



**CHURCHLANDS SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL**  
**MATHEMATICS SPECIALIST 3, 4 TEST TWO 2017**  
**Non Calculator**  
**Chapters 3, 4,**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Time: 40minutes

Total: 41 marks

1. [ 8 marks: 1,1,2,2,2]

Given that  $f(x) = \frac{1}{x+2}$  and  $g(x) = x - 5$

a) State the natural domain of  $g$ .

b) Explain clearly why the domain for  $g$  has to be restricted if  $f \circ g$  is to be a function.

c) State the largest possible domain for  $f \circ g$  and the corresponding range.

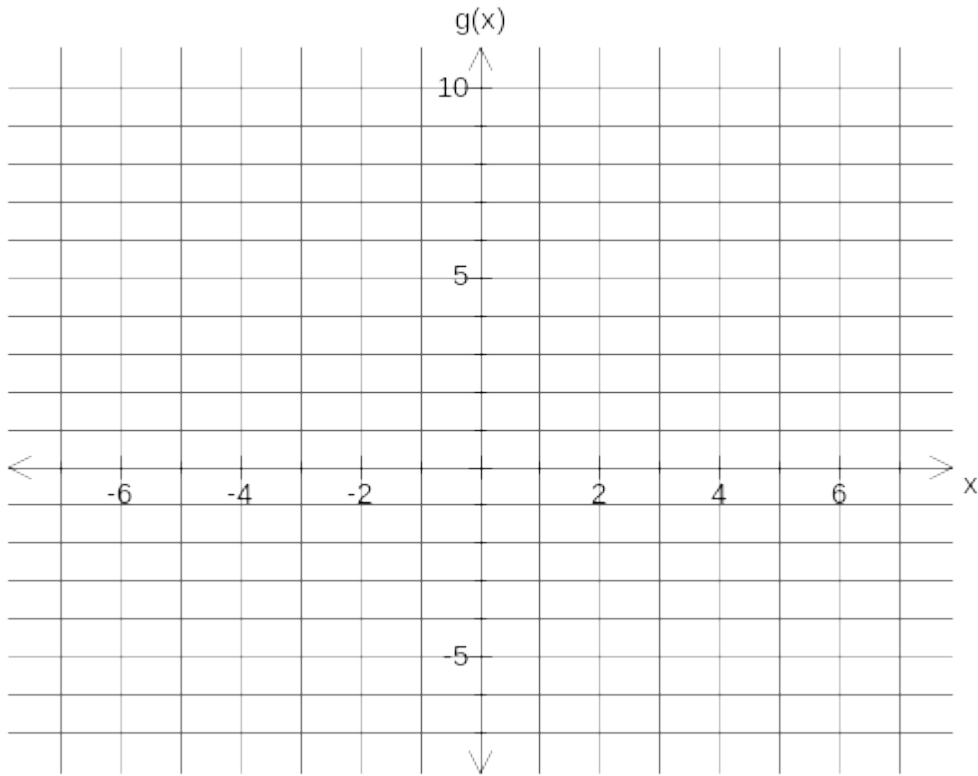
d) Evaluate  $g \circ f\left(\frac{-5}{2}\right)$ .

e) Express in simplest form  $f \circ f(x)$ .

2.[11 marks:2,1,3,2,1,2]

$$g(x) = x^2 + 6x + 7 \text{ for } x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

a) Sketch the graph of  $g$  on the axes provided.



b) Explain why  $g(x)$  has an inverse function  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

c) Find algebraically, a formula for  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

d) Sketch the graph of  $g^{-1}(x)$  on the same axes as  $g(x)$  above.

e) Find the range of  $g(x)$ .

f) Find the domain and range of  $g^{-1}(x)$ .

3.[12 marks:2,1,2,2,5]

Consider the curve with equation  $y = \frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2 + x - 6}$

a) State the equation of all asymptotes.

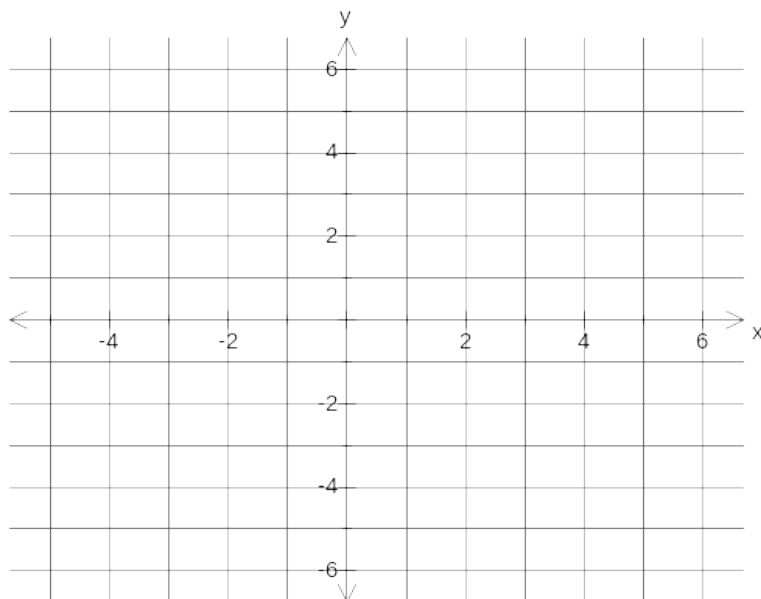
b) Identify the point of discontinuity on this curve.

c) State the x and y intercepts

d) i) State the limit as  $x \rightarrow +\infty$

ii) State the limit as  $x \rightarrow -\infty$

e) Sketch the curve on the axes provided highlighting all the main features clearly.



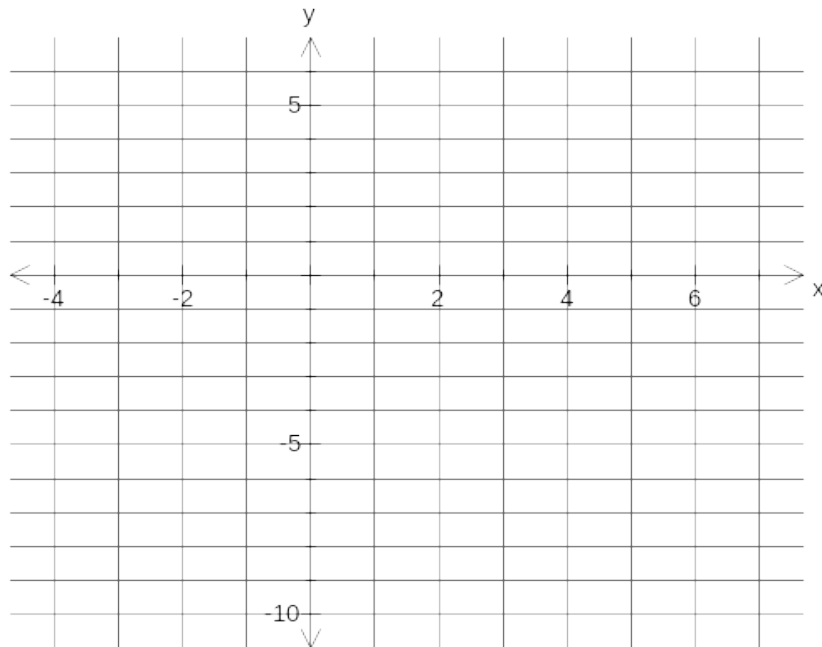
4.[7 marks:3,3]

a) On the axes provided neatly sketch the graph of  $y = x^2 - 2x - 8$ .

Clearly indicate the i) xintercepts

ii) the yintercept

iii) the coordinates of the turning point.



b) Use your previous graph to help you draw the graph of  $y = \frac{1}{x^2 - 2x - 8}$  on the same set of axes.

Clearly indicate any asymptotes, turning points, intersection with axes and behaviour as  $x \rightarrow \pm \infty$ .

5. [3 marks]

The equation  $|x - 4| = |2x + k|$  has exactly two solutions  $x = -5$  and  $x = 1$ .

Find the value(s) of  $k$ .



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Time: 15 minutes

Total: 14 marks

1. [9 marks: 2,1,2,4]

The position vectors of A and B,  $t$  hours after 10 am are  $r = -4i - 4j + t(2i + 3j)$  and  $r = 3i + 10j + t(ai + j)$  respectively.

a) Find the vector **AB**  $t$  hours after 10 am.

b) Find in terms of  $a$  and  $t$ , the distance between A and B,  $t$  hours after 10 am.

c) Explain why when collision between A and B occurs,  $AB = 0i + 0j$ .

d) Find the value of  $a$  if the two particles never collide.

2. [ 5 marks]

Find the parametric and hence the Cartesian equation of the line perpendicular to the vector  $3i - 7j$  and passing through the point  $(-9, 12)$ .

4. [7 marks:2,2,3]

Solve the following

a)  $|x-8|\geq 3$

b)  $|x+3|=5x-1$

c)  $|x-5|\leq |3x+1|$

5. [ 4 marks]

Given that  $f(x)=3x+7$  and  $(f(x))=9x^2+42x+50$  , find  $g(x)$ .