## Unit 6: Data Analysis Lesson: Line of Best Fit

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Make a scatter plot for each set of data. Eyeball the line of best fit and use a rule to draw it on your scatter plot. Then write the equation of the line of best fit. Use this equation to answer each question.

1. A student who waits on tables at a restaurant recorded the cost of meals and the tip left by single diners.

| Meal Cost | \$4.75 | \$6.84 | \$12.52 | \$20.42 | \$8.97 |
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| Tip       | \$0.50 | \$0.90 | \$1.50  | \$3.00  | \$1.00 |

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Line of Best Fit Equation:

If the diner orders a meal costing \$10.50, how much tip should the waiter expect to receive? (Show all work!)

Expected Tip: \_\_\_\_\_

2. The table below gives the number of hours spent studying for a science exam (x) and the final exam grade (y).

| x | 2  | 5  | 1  | 0  | 4  | 2  | 3  |
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Line of Best Fit Equation:

Predict the exam grade of a student who studied for 6 hours. (Show all work!)

Expected Grade:

3. The table below shows the lengths and corresponding ideal weights of sand sharks.

| Length | 60  | 62  | 64  | 66  | 68  | 70  | 72  |
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| Weight | 105 | 114 | 124 | 131 | 139 | 149 | 158 |

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Line of Best Fit Equation:

Predict the weight of a sand shark whose length is 75 inches. (Show all work!)

Expected Weight:

4. The table below gives the height and shoe sizes of six randomly selected men.

| Height    | 67  | 70  | 73.5 | 75 | 78 | 66 |
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| Shoe size | 8.5 | 9.5 | 11   | 12 | 13 | 8  |

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Line of Best Fit Equation:

If a man has a shoe size of 10.5, what would be his predicted height? (Show all work!)

Expected Height: