

Problem of the Day: State the independent and dependent variable.
 Brad is charged \$30 for each gigabyte of data used.
 Plan for the Day:
 Collect signed tests and weekly homework
 Notes on functions
 More practice with functions
 Objective: We will be able to determine if a relation is a **function**.
 Happy Birthday to Daniel Arce!!
 Good luck to Football and Volleyball at Mexia!!

Function- special type of relation where each element of the domain is paired with exactly one element from the range.
 In other words, each x can only have one y.
no cheating x's

Can use mapping, tables, and graphs to see if the relation is a function since each x value should have only one y-value

Example 1: Determine if the following are functions.
 a. $\{(2, 3), (3, 0), (5, 2), (-1, -2), (4, 1)\}$ **(2, -4) function- no cheating x's**

b.

x	y
4	-1
5	2
6	5
5	5
4	3

not a function- 4 and 5 are cheating x's

Vertical Line Test- **VLT**
 -first you must graph the relation
 -the Vertical Line Test says that the graph of a function should only touch vertical lines once

Example 2: Use the vertical line test to determine if the following are functions.

function passes the VLT **not a function- fails VLT**

Example 3: Is the mapping representing a function?

not a function- 2 is a cheating x

Example 4:

function- no cheating x's

function- no cheating x's

function- passes VLT

