## MATCH THE "MOTION" WITH THE GRAPH

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A "speed - time" graph (Column 3)
(2) Walking at a constant
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- Circle the rate of change as zero, constant, or changing for each graph.
- Match the graphs with the descriptions given on the right.
- Be prepared to explain your reasoning.



## Description

1. A grade 12 student's height over the next 12 months.
2. Money deposited on your 12th birthday grew slowly at first, then more quickly.
3. Andrea walks quickly, slows to a stop, and then speeds up until she is travelling at the same speed as when she started.
4. Over a one-month period the rate of growth for a sunflower is constant.
5. Clara walks quickly and then slows to a stop. She then walks quickly back and slows to a second stop. Clara then walks at a pace that is a little slower than when she started.

## Reading and Interpreting Graphs

1. 

These graphs show three different journeys. Match the graph with the description.



a a constant speed with a stop along the way and at the shops
b a constant speed to and from the shops with a stop on the way home
c a speed decrease part way through the trip to the shops and a constant speed home
3.

Why are these graphs not possible?

a

c

5.

between 8:00 am and 9:00 am?
e Suppose the next bus arrives at 9:25 am.
Approximately how many people would be waiting at the bus stop, assuming they keep arriving at the same rate?
2.

These two graphs show an object moving in the negative direction, that is, back towards the zero position. Which object starts slowly and then increases in speed?


4.
a What is the speed of car $P$ ?
b When do the two cars meet?
c How far from the zero position do they meet?
d At what time are the instantaneous speeds of both cars the same? How do you know?

6.

Each of these containers is filled with water through an opening at the top Graph the water level in the container as it is filled at a steady rate.
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a How many people were at the bus stop at 8:00 am?
b $\quad$ When did the first bus arrive? $8: 10$
ii Did all people get on? Explain. $S$ left
c How many people caught the fourth bus?
d How many people caught a bus between 8:00 am and 9:00 am? 65
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look at slopes of tangent

4.
a What is the speed of car $P$ ?
b When do the two cars meet? $\sim / 4 \mathrm{sec}$
c How far from the zero position do they meet? $\sim 70 \mathrm{~m}$
d At what time are the instantaneous speeds of both cars the same? How do you know?
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d) sarre tangent slope at about $t=10$
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c

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d

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