Arrival Instructions



- Place Break Assignment on front desk by door (make sure your name is on the front)
- Pick up a unit packet from front table
- On the board, write down main questions to focus on for review today (regarding break assignment)

Today's Agenda



• Notes:

Review of slopefields and differential equations

• CW:

Card Matching Activity



Review Topic: Slopefields



• What is a slopefield?

A tool used to visualize the characteristics of the solution to a differential equation without actually being able to integrate to find the solution

• What do we have to be able to do?

Draw a slopefield

Indicate a particular solution on a slopefield Match slopefields to derivatives

Draw the slopefield for the following differential equation

$$y' = 2x + y$$



Note:

It would not be possible to separate and integrate this differential equation to find a solution because it does not involve multiplication.

Drawing a Slopefield





Now solve for the general solution by separating and integrating.

THEN find the particular solution going through (e, -4)

More practice with separable differential equations.

 $y' = x^2 y$ y(0) = 2

Matching Slopefields to Differential Equations

- Strategies:
 - Look for zero slopes
 - Consider signs of slopes for each quadrant
 - Vertical Patterns: x only equation
 - Horizontal Patterns: y only equation
 - Consider what the solution set for the differential equation would look like

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