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## **12.7 NOTES** - Equation of a Circle

Complete the square. Then factor. Do not solve.

1) 
$$x^2 + 6x + 1 = 0$$
  
2)  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x - 12y - 9 = 0$ 

3) What is the distance formula that is used to find the distance between two points on a coordinate plane?

4) What is the theorem that this formula is derived from? Explain.

5) If (h,k) is the center of a circle, what would be the equation of a circle with radius r?

6) Graph the circle given the following equation:  $(x-2)^2 + (y+1)^2 = 16$ 



7) Graph the circle by completing the square for the following equation:  $x^2 + y^2 - 4x + 10y + 20 = 0$