PBA Scoring Guide: Module 1 Moving up Moving Out
The chart below offers guidance for scoring the PBA. If there is a right answer, it is provided below. Additionally, if there are answers that rely upon interpretation with student justification, that guidance is also provided. It is essential that a tutor/evaluator carefully evaluate all student responses to ensure accurate/reasonable answers. Responses should demonstrate satisfactory performance of the related Eligible Content.


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| 1.To better understand the cost of each <br> apartment, you must write an equation in <br> slope intercept form that represents the total <br> cost of each in terms of $x$ and $y$. | Meach Street: $\mathrm{y}=100 \mathrm{x}+500$ |
| Activity 4: How do they compare? |  |
| 1.Graph the system of equations from Activity 3 <br> on a coordinate plane and label each line. | Answers will vary based on scale. |



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| 3. You are not sure if you found the point of intersection correctly so you decide to verify that your answer is correct by solving a system of equations from Activity 3 using the elimination or substitution method. | $\begin{aligned} & 900 x+2300=1000 x+500 \\ & 1800=100 x \\ & 18=x \\ & y=900(18)+2300 \\ & y=18,500 \end{aligned}$ |
| 4. What does the point of intersection represent when considering the cost of each apartment? | Regardless of which apartment you rent, you will spend $\$ 18,500$ by the time you have rented the apartment for 18 months. |
| Activity 5: Which place will you choose? |  |
| 1. What is the total cost of each apartment at the end of three months? | Blueberry Street: $\mathrm{y}=3900$ <br> Mango Street: $\quad y=5000$ <br> Peach Street: $\quad y=3500$ |
| 2. When (in months) will the cost of Blueberry and Peach Street apartments be the same? | $\begin{aligned} & 800 x+1500=1000 x+500 \\ & 1000=200 x \\ & 5=x \end{aligned}$ |
| 3. Which apartment do you want to rent? | If you rent for 0-5 months, Peach Street is the most cost effective; if you rent for more than 5 months, Blueberry Street is the most cost effective. |
| Task 2: How much money do you need? |  |
| Activity 1: Keep it linear! |  |
| 1. In order to determine if you will earn enough money, write an inequality to show how many | $8.25 \geq 100+225$ |


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| hours ( x ) you have to work per month to pay <br> the rent and utilities. |  |
| 1. What is the minimum number of hours you Guidance <br> have to work per month to pay these bills? | 149 hours |
| Activity 2: Create a system! | $\mathrm{x}+\mathrm{y} \leq 172$ |
| 1. Using the information above, write an <br> inequality for total hours worked in a month. <br> Using the information above, write an <br> inequality for total amount earned in a <br> month. | $1475 \leq 8.25 \mathrm{x}+9 \mathrm{y}$ |
| Activity 3: Graph it! |  |


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| 1. Graph the system of inequalities from Activity 2 on a coordinate plane and label each line. |  <br> Answers will vary based on scale used. |
| 2. Estimate the ordered pair where the lines intersect and explain what this intersection represents in the space below. | Answers will vary depending on graph, near $(97,75)$. <br> 98 hours a month at $\$ 8.25$ <br> 74 hours at $\$ 9.00$ |
| 3. What is a possible solution for this system of inequalities and what does this ordered pair represent? Place your answer in the space below. | Anything that is within the region. |


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| 4. How many yours would you work at each job per week? Justify your answer in the space below. | 1475/9 $=163.88$ hours a month <br> $163.88 / 4.3$ = 38.11 hours a month, 39 hours a week at $\$ 9$ per hour. |
| Task 3: How big is my new place? |  |
| Activity 1: How much space in your place? |  |
| 1. Factor the trinomial to find the length and width of the room represented as binomial expressions. | $a=x+6$ |
| 2. Now that you have calculated the length of the bedroom/living room wall and the length of the living room/dining room (represented by the polynomial $2 \times 3-11 \times 2-16$ ), find the area of this space and simplify your answer. | $\begin{aligned} & \left(2 x^{3}-11 x^{2}-16\right)(x+6) \\ & 2 x^{4}-x^{3}-66 x^{2}-16 x-96 \end{aligned}$ |
| 3. Using the dimensions that were given and the dimensions you calculated, find the perimeter of the entire apartment as a simplified polynomial. | $4 x^{3}-22 x^{2}+10 x-28$ |
| Activity 2: Time to remodel! |  |
| 1. If $x=6$, what is the square footage of the living room? | 240 square feet |


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| 2. Carpeting is typically sold in square yards. Approximately how many square yards of carpet do you need to buy to replace the flooring in your new living room? | 27 square yards |  |  |
| Activity 3: Let's paint! |  |  |  |
| 1. If $x=6 \mathrm{ft}$. and the height of the walls is 9 ft ., what is the surface area of the four walls? | 432 square feet |  |  |
| 2. But wait! You do not need to paint the door, the closet, and the window. What is the recalculated area using the information provided below? | 363 square feet |  |  |
| Task 4: You Have a Place, Now it's Time to Save? |  |  |  |
| Activity 1: Time to start saving! |  |  |  |
| 1. Use the graph above to complete the table below. |  | X (in months) | Y (in dollars) |
|  |  | 5 | 800 |
|  |  | 7 | 1000 |
|  |  | 11 | 1400 |
| 2. Identify the slope of the line and state what it represents in the space below. | $\mathrm{m}=100$ |  |  |


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| 3. Identify the $y$-intercept of the line and state <br> what it represents in the space below. | $\mathrm{b}=300$ |
| 4. Use the graph and/or the table above to <br> table above to write the linear equation that <br> represents the savings plan in the space <br> below. | $\mathrm{y}=100 \mathrm{x}+300$ |
| 5.Calculate how much money you save after <br> two years if you do not withdraw any <br> money and continue to make the same <br> monthly deposit in the space below. | 2700 |
| 6.How many months would it take to save <br> \$3,000? Show your work in the space <br> provided or use paper and pencil and <br> upload your work below. | $\mathrm{x}=27$ |
| Activity 2: More for your Money! |  |
| Method 1: <br> Identify which part of your linear equation will change. <br> Calculate a new linear equation based on the same <br> initial deposit and changing your monthly deposit to <br> result in a savings of \$2,400 after twelve months. |  |


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| Task 5: To Roommate or not to Roommate? |  |
| 1. How does it change the equation of the total rent? | \$1475-\$ $600=\$ 875$ |
| 2. Your roommate will also be using utilities. How does this change the total cost of utilities? What about your portion of the utilities? | The overall cost of some utilities may go up, but your portion will go down since you are only paying half. |
| 3. The amount of money you have to pay out will decrease with a roommate. How will this change the amount of hours you need to work each week at each job? Will you still need a second job? | You will only need the $\$ 9$ an hour job but if you can work the $\$ 9$ an hour job for 39 hours, you could pay the rent on your own. |
| 3. Do you think getting a roommate will save you money over time? | Yes, if you continue to work as much as possible and save money, |

