

Renting An Apartment Project
Math Essentials 11

1. You will choose a job from a list provided. Your job starts July 1st, 2015.
2. You will fill in a sheet describing the things that you are looking for when searching for your apartment. (**Pre-Apartment Search Sheet**)
3. I will randomly determine a place where you landed your first job. (to give everyone a specific location - everyone will hypothetically be doing their job at a school somewhere in the province of Nova Scotia.
4. Search for an apartment in the area where you landed a job.
5. Fill in the **During Apartment Search Sheet**. (describing your top 3 choices)
6. Decide on an apartment.
7. Fill in the **Post Apartment Search Sheet**.

Evaluation: 5 points for each section....Total 15 points.



Pre-Apartment Search.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Occupation Chosen: _____

Average Monthly Salary: _____

What you're searching for...

Price Range (Monthly): _____

Preferred Lease: _____

(Yearly, Monthly, Weekly, Fixed Term)

Type of Apartment Preferred: _____

(Room, House, Bachelor, One Bedroom, Two Bedroom), (Roommates?)

Fill in the following table - classifying the importance of various features of apartments.

Feature	Required	Desirable (not required)	Undesirable	Does not matter
air conditioning				
utilities included				
pets allowed				
dishwasher				
underground parking				
laundry facilities on site				
covered parking				
number of bedrooms				
outdoor parking				
date of availability				
outdoor pool				

Feature	Required	Desirable (not required)	Undesirable	Does not matter
close to shopping				
indoor pool				
close to park				
exercise room				
close to walking trails				
close to elementary schools				
non-smokers only				
close to secondary schools				
floor level				
close to college/ university				
children allowed				
close to public transportation				
close to work				
internet (wifi)				
snow removal				
furnished				
other:				
other:				

Additional Comments:

During Apartment Search

Name: _____ Date: _____

Occupation Chosen: _____

Average Monthly Salary: _____

Location of Job: _____

Summary of your top 3. These are the places you would probably want to go visit and check out further.

	Ad 1	Ad 2	Ad 3
Brief description of Ad			
Price (Rent)			
Features			
Distance/Time from Work			
A question you would like to ask the landlord			
Your choice (with reasoning)			

Post Apartment Search

Name: _____ Date: _____

Occupation Chosen: _____

Average Monthly Salary: _____

Location of Job: _____

Price (Monthly): _____

Lease: _____

(Yearly, Monthly, Weekly, Fixed Term)

Type of Apartment: _____

(Room, House, Bachelor, One Bedroom, Two Bedroom), (Roommates?)

Distance and/or time from workplace: _____

Address of Apartment: _____

Town/City Name: _____

Use the checklist on the following page to help answer the following questions.

List the things you are happy about with your choice of apartment.

List the things that are missing from what your ideal apartment looked like.

List the things that are unknown, that you would have had to ask the landlord about.

Feature	Yes	No	Unknown
air conditioning			
utilities included			
pets allowed			
dishwasher			
underground parking			
laundry facilities on site			
covered parking			
number of bedrooms			
outdoor parking			
date of availability			
outdoor pool			
close to shopping			
indoor pool			
close to park			
exercise room			
close to walking trails			
close to elementary schools			
non-smokers only			
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close to public transportation			
close to work			
internet (wifi)			
snow removal			
furnished			

Chosen Apartment

Random Locations.

[Northeast Kings Education Centre](#) (6 to 12); 1816 Bains Road, [Canning](#)
[Horton High School](#) (9 to 12); 75 Greenwich Road South, [Wolfville](#)
[West Kings District High School](#) (9 to 12); 1941 Trunk 1, [Auburn](#)
West Hants Middle School (7 to 9); 8009 Trunk 14, [Newport](#)
[Glace Bay High School](#) (10 to 12); 135 Brookside Street, [Glace Bay](#)
[Sydney Academy](#) (10 to 12); 49 Terrace Street, [Sydney](#)
Cape Smokey Elementary School (pr to 6); 39 Brandon Lane, [Ingonish](#)
[North Nova Education Centre](#) (10 to 12); [New Glasgow](#)
[Oxford Regional Education Centre](#) (pr to 12); [Oxford](#)
[Amherst Regional High School](#) (9 to 12); [Amherst](#)
[Cobequid Educational Centre](#) (10 to 12); [Truro](#)
[North Colchester High School](#) (7 to 12); [Tatamagouche](#)

[Charles P Allen High School](#) (10 to 12); 200 Innovation Dr, [Bedford](#)

[Prince Andrew High School](#) (10 to 12); 37 Woodlawn Rd, [Woodlawn](#), [Dartmouth](#)

[Halifax West High School](#) (10 to 12); 283 Thomas Raddall Dr, [Halifax](#)

St. Margaret's Bay Elementary School (pr to 6); 24 Ridgewood Dr, [Head of St Margarets Bay](#)

[Hebville Academy](#) (pr to 9); [Bridgewater](#)

[Park View Education Centre](#) (10 to 12); [Bridgewater](#)

[New Germany Rural High School](#) (7 to 12); [New Germany](#)

Petite Rivière Elementary School (pr to 6); [Petite Rivière](#)

[Dr. J.H. Gillis Regional School](#) (9 to 12); [Antigonish](#)

[Chedabucto Place](#) (pr to 12); [Guysborough](#)

[Digby Regional High School](#) (7 to 12); [Digby](#)

[Yarmouth Consolidated Memorial High School](#) (9 to 12); [Yarmouth](#)

[Lockeport Regional High School](#) (7 to 12); [Lockeport](#)

[Liverpool Regional High School](#) (10 to 12); [Liverpool](#)