



BASIC ALGEBRA ASSESSMENT SAMPLE

You have up to 1 hour to complete this assessment. You may use a calculator.

PART A

1. Simplify: $3x^2 + 5x - 2x^2 + 7x - 4$

2. Simplify: $(2x + 3)(x - 4)$

- a) $3x^2 + 5x - 2x^2 + 7x - 4$
- b) $(2x + 3)(x - 4)$

3. Simplify: $\frac{3x^2 + 6x + 3}{x^2 - 9}$

- a) $3 > -2$
- b) $0 - 5 = -5$
- c) $5 < -1$
- d) $-7 = 7$

4. Simplify: $\frac{3}{4} + \frac{2}{3}$

- a) $3 \frac{3}{4}$
- b) $\frac{4}{9}$
- c) $\frac{15}{4}$
- d) $\frac{4}{15}$

5. Simplify: $0^5 \cdot \frac{5}{0} + \frac{0}{5}$

- a) 0^5
- b) $\frac{5}{0}$
- c) $\frac{0}{5}$
- d) $\frac{0}{5}$

6. Simplify: $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}$

$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{6}$

PART B

1. $-7 = 7$

2. $(-2)^2 = 4$

3. $\frac{10(3)}{15} = 2$

4. Simplify: $\frac{3x^2 + 6x + 3}{x^2 - 9}$

5. Simplify: $\frac{3x^2 + 6x + 3}{x^2 - 9}$

6. Simplify: $\frac{3x^2 + 6x + 3}{x^2 - 9}$

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5. $\frac{x}{3} = \frac{12}{18}$

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