

## Lesson Plan

**Text: Financial Algebra**

**Volume:**   1  

**Chapter:**   5  

**Unit number**   3  

**Title of unit:** Graph Frequency Distributions

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This lesson is a classroom lesson that will take one day of instruction. Topics covered will be graphing frequency and the graphs that go with this unit.

### LESSON PLAN

**TEACHER:** Teacher Prep/ Lesson Plan

- **Lesson Objectives:**
  - **Students will be able to:**
    - **Create a frequency distribution from a set of data**
    - **Use box-and-whisker plots and stem-and-leaf plots to display information**
    - **Use linear regression to negotiate the purchase or sale of a used car.**
- **List of prerequisite skills needed: Previous use of scatterplots.**

- **Vocabulary:**

<b>Frequency distribution</b>	<b>Frequency</b>	<b>Stem-and-leaf plot</b>
<b>Box-and-whisker plot</b>	<b>Boxplot</b>	<b>Modified boxplot</b>

- **State Standards addressed:** *(You may use your District's Power Standards if applicable, Highlight "Green" Standards)*

**Math:**

**S-ID1**  
**S-ID2**  
**S-ID3**  
**S-ID4**

**Reading:**

- 1.2.1- Apply reference skills to define, clarify, and refine word meanings.
- 1.2.2- Apply vocabulary strategies in grade level text.

**Writing:**

- 2.2 — Writes for different purposes.

**Leadership:**

- 2.D.1 Solve different kinds of non-familiar problems in both conventional and innovative ways

- **Teacher Preparation:** Read Financial Algebra text pages 231-237, prepare examples for class practice of formulas, determine assigned practice problems set, and review quizzes FA 5-3A and FA 5-3B (Applied Math Conference 2012) for assessment at end. Check out these websites:

<http://ellerbruch.nmu.edu/cs255/jnord/boxplot.html>,  
<http://www.internet4classrooms.com/>, and  
[http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill\\_builders/box\\_and\\_whisker\\_math\\_eighth\\_8th\\_grade.htm](http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill_builders/box_and_whisker_math_eighth_8th_grade.htm)

- **Content Delivery:** Content will be delivered as a whole class discussion, teacher presentation on information, class practice of graphs, and individual practice of graphs and concepts.
- **Instructional Documents** Go over pages 231-237 with class including examples. Assign application questions from pages 236 and 237. Quizzes FA 5-3A and FA 5-3B (Applied Math Conference 2012)
- **Assessment Tool used in this Lesson** Assess students during class discussion, practice problems, and quizzes.
- **Reinforcement/Intervention/Extension Activities**  
Have students explore these three websites:  
<http://ellerbruch.nmu.edu/cs255/jnord/boxplot.html>,  
<http://www.internet4classrooms.com/>, and  
[http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill\\_builders/box\\_and\\_whisker\\_math\\_eighth\\_8th\\_grade.htm](http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill_builders/box_and_whisker_math_eighth_8th_grade.htm)
- **Career Applications** Individuals who will be dealing trends and frequencies such as those in retail, hospitality, etc can benefit from this information.

<https://wa-appliedmath.org/>

5-3 Websites

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<http://www.internet4classrooms.com/>

[http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill\\_builders/box and whisker math eighth 8th grade.htm](http://www.internet4classrooms.com/skill_builders/box_and_whisker_math_eighth_8th_grade.htm)

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<http://nces.ed.gov/nceskids/createagraph/>

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## Chapter 5-3 Quiz A

1. Represent the following soccer ball weekly inventory in a stem-and-leaf plot: 11, 59, 78, 15, 65, 84, 31, 24, 59, 11, 12, 37, 84, 59, 68, 52, 84, 24, 24, 74, 23, 30, 23, 20, 56, 45, 48, 58, 68, and 64.

2. What is the frequency of the chart you created above?
3. Using the frequency and the stem-and-leaf plot you created for number one what is the mean of the soccer ball weekly inventory? Show your work.
4. Using the stem-and-leaf plot you created for number one what is the median of the soccer ball weekly inventory? Show your work if applicable.
5. Give an example of a legend or key to describe how to read your stem-and-leaf plot.

## Chapter 5-3 Quiz A

### Answer Key

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1	1 1 2 5
2	0 3 3 4 4 4
3	0 1 7
4	5 8
5	2 6 8 9 9 9
6	4 5 8 8
7	4 8
8	4 4 4

2. What is the frequency of the chart you created above?

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3. Using the frequency and the stem-and-leaf plot you created for number one what is the mean of the soccer ball weekly inventory?

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4. Using the stem-and-leaf plot you created for number one what is the median of the soccer ball weekly inventory?

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5. Give an example of a legend or key to describe how to read your stem-and-leaf plot.

Varies- However, and example would be:

$$3 \mid 0 = 30$$

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Hour/Class: \_\_\_\_\_

## Chapter 5-3 Quiz B

1. Represent the following data indicating how many hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone in a box-and-whisker plot: 30, 25, 8, 20, 70, 92, 84, 25, 26, 74, 59, 12, 10, 0, 46, 71, 41, 25, 24, 29, 76, 48, 15, 24, 95, 32, 23, 42, 24, and 60.

2. Make a frequency distribution table using the information from the data listed in question one.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Hour/Class: \_\_\_\_\_

- Using the frequency you found in question 2 and the box-and-whisker plot you created for number one what is the mean of the how many hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone? Show your work.

- Using the box-and-whisker plot you created for number one what is the median of the hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone? Show your work if applicable.

- Using the data from number one find the interquartile range of the hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone. Show your work.

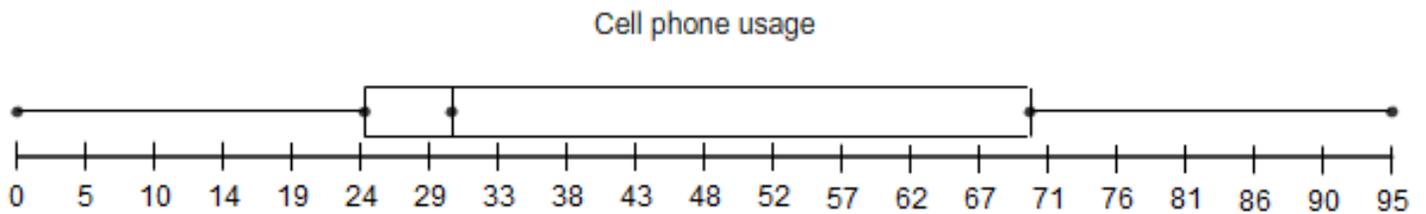
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2. Make a frequency distribution table using the information from the data listed in question one.

Hours	Frequency
0	1
8	1
10	1
12	1
15	1
20	1
23	1
24	3
25	3
26	1
29	1
30	1
32	1
41	1
42	1
46	1
48	1
59	1
60	1
70	1
71	1

74	1
76	1
84	1
92	1
95	1
TOTAL	30

3. Using the frequency you found in question 2 and the box-and-whisker plot you created for number one what is the mean of the how many hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone? Show your work.

$$1210/30 = \underline{40.3}$$

4. Using the box-and-whisker plot you created for number one what is the median of the hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone? Show your work if applicable.

$$30 + 29 = 59$$

$$59/2 = \underline{29.5}$$

5. Using the data from number one find the interquartile range of the hours a week your classmates spend using a cell phone. Show your work.

$$60 - 24 = \underline{36}$$

6. How many outliers are there?

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