Lesson Plan: U3L4

Lesson Title: Rational functions of the form - $f(x) = \frac{ax+b}{cx+d}$	Lesson # 4
Unit # 3	Hours: 2
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Overall Expectations:	Specific Expectations:	
C2 identify and describe some key features of the graphs of rational functions, and represent rational functions graphically;	2.2 determine, through investigation with an without technology, key features (i.e., vertica and horizontal asymptotes, domain and range	
C3 solve problems involving polynomial and simple rational equations graphically and algebraically;	intercepts, positive/negative intervals, increas- ing/decreasing intervals) of the graphs of ratio- nal functions that have linear expressions in the numerator and denominator and make connec- tions between the algebraic and graphical rep- resentations of these rational functions	
	2.3 sketch the graph of a simple rational function using its key features, given the algebraic representation of the function	
	3.5 determine, through investigation using technology (e.g., graphing calculator, computer algebra systems), the connection between the real roots of a rational equation and the x-intercepts of the graph of the corresponding rational function, and describe this connection	
Learning goals:	Success Criteria:	
• Determine the key features of the graphs of rational functions that have linear ex- pressions in the numerator and denomi- nator.	 For rational function with a linear expression in both the numerator and denominator I can state the: VA/HA domain and range intercepts behaviour near the asymptotes I can graph these types of rational functions using interval charts 	

Activity	Time	Description	
Introduction	30 - 60 min	 Will review the HW from U3L3 Will address any questions students have about the U3L3 material 	
Self-Study Period	45-60 min	 Review of reciprocals of linear functions Vertical asymptotes Horizontal asymptotes Graphing rational functions of the form: f(x) = ax+b/cx+d Domain and range asymptotes interval charts intercepts 	
Post Lecture Question Period	15 min	• Time for students to ask questions either indi- vidually or as a class about any material in the lecture	

Homework		
HW 3.4 Problem Set		