Base Plotting Functions

- plot: make a scatterplot, or other type of plot depending on the class of the object being plotted
- lines: add lines to a plot, given a vector x values and a corresponding vector of y values (or a 2column matrix); this function just connects the dots
- points: add points to a plot
- text: add text labels to a plot using specified x, y coordinates
- title: add annotations to x, y axis labels, title, subtitle, outer margin
- mtext: add arbitrary text to the margins (inner or outer) of the plot
- axis: adding axis ticks/labels