**NC Math 1B Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Unit 6 Lesson 4 Homework: Explicit Arithmetic Sequence**

1. You have a part-time job and are able to save $20.00 each week. You save this money in a safe box with a lock on it at home.

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **week** | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | … | 36 |
| **total savings** |  |  |  |  |  | … |  |

Common difference d = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Recursive Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| **n** | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | … | 20 |
| ***a*n** |  |  |  |  |  | … |  |

2.

Common difference d = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Recursive Formula: ;

Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **n** | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | … | 22 | … | 73 |
| ***k*n** |  |  |  |  |  | … |  | … |  |

3.

Common difference d = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Recursive Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explicit Formula:

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **n** | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | … |  |
| ***a*n** | 4 | 7 | 10 | 13 |  | … | 301 |

4.

Common difference d = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Recursive Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

5. For each arithmetic sequence below find the common difference (*d)*, write the explicit formula, and find the value of the indicated term – Be sure to show work!

a) b)

Common Difference: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Common Difference: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

c) d)

Common Difference: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Common Difference: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Explicit Formula: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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6. Multiple Choice: The Wimba Tree in the Amazon rain forest grows an average of 2.3 cm per week. This growth is

modeled by the following recursive formula:

where *n* is the number of weeks that have passed. How tall is the tree after 8 weeks?

1. 71.38 B. 716.10 C. 718.4 D. 720.7 E. 723

7. Given the recursive formula: ; write the first seven terms of the sequence.