

Bell work Monday 11/20

SAT Prep

Calc

For a polynomial $p(x)$, the value of $p(3)$ is $\underline{-2}$.
Which of the following must be true about $p(x)$?

- A) $x - 5$ is a factor of $p(x)$.
- B) $x - 2$ is a factor of $p(x)$.
- C) $x + 2$ is a factor of $p(x)$.
- D) The remainder when $p(x)$ is divided by $x - 3$ is -2 .

$$\begin{array}{r} 3 \\ \sqrt{-2} \end{array}$$

If a polynomial $P(x)$ is divided by $(x-a)$ then $P(a)$ is the remainder of that division.

$$P(3) = -2 \leftarrow \text{Remainder.}$$

$$\frac{P(a)}{(x-a)} \quad \text{Remainder}$$