| Strand:          | Algebra                       | Name: <u>KEY</u> |
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| Skill Addressed: | Linear Relationships Explored | Blk:             |
| Activity:        | Part 2: A Written Rule        |                  |

A Written Rule for Joy's pattern on the previous page could be: "Multiply your row number by 3 and add 10."

Patterns can also be seen in every day occurrences.

Emily's Gift:

For her parents' new house, Emily wants to buy a fancy Address Sign to put at the end of the driveway. The sign post and writing surface costs \$10, and each large brass letter or digit costs \$3.

Make a table that shows costs for the entire sign (ignore tax) depending on how many letters/digits she needs.



Clearly label the column names of your table.

Write to explain any observations that you make.

| # of       | Cost |
|------------|------|
| characters |      |
| 0          | 10   |
| 1          | 13   |
| 2          | 16   |
| 3          | 19   |
| 4          | 22   |
| 5          | 25   |

The cost will be 3 times the number of characters plus \$10. C = 3N + 10