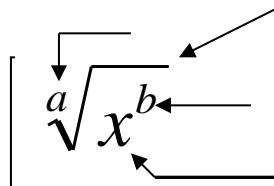
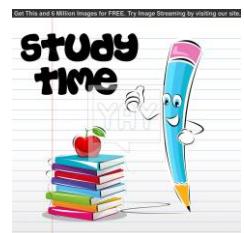


**Unit #6 Radicals and Complex Numbers and \*Unit #7 Transformations**  
**Reflective Portfolio**

**Section #1: Vocabulary**

**Define each:**

- Redraw and label with the correct word (index, radicand, exponent, radical)



- Imaginary Number:
- Complex Number:
- Conjugate:
- \*Even function:
- \*Odd function:

**Section #2: Formulas/Equations/Rules**

- When two conjugates are multiplied together, you always get a positive \_\_\_\_\_ number.
- If the roots are imaginary, they will be \_\_\_\_\_ of each other.
- Powers of  $i$  repeat in a definite cycle:  $i^0 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$        $i^1 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$        $i^2 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$        $i^3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
- Discriminant formula: \_\_\_\_\_

**Discriminant Rules: Complete the chart below!**

If the discriminant is	The roots will be	# of x-intercepts	Sketch the graph
A negative number			
zero			
Positive perfect square			
Positive non-perfect square			

**Example 1: Given the equation:**  $x^2 - 2x + 8 = 0$       Discriminant = \_\_\_\_\_  
 a) Describe the nature of the roots.      b) Solve the equation.      c) Sketch the graph.

**\*Transformation Rules:**

If  $f(x)$  is the original function, **explain in words what each transformation below will do to  $f(x)$** . Let  $c$  stand for a positive real number.

$f(x + c)$  \_\_\_\_\_

$f(x - c)$  \_\_\_\_\_

$f(x) + c$  \_\_\_\_\_

$f(x) - c$  \_\_\_\_\_

$-f(x)$  \_\_\_\_\_

$f(-x)$  \_\_\_\_\_

$c f(x)$  if  $c > 1$  \_\_\_\_\_

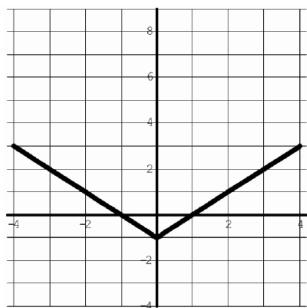
if  $0 < c < 1$  \_\_\_\_\_

$f(cx)$  if  $c > 1$  \_\_\_\_\_

if  $0 < c < 1$  \_\_\_\_\_

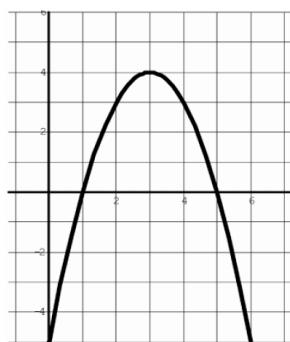
**\*Example 2: The function  $f(x)$  is graphed below. Graph  $g(x)$  and describe the transformation.**

a)  $g(x) = 3f(x)$



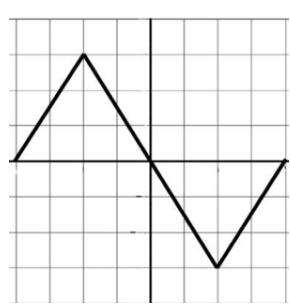
Transformation:

b)  $h(x) = \frac{1}{2}f(x)$



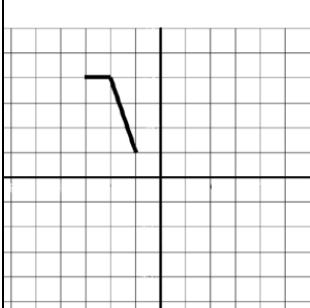
Transformation:

c)  $j(x) = f(2x)$



Transformation:

d)  $k(x) = f(\frac{1}{2}x)$



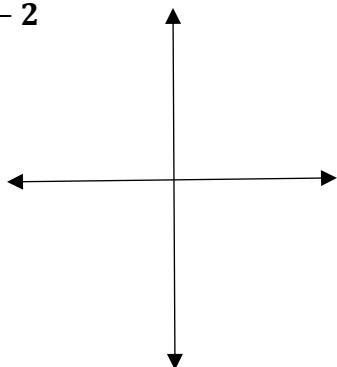
Transformation:

\*Example 3: Evaluate Even and odd functions:

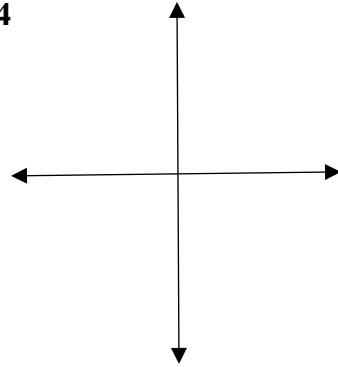
a) $f(x) = x^4$	EVEN	b) $f(x) = x^5$	ODD
$f(2) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$		$f(2) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	$f(-2) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$
$f(x) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$		$f(x) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$	$f(-x) = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

\*Example 4: Determine algebraically (test  $f(-x)$ ) whether each of the following functions is even, odd, or neither. Then sketch each graph to verify. Justify graphically.

A)  $f(x) = x^3 - x - 2$



B)  $f(x) = -3x^2 + 4$



Section #3: Key methods and concepts –Complete these specific examples!!!

Examples:

- 5) How to simplify radicals (Write out the detailed steps for each example)

a)  $\sqrt{48}$

b)  $\sqrt[3]{48}$

c)  $\sqrt[4]{48}$

- 6) How to add, subtract, multiply, divide radicals (rationalize denominator)

a)  $2\sqrt[3]{x^4} \bullet \sqrt[3]{125x^7}$

b)  $\sqrt[3]{9x^2} \bullet \sqrt[3]{6x^2}$

c)  $\sqrt[3]{8x} + \sqrt[3]{16x} + \sqrt[3]{27x}$

- 7) How do you rationalize a denominator using the conjugate

$$\frac{3 - \sqrt{2}}{4 + 5\sqrt{2}}$$

- 8) How to solve an equation containing a radical by isolating the radical

$$\sqrt{4r - 4} + 4 = r$$

- **How to simplify negative radicals**

**Always simplify negative radicals in terms of  $i$**

Examples: 9) a)  $\sqrt{-4} =$

b)  $\sqrt{-18} =$

- **How to add, subtract, multiply, and divide(simplify) complex numbers**

Treat  $i$  as a normal variable, but always simplify powers of  $i$

**Example 10:**

a)  $(3 - 4xi) - (6 - 3xi)$

b)  $(3 - 4xi)(6 - 3xi)$

c) 
$$\frac{3 - 4i}{6 - 3i}$$

- **How to simplify powers of  $i$**

If a whole number exponent is divided by 4, the remainder is 0, 1, 2, or 3.

We can simplify powers of  $i$  by using the remainders after dividing by 4.

Example 11: a)  $i^{105} =$

b)  $i^{64} =$

- **12) Multiplying conjugate pairs**  $(5 + 3i)(5 - 3i) =$

Answers: 1) a) imaginary b)  $1 \pm \sqrt{7}i$  c) graph 2) a) v.s. by 3 b) v.c. by 2 c) h.c. by 2 d) h.s. by 2

3) a) 16, 16,  $x^4, x^4$  b) 32, -32,  $x^5, -x^5$  4) a) neither b) even 5) a)  $4\sqrt{3}$  b)  $2\sqrt[3]{6}$  c)  $2\sqrt[4]{3}$

6) a)  $10x^3\sqrt[3]{x^2}$  b)  $3x\sqrt[3]{2x}$  c)  $5\sqrt[3]{x} + 2\sqrt[3]{2x}$  7)  $\frac{22-19\sqrt{2}}{-34}$  8)  $r = 10$  9) a)  $2i$  b)  $3\sqrt{2}i$

10) a)  $-3 - xi$  b)  $18 - 33xi - 12x^2$  c)  $\frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{3}i$

11) a)  $i$  b) 1 12) 34