

# 2-9 The Term of a Single Deposit Account

## OBJECTIVES

You will need:

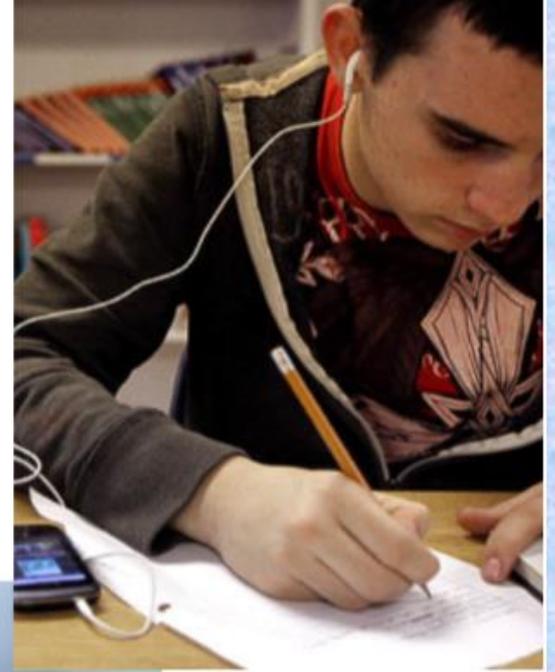
- Student Papers
- Calculator
- Textbook
- Notebook Paper
- Pen or Pencil

**Construct** an exponential model of a situation.

**Calculate** time it will take to reach a financial goal.



**No Ear  
Buds!!!!**



**Cell Phones:  
Down & Dark**

# How long does it take to reach a financial goal?

- You received a lump-sum inheritance from a distant aunt. (YEA!)
- It is not enough for the down payment on the home that you have your heart set on.
- You want to know how long it will take for the money to grow big enough for the down payment on that home.
- Today we will focus on the time part of the Time Value of Money Formula.

## Example 1

You have \$1000.00 in your savings account. It earns 2% interest and compounds semi-annually. You need exactly \$1,061.52 to pay for one summer session's tuition. How long will it take for this account to reach your goal?

Remember the Compound Interest Formula:

$B$  = ending balance

$p$  = principal or original balance

$r$  = interest rate (converted)

$n$  = number of compounds annually

$t$  = number of years

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*Use menu, 3, 1  
to solve for t.*

$$t = 3$$

It will take 3 years to reach this goal.

## Example 4 – You try it

Nancy and Bob want to renovate their kitchen sometime in the future. They have deposited \$16,000 into an account that compounds interest monthly at a rate of 2.4%. How long will it take until that account reaches \$20,000?

Determine the variables:

$$B = p \left( 1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt}$$

$B$  = ending balance 20,000.00

$p$  = principal or original balance 16,000.00

$r$  = interest rate (converted) .024

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$$t = 9.3$$

It will take 9.3 years to reach this goal.

## Example 4 - You try it #2!

Rudy deposited \$500 in an account with 1.2% interest compounded quarterly. How long will it take for that amount to double?

Determine the variables:

$$B = p \left( 1 + \frac{r}{n} \right)^{nt}$$

$B$  = ending balance 1,000

$p$  = principal or original balance 500.00

$r$  = interest rate (converted) .012

$n$  = number of compounds annually 4

$t$  = number of years t

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$$1000 = 500 \left( 1 + \frac{.012}{4} \right)^{4t}$$

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$$t = 57.8$$

It will take 57.8 years to reach this goal.

## Example 5

Sheri deposited \$8,000 into an account that compounds continuously at a rate of 3.7%. How long will it take for his money to grow to \$10,000?

Remember the Continuous Compounding Formula

$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

$A$  = ending balance

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Determine the variables:

$$A = Pe^{rt}$$

$A$  = ending balance 10,000

$p$  = principal or original balance  
8,000

$r$  = interest rate (converted) .037

$t$  = number of years t

$$10000 = 8000e^{.037 \cdot t}$$

Menu, 3, 1

**6 years**

Read Pg: 120 to 126

Please work on you assignment.  
It is due at the end of next class.