

## POLYNOMIAL FUNCTIONS

$$d = an!$$

- where  $d$  is the common  $n$ 'th degree differences,  $a$  is the leading coefficient, and  $n$  is the degree of the function
- subbing in  $-x$  in order to check if a function is even or odd
- calculating  $n$ 'th degree differences
  - always compare to the past
- the above is even as all the exponents are even

## POLYNOMIAL EQUATIONS AND INEQUALITIES

$$3x^3 - 7x + 1 \overline{) -6x^5 + 3x^4 + 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 2 - 6}$$

- long division
$$\frac{-6x^5 + 3x^4 + 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 2 - 6}{3x^3 - 7x + 1} = -2x^2 + x - 4 \frac{-2}{2x^3 - 7x + 1}$$
- quotient form
$$-6x^5 + 3x^4 + 2x^3 - 9x^2 + 2 - 6 = (-2x^2 + x - 4)(2x^3 - 7x + 1) - 2$$
- factored form
- remainder theorem

when polynomial function  $P(x)$  is divided by  $x - b$ , the remainder is  $P(b)$

$$\frac{\text{dividend}}{\text{divisor}} = \text{quotient}$$

- nomenclature

$$a^3 + b^3 = (a + b)(a^2 - ab + b^2)$$

- difference of cubes

SOAP(same, opposite, always positive)

- Application of polynomial equations / inequalities

# RATIONAL FUNCTIONS

- speed bump = unfactorable bottom
- oblique = top is divisible by bottom
- horizontal asymptote is highest bottom term coefficient dividing top coefficient of same degree
- Work solving equations and inequalities (especially expanding and solving)
- inequalities solution format

# TRIGONOMETRY

- exact values
- rationalizing denominator
- trig identities equations
- arc length formula

# TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

- graphing inverse trig functions
- graphing sine + cosine waves
- solving for quadrants
- practical application

# LOGARITHMS

- Graphing Logs
- logs  $\Leftrightarrow$  exponents

$$\log_3 37 = \frac{\log_{10} 37}{\log_{10} 3}$$

- base swap rule
- solving logs for x
- solving  $a^x + b + c^{-x}$
- quadratics and Logs