Unit 5 Assessment • Comparing and Contrasting Functions

For which linear function below does f(-1) = 9 and f(3) = 1?

A.
$$f(x) = 3x + 6$$

B.
$$f(x) = -2x + 7$$

C.
$$f(x) = -x + 6$$

D.
$$f(x) = -9x$$

2. An environmental scientist is conducting research on a particular type of air pollutant. She collects air samples over time and determines the average number of micrograms of the pollutant in a cubic meter. Her data are shown in the table below.

Time (t)	Amount of Pollutant (µg/m³)
0	50.0
1	44.0
2	38.7
3	34.1
4	30.0

Which function best models the scientist's data?

A.
$$f(t) = 1.12t + 50$$

B.
$$f(t) = 50 - 6t$$

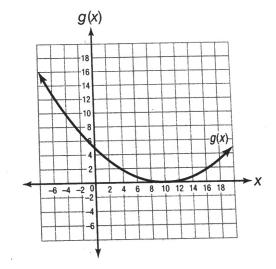
c.
$$f(t) = 50 \cdot 0.88^t$$

D.
$$f(t) = 50 \cdot 1.12^t$$

- Karl writes the function $f(x) = 1,000 \cdot 1.02^t$ to model the amount in his savings account over t years. Based on the function, what is the interest rate of his account?
- **A.** $\frac{1}{12}\%$

- **C.** 2%
- **B.** 1.02%
- **D.** 10%

- **4.** The height of a foam ball, t seconds after it is released from a 64-foot-high platform, is given by the equation $h(t) = -16t^2 + 64$. For what value of t is the height equal to 0?
 - **A.** −2 seconds
 - **B.** $\frac{3}{2}$ seconds
 - C. 2 seconds
 - D. 4 seconds
- **5.** The quadratic function g(x) is graphed below.



Which of these statements about g(x) is true?

- **A.** The vertex at (10, 0) is a maximum.
- **B.** The vertex at (10, 0) is a minimum.
- **C.** The vertex at (0, 5) is a maximum.
- **D.** The vertex at (0, 5) is a minimum.