Point 2	Student demonstrates a complete understanding of using the formula for an arithmetic sequence to model a situation.	
Score Point 1	Student demonstrates a partial understanding of using the formula for an arithmetic sequence to model a situation.	
Score Point 0	Student response is insufficient to demonstrate a grade-appropriate, relevant understanding of the task.	
Score Points	 Score 2 points: Correct formula with a complete explanation. Score 1 point: Correct formula with a partial explanation. OR Explanation indicates a partial understanding of using the formula for an arithmetic sequence to generate terms. 	
Correct Answer	The sequence increases by 3 from one term to the next. I determined this by finding the rate of change. $\frac{23-2}{8-1} = \frac{21}{7} = 3$ Then I used the formula $a_n = a_1 + (n-1)d$ to write an equation that could be used to find the n th term of the arithmetic sequence. The initial value, a_1 , is 2. The common difference, d , is 3. $a_n = 2 + 3(n-1)$ Note: • Other valid explanations are acceptable. • Equivalent equations are acceptable. • Variable substitution is allowed.	

Part A #5			
Rubric			
The total item score	The total item score is the sum of points awarded in the Machine-scored and Human-scored parts. Machine Scoring		
Score Point 1	Part A		
	Student response is the correct graph of $f(x)$, with the vertex at $(-1,-3)$.		
Score Point 0	Student response is incorrect.		
	Human Scoring		
Score Point 3	Student scores a total of 3 points.		
Score Point 2 Score Point 1	Student response is incorrect. Student demonstrates a minimal understanding of comparing the properties of two functions, each represented in a		
Score Point 1	different way.		
Score Point 0	Student response is insufficient to demonstrate a grade-appropriate, relevant understanding of the task.		
Score Points	Score 3 points: Complete explanations of how the two functions compare using their values. Complete explanation of how the minima compare using their values with a partial explanation of how the widths compare. OR Complete explanation of how the widths compare using their values with a partial explanation of how the minima compare. Score 1 point: Partial explanation of how the minima compare using their values with a partial explanation of how the widths compare. OR Only one of the explanations is complete. OR Partial explanation of how the minima compare using their values with a minimal explanation of how the widths compare. OR Partial explanation of how the widths compare using their values with a minimal explanation of how the minima compare. OR Explanations of how the two functions compare with no references to their values.		
Correct Answer	Part B The minimum of $f(x)$ is $(-1,-3)$ and is located below the minimum of $g(x)$ which is $(1, 2)$. The width of is $f(x)$ represented by the value of 2, and the width of $g(x)$ is represented by the value of 1. Function $g(x)$ is wider than $f(x)$ because the lesser the value of a the wider the shape of the parabola.		

Part B #3		
Rubric		
Score Point 4	Student scores 4 points.	
Score Point 3	Student scores 3 or 3.5 points.	
Score Point 2	Student scores 2 or 2.5 points.	
Score Point 1	Student scores 0.5, 1, or 1.5 points. OR Student demonstrates a minimal understanding of identifying zeros and extreme values of the graph within the context of a quadratic function.	
Score Point 0	Student response is insufficient to demonstrate a grade-appropriate, relevant understanding of the task.	
Score Points	Part A Score 2 points:	
Correct Answer	Part A The maximum value of $P(x)$ is the vertex located at (3, 225) on its graph. The point represents the price that would yield the maximum weekly profit. The price of \$3 will yield a maximum weekly profit of \$225. Part B The prices that would make the weekly profit \$0 are \$0 and \$6 because the zeros of the function are: $0 = -25x^2 + 150x$ $0 = -25x(x - 6)$ $0 = -25x \text{ and } 0 = x - 6$ $0 = x \text{ and } 6 = x$	

	Part B #6			
	Rubric			
Score Point 2	Student demonstrates a complete understanding of calculating and interpreting the average rate of change of a function presented as a table over a specified interval.			
Score Point 1	Student demonstrates a partial understanding of calculating and interpreting the average rate of change of a function presented as a table over a specified interval.			
Score Point 0	Student response is insufficient to demonstrate a grade-appropriate, relevant understanding of the task.			
Score Points	 Score 2 points: Correct value and interpretation. Score 1 point: Correct value. OR Correct interpretation. 			
Correct Answer	The average rate of change is $\frac{2}{7}$. The plant's height increases at an average rate of $\frac{2}{7}$ centimeters per day. NOTE: Other reasonable interpretations of the average rate of change are acceptable.			