

Creating and Graphing Multi-Variable Equations

Name: _____ Class Period: _____

Decision Making

A new amusement park just opened in Albany called "Crazy Adventures." The park offers its customers two admission options to choose from:

Option 1

Customers pay \$6 to enter the park and \$2 per ride they go on.

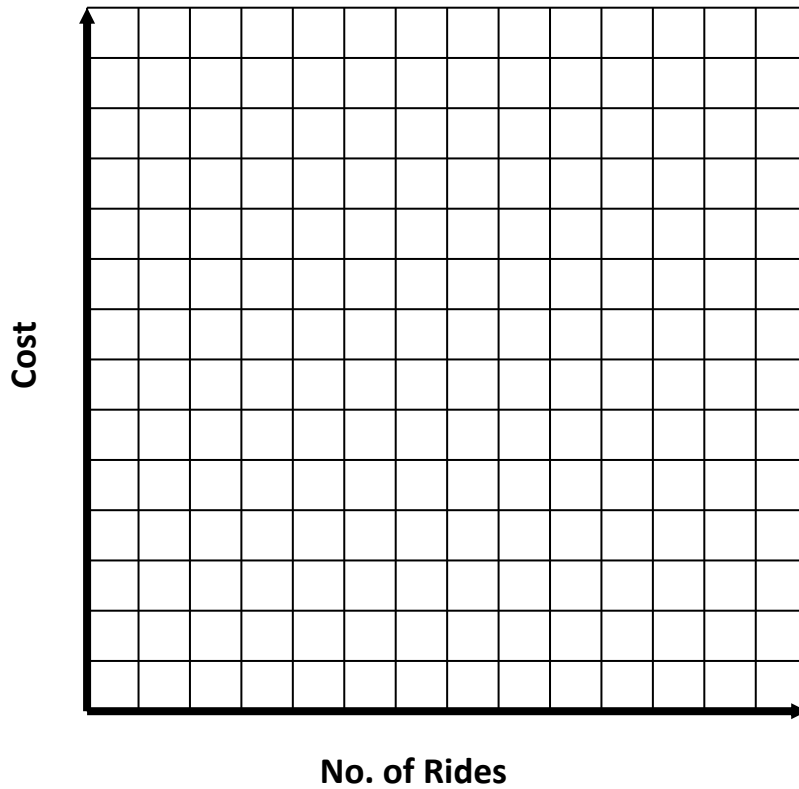
Option 2

Customers pay \$2 to enter the park and \$3 per ride they go on.

1. For each option, state the y-intercept and slope, and write an equation to describe the situation where y is the total cost and x is the number of rides the customer goes on.

	<u>Option 1</u>	<u>Option 2</u>
y-intercept		
slope		
equation		

2. Graph both equations on the grid below:



3. How much would it cost a customer for each option to go on:

# of Rides	<u>Option 1</u>	<u>Option 2</u>
0 rides		
3 rides		
4 rides		
5 rides		

4. Based on the number of rides you would go on, which admission plan would you choose? Explain.