

Activity Center

Activity Name:	Forth Bridge
Picture:	Forth Road Bridge edited
Settings:	[0, 20] by [0, 10]
List as Points:	Points (0, 7.3) (2, 6.4) (4, 5.6) (6, 4.8) (8, 4.1) (10, 3.4) (12, 2.8) (14, 2.3) (16, 1.8) (18, 1.4) (20, 1.1)
Students Contribute:	Exponential function that "matches" the points between the cables.
Activity File:	Forth Bridge.act
Solution:	Exponential $y = 7.5(0.92)^x$ Quadratic $y = 0.011(x - 24)^2 + 1$
Activity Name:	PJHS Stairs 1
Picture:	PJHS Stairs 1
Settings:	[-10,10] by [-2, 7]
List as Points:	Points (0, 4) (0, 6) (6, 1) (6, 3)
Students Contribute:	Linear functions that match the two mortar rows.
Activity File:	PJHS Stairs 1.act
Solutions:	$f(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x + 4$ $g(x) = -\frac{1}{2}x + 6$
Activity Name:	Treadmill
Picture:	Heart Rate edited
Settings:	[-37,140,10] by [-1,215,23]
List as Points:	Points (10, 189) (10, 116) (10, 152.5) (20, 180) (20, 110) (20, 145)
Students Contribute:	Three Linear Functions
Activity File:	Treadmill.act
Solutions:	$y = -\frac{9}{10}x + 198$ $y = -\frac{6}{10}x + 122$ $y = -\frac{7.5}{10}x + 160$
Comments:	These equations are based on the data. They don't fit nicely.

Activity Name:	PJHS Stairs 4
Picture:	PJHS Stairs 4
Settings:	[-4,13.5] by [-4, 5]
List as Points:	Points $(-2, -3)$ $(-4, 5)$
Students Contribute:	Linear function that match the top of bricks.
Activity File:	PJHS Stairs 4.act
Solutions:	$y = \frac{1}{2}x - 2$
Activity Name:	Double Gable Dormers
Picture:	Double Gable Dormers
Settings:	[-8,8.3] by [-2.5, 7]
List as Points:	Points $(3, 5)$ $(1, 3)$ $(5, 3)$ $(-4, 5)$ $(-2, 3)$ $(-6, 3)$
Students Contribute:	Absolute Value functions that match the gable dormers.
Activity File:	Double Gable Dormers.act
Solutions:	$y = - x - 3 + 5$ $y = - x + 4 + 5$
Activity Name:	U of M Logo
Picture:	U of M Logo
Settings:	[-4,15] by [-4.2,4.2]
List as Points:	Points $(5, 1)$ $(8, 4)$ $(2, 4)$ $(5, -2.5)$ $(8, 0.5)$ $(2, 0.5)$
Students Contribute:	Absolute Value functions that mirror U of M Logo
Activity File:	UofMLogo.act
Solutions:	$y = x - 5 + 1$ $y = x - 5 - 2.5$
Activity Name:	U of W Logo
Picture:	U of W Logo
Settings:	[-10,10] by [-5,5]
List as Points:	Points $(0, 0)$ $(-1, -3)$ $(1, -2)$ $(-2.3, -2)$ $(3.6, -2)$ $(-6, 0)$ $(-5, -3)$ $(6, 0)$ $(5, -3)$
Students Contribute:	Absolute Value functions that mirror U of M Logo
Activity File:	U of Wash Logo.act
Solutions:	$y = -3 x $ $y = 3 x + 2.3 - 2$ $y = 3 x - 3.6 - 2$
Extension:	Write equations of lines for outside. Find the intersection

Activity Name:	McDonalds Arch
Picture:	McDonalds Double Arch
Settings:	[-12, 20] by [-10, 10]
List as Points:	Points (0, 5) (-1, 7) (-10, 0) (10, 0) (1, 7)
Students Contribute:	Two quadratic functions
Activity File:	McDonalds Arch.act
Solutions:	$y = -\frac{5}{18}\left(x + \frac{41}{10}\right)^2 + 10$ $y = \frac{5}{18}\left(x + \frac{41}{10}\right)^2 + 10$
Activity Name:	Golden Gate 1
Picture:	Golden Gate 1
Settings:	[-16, 16] by [-10, 10]
List as Points:	Points (8.5, 0) (0, 3) (-8, 7) (14, -1)
Students Contribute:	One quadratic function that places a parabola between the cables of the Golden Gate Bridge
Activity File:	Golden Gate 1.act
Solutions:	$y = 0.013(x - 17)^2 - 1$
Activity Name:	World Sunlight 1
Picture:	World Sunlight 1
Settings:	[-10, 10.1] by [-5.5, 1]
List as Points:	Points (0, -2) (9, 3) (10, 2) (-4, -4) (-8, -1) (6, 4)
Students Contribute:	Equation to fit sunlight pattern
Activity File:	World Sunlight 1.act
Solutions:	$y = 4 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{10}(x - 1)\right)$