

# Writing Equations in Point-Slope Form



## Write an equation of the line that passes through (-2, 2) and (0,8).

### **POINT-SLOPE FORM of a** Linear Equation

 $y - y_1 = m(x - x_1)$ 

To use the point-slople form, you need two things: M = the slope

# $(x_1, y_1) = any given point$



$$\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{y}_1 = \boldsymbol{m}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{x}_1)$$

a) Write an equation in point-slope form of the line that passes through the point (-2,4) with a slope of 3.



$$\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{y}_1 = \boldsymbol{m}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{x}_1)$$

b) Write an equation in point-slope form of the line that passes through the point (5,-2) with a slope of -4.



$$\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{y}_1 = \boldsymbol{m}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{x}_1)$$

#### c) Graph the equation

<i>y</i> +	3 =	2( <b>x</b>	-4)





$$\boldsymbol{y} - \boldsymbol{y}_1 = \boldsymbol{m}(\boldsymbol{x} - \boldsymbol{x}_1)$$

#### d) Graph the equation





e) Write an equation of the line the graph in point-slope form.





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**2.** (4, -10); m = 2



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**3.** (-5, 6); m = 4

#### **Practice**

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