10 Linear Relations

Identifying and Extending Patterns

1.	De	escribe each pattern.	
	a)	15, 18, 21, 24	
		The pattern starts with	
		Each number is	the number before it.
	b)	92, 87, 82, 77	
		The pattern starts with	
		Each number is	the number before it.
	c)	2, 4, 8, 16	
		The pattern starts with	
		Each number is	the number before it.
2.	Wi	rite the next two terms in each patterr	۱.

- **a)** 40, 43, 46, 49, _____, ____ **c)** 6, 18, 54, 162, _____, ____
- **b)** 95, 91, 87, 83, _____, **d)** 226, 201, 176, 151, ____, ____

c) v = 2x - 3

Making a Table of Values

A table of values shows how two variables are related. Here, the amount of money earned increases by \$15 for each hour worked. The following equation shows this relationship:

money earned = hours \times \$15

Hours worked	0	1	2	3	4
Money earned	\$0	\$15	\$30	\$45	\$60

- **3.** Complete the table of values for each relation.
 - **a)** y = x + 4

b) y = x - 6

X

У

0

 $^{-6}$

x	0	1	2	3	4
у	4				

1

2

3

4

x	0	1	2	3	4
у					

d) y = 4x + 3

x	0	3	6	9	12
У					

Plotting Patterns on a Coordinate Grid

An ordered pair is a pair of numbers that describes a point on a coordinate grid. An example is (3, -2).

- The first number describes the distance along the horizontal axis, or *x*-axis.
- The second number describes the distance along the vertical axis, or *y*-axis.

You can plot points on a coordinate grid to show a number pattern.

- If the pattern increases or decreases by the same amount each time, the points form a straight line.
- A pattern that makes a straight line is called a linear pattern.
- **4.** Plot each pattern on the coordinate grid below. Join the points to form a line. Use a different colour for each pattern.

2

0

2

4

6

8

a) The first point is (0, -2).

x	0	1	2	3	4
У	-2	-1	0	1	2

6

b)	The	first	poir	nt is	(-4,	-6).
	x	-4	-3	-2	-1	0	
	у	-6	-4	-2	0	2	

х

6

5. Which pattern in Question 4 is growing faster? How do you know?

