# **Standard Form**

Ax + By = C

#### where A, B, and C are integers

## **Standard Form**

#### Used to find the *x*-intercept and *y*-intercepts

*y*-intercept, where the graph crosses the y-axis at the point (0, *y*)

*x*-intercept, where the graph crosses the x-axis at the point (*x*, 0)

X

#### Finding the X- and the Y-Intercepts

$$3x + 2y = 12$$

### To find the *x*-intercept: 1. Let y = 0. 3x + 2(0)

2. Solve for x.

$$(4, 0) = 12$$
  
 $3x = 12$   
 $x = 4$ 

#### To find the *y*-intercept:

- 1. Let x = 0.
- 2. Solve for y.
- 3(0)+2y = 122y = 12y = 6
  - y O
  - (0, 6)

## Find the X- And the Y-Intercepts

5x + 3y = 15

- A. x-intercept = (3, 0), y-intercept = (0, 5)
- *B. x*-intercept = (5, 0), *y*-intercept = (0,3)
- C. x-intercept = (15, 0), y-intercept = (0, 15)
- **D.** x-intercept = (6, 0), y-intercept = (0, 4)

## Finding the X- And the Y-Intercepts

x + 2y = 18

*x*-intercept = (18,0) *y*-intercept = (0, 9)

#### Finding the X- And the Y-Intercepts

$$3x - y = 9$$

*x*-intercept = (3,0) *y*-intercept = (0, -9)

## Graphing a Linear Equation in Standard Form

- 1. Find the x-intercept and the y-intercept.
- 2. Plot the coordinates for x- and y-intercepts on the graph.
- 3. Draw a line connecting the two points.

## Graphing a Linear Equation in Standard Form

$$3x + 2y = 12$$

x-intercept

$$3x + 2(0) = 12$$
  
 $3x = 12$   
 $x = 4$   
(4, 0)

y-intercept

$$3(0)+2y = 12$$
  
 $2y = 12$   
 $y = 6$   
(0, 6)

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