

TERMS AND SYMBOLS
GRAPHING I

Name _____

Partner Name _____

The following terms and symbols have been introduced in this unit.

Write the correct term or symbol on the line to the left of the matching definition.

Give a written example using the graph grid or the line to the right of the matching definition.

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| rise | origin | quadrant | solution to an equation |
| x-axis | graph | linear equation | Cartesian coordinate system |
| slope m | y-intercept | ordered pair (x,y) | standard form of a linear equation |
| run | y-coordinate | slope-intercept form | graph of an equation |
| y-axis | x-coordinate | point-slope form | x-intercept |

Term or Symbol

Definition

Example

_____ number plane formed by horizontal and vertical number lines

_____ horizontal number line representing values of x variable

_____ vertical number line representing values of y variable

_____ intersection of horizontal and vertical number lines at x=0 and y=0

_____ x and y axes separate the number plane into four regions

_____ values of x and y variables - represent the corresponding point in the number plane

_____ value of the x variable - horizontal distance from the origin

_____ value of the y variable - vertical distance from the origin

_____ set of points in the number plane

_____ values of variables which make an equation true

_____ points in the number plane representing the solutions of an equation

_____ graph of solutions forms a straight line

_____ point where graph meets the x-axis - has form (x,0)

_____ point where graph meets the y-axis - has form (0,y)

_____ vertical change between two points $y = y_2 - y_1$

_____ horizontal change between two points $x = x_2 - x_1$

$$\frac{\text{rise}}{\text{run}} = \frac{\Delta y}{\Delta x} = \frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1}$$

_____ $Ax + By = C$

_____ $y = mx + b$

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

