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Which of the following is NOT a characteristic of an arithmetic sequence?
○ Constant common difference
○ Linear pattern
Predictable next term
Exponential growth
What is the sum of the first 5 terms of the arithmetic sequence 2, 5, 8, 11, 14?
○ 35
○ 45
○ 50
If the first term of an arithmetic sequence is 10 and the common difference is -2, what is the 4th term?
0 4
○ 8
○ 10
○ 6
What is the 5th term of the arithmetic sequence where the first term is 2 and the common difference is 3?
○ 11
○ 13
○ 14
○ 12
What is the common difference in the arithmetic sequence 3, 7, 11, 15?
○ 2

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○ 5	
○ 3	
Given the sequence 4, 9, 14, 19, write the formula for the nth term and explain your reasoning.	
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f the sum of the first 10 terms of an arithmetic sequence is 150, and the first term is 5, find the common difference. Show your work.	
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low does changing the common difference affect the terms of an arithmetic sequence? Provide a example.	an
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Discuss the differences between arithmetic and geometric sequences, providing examples of each.



Which of the following sequences are arithmetic sequences? (Select all that apply)
 ☐ 3, 6, 9, 12 ☐ 10, 7, 4, 1 ☐ 1, 3, 6, 10 ☐ 2, 4, 8, 16
What are the possible characteristics of an arithmetic sequence? (Select all that apply)
 □ A constant ratio between terms □ Linear graph representation □ Exponential growth □ A constant difference between terms
If the nth term of an arithmetic sequence is given by $a_n = 5n - 3$, what is the first term?
○ 2○ 5○ 8○ 3
Which of the following are true about the common difference in an arithmetic sequence? (Select all that apply)
 ☐ It can be negative ☐ It determines the rate of change ☐ It is the same between any two consecutive terms ☐ It is always positive

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Explain how you would determine if a given sequence is arithmetic.



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Which sequences can be considered arithmetic sequences? (Select all that apply)	
5, 10, 15, 20	
7, 14, 21, 28	
□ 9, 7, 5, 3	
☐ 1, 2, 4, 8	
Describe a real-world scenario where an arithmetic sequence might be used and explain why	it is
appropriate.	
Which formula represents the nth term of an arithmetic sequence?	
\bigcirc a_n = a_1 * D^(n-1)	
○ a_n = a_1 + n * D	
○ a_n = a_1 - (n-1) * D	
\bigcirc a_n = a_1 + (n-1) * D	
Which formulas can be used to find the sum of an arithmetic sequence? (Select all that apply)
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S_n = n/2 * (2a_1 + (n-1) * D)	
$S_n = n * a_1 + n(n-1)/2 * D$	

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In which scenarios can arithmetic sequences be applied? (Select all that apply)



☐ Calculating loan payments
☐ Scheduling regular events
☐ Determining the sum of a series of even numbers
☐ Predictin population growth
Which of the following sequences is an arithmetic sequence?
Which of the following sequences is an arithmetic sequence? 2, 4, 8, 16
○ 2, 4, 8, 16
○ 2, 4, 8, 16 ○ 1, 4, 9, 16