Math 9
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Student Self-Assessment

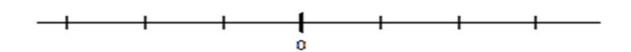
Please fill in the following <u>after</u> completing the practice test and looking at the correct solutions.

Learning Outcomes		Practice Questions	I get all of it	I get it, but made some errors	I get only some of it	I don't get it at all
А3	Demonstrate an understanding of rational numbers by: comparing and ordering rational numbers and solving problems that involve arithmetic operations on rational numbers.	#1-6				
A4	Explain and apply the order of operations with and without technology.	#7-9				

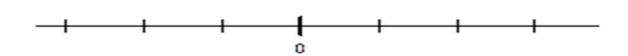
What do you need to work on? What is your plan to ensure you will be successful come test day?						

1. Order these rational numbers from **least to greatest**, and place them on a number line.

$$-\frac{7}{3}$$
 1.7 $\frac{16}{9}$ -0.45 $\frac{1}{3}$ -2.1



2. a) Identify **two rational numbers** that are between -1.2 and $-1\frac{3}{5}$, and place them on a number line.



b) Why are -1.2 and $-1\frac{3}{5}$ rational numbers?

3. Find the sum or difference. Please show all work.

a)
$$\frac{4}{5} + \left(-\frac{3}{10}\right)$$

b)
$$-7.8 + 0.4$$

d)
$$\left(-4\frac{2}{3}\right) - 1\frac{1}{2}$$

4. Find the product or quotient. Please show all work.

a)
$$\left(-4\frac{2}{3}\right) \times 1\frac{5}{7}$$

b)
$$8.7 \times (-2.1)$$

c)
$$(-3.2) \div (-0.5)$$

d)
$$\left(-2\frac{3}{4}\right) \div \frac{1}{3}$$

5. A baker has a cupcake recipe that calls for $2\frac{1}{4}$ cups of flour. He needs to **triple** the recipe. How many cups of flour will he need? Show your work clearly.

6. A carpenter has $16\frac{1}{2}$ feet of baseboard material. If he cuts off 5 pieces, each with length $3\frac{1}{4}$ feet, how much material is left? Show your work clearly.

7. Evaluate each expression. Please show all work.

a)
$$-3.1 + 4.5 \times (-2.9) - 7.2 \div (-3)$$

b)
$$\frac{1}{2} + \left(-\frac{3}{4}\right) \div \left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)$$

8. Both Amanda and Emilee evaluated the expression below. Amanda's answer was 40.8 and Emilee's answer was 54.6. Who is correct? Please show your work.

$$2.3 + (-11.2) \div (-0.2) - 3.7$$

9. Indicate where the student first went wrong for each question below. Show the correct solution that leads to a correct answer. Please show all of your work clearly.

	(12)
	a) (-3.7) × (-2.8 + 1.5) - 4.8 ÷ (-1.2)
	$= (-3.7) \times (1.3) - 4.8 \div (-1.2)$
	=-4.81 - 4.8 ÷ (-1.2)
_	=-9.61 ÷ (-1.2)
	= 8.0083
	b) $-\frac{3}{8} - \frac{4}{5} \times \frac{3}{10} \div \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$
	$= -\frac{15}{40} - \frac{32}{40} \times \frac{3}{10} \div \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$
r	$=-\frac{47}{40}\times\frac{3}{10}\div\left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$
r	$=-\frac{141}{400} \div \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$
1	$=-\frac{141}{400}\times\left(-\frac{5}{4}\right)$
t	$=\frac{(-141)\times(-5)}{400\times4}$
1	$=\frac{705}{1600}$
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Answers to Chapter 3 Practice Test

1.
$$-\frac{7}{3}$$
, -2.1, -0.45, $\frac{1}{3}$, 1.7, $\frac{16}{9}$

- 2. a) Since $-1\frac{3}{5} = -1\frac{6}{10} = -1.6$, any two rational numbers between -1.6 and -1.2would be correct. For example, -1.5 and -1.4.
 - b) They can both be written as the ratio of two numbers (i.e. as fractions): $-1.2 = -\frac{12}{10}$ and $-1\frac{3}{5} = -\frac{8}{5}$
- 3. a) $\frac{1}{2}$ b) -7.4 c) -1.3 d) $-6\frac{1}{6}$

- 4. a) -8 b) -18.27 c) 6.4 d) $-8\frac{1}{4}$
- 5. $6\frac{3}{4}$ cups of flour
- 6. $\frac{1}{4}$ ft
- 7. a) -13.75 b) $3\frac{1}{2}$
- 8. Emilee is correct.
- 9. a) The sign of the answer to the first step, (-2.8 + 1.5), is incorrect. Later on, the student subtracts before doing the division first. Correct answer: 8.81.
 - b) The student subtracts before doing the multiplication first. Correct answer: $-\frac{3}{40}$