

### 3.1-3.4 Help Session

1. Find all critical numbers for  $h(x) = 2x^{5/3} - x^{2/3} + 3$

2. Find the **value(s)** of the absolute extrema of the function  $f(x) = x^3 - \frac{9}{2}x^2 - 12x + 1$  on the interval  $[-2, 3]$ .    max = \_\_\_\_\_  
min = \_\_\_\_\_

*Include theorem and condition.*

3. If  $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{8x-15}$  on  $[3, 5]$ , determine if Rolle's Theorem can be applied. If yes, find the value(s) of  $c$  defined on Rolle's Theorem.

4. If  $g(x) = x^3 - x^2 - 2x$  on  $[-1, 1]$ . Determine if the Mean Value Theorem can be applied. If yes, find the value(s) of  $c$  defined in the Mean Value Theorem.

7) Suppose  $f(4) = 12$ ,  $f'(4) = 0$ , and  $f''(4) = -23$ . If  $f'(x)$  is never equal to 0 or undefined for any other values of  $x$ , use the Second Derivative Test to state all relative extrema for  $f(x)$ .

7b) Given that  $f(x) = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{5}{2}x^2 + 6x - 1$  If  $f'(x)$  is never equal to 0 or undefined for any other values of  $x$ , use the Second Derivative Test to state all relative extrema for  $f(x)$ .

8. Sketch a labeled graph of a function,  $f$ , with the following characteristics:

$$f(-6) = -6, \quad f(-2) = -3, \quad f(2) = 5, \quad f(5) = -1$$

$$f'(x) < 0 \text{ if } x < -6, \quad x > 2$$

$f'(x)$  is continuous for all  $x$

$$f'(x) > 0 \text{ if } -6 < x < 2$$

$$f''(x) < 0 \text{ if } -2 < x < 5$$

$$f''(x) > 0 \text{ if } x < -2 \text{ and } x > 5$$

9. Clearly and fully explain what it means in terms of the graph of a function for intervals where  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is negative and  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$  is negative at the same time. (sketch a portion of graph demonstrating these properties)