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<u>Terms</u>: Supply, Law of Supply, Supply Schedule, Supply Curve, Cost, Revenue Profit, Change/Shift in Supply, Input Costs, Increasing Returns, Diminishing Returns

Term	Definition	Examples/Notes	
Supply	The willingness and ability of producers to offer goods and services for sale.	 John is <i>willing</i> and <i>able</i> to mow lawns as a service. Mark is <i>willing</i> to sell tutoring services, but isn't <i>able</i> because he's not very smart = not supply Fred is <i>able</i> to clean sewers as a service, but is not willing to do so – gross = not supply 	
Law of Supply	Producers are willing to sell more of a good or service at a higher price than at a lower price.	 I can tutor students – Mary says she'll pay \$25 per hour. I say I'll tutor for 2 hours. John says he'll pay \$50 per hour – I can cut some time with the family – I'll tutor him for 4 hours. 	
Supply Schedule	A table that shows how much of a good or service an individual or all producers in a market are willing and able to sell at a certain price.	Price Per HourQuantity Supplied (per hour)\$ 2525047561008	
Supply Curve	A graph that shows how much of a good or service an individual or all producers in a market are willing and able to sell at a certain price.	$ \begin{array}{c} $	
Cost	Expenses that producers must pay to produce goods or services.	Babysitting: Gas to get there, ? Clothing store: Merchandise, capital goods (cash register, etc.), rent, employee pay, etc.	
Revenue	The income a producer receives for producing a good or service.	 Bill sells ice cream cones at \$2 per cone Each cone brings in revenue of \$2 ("marginal revenue") Bill sells 100 cones, bringing in \$200 ("total revenue") 	
Profit	The money left over after costs have been subtracted from revenue.	 Revenue - cost = Profit Bill provides ice cream cones at \$2 each It costs him \$1.00 to provide each cone (the cones, the ice cream, the cooler and electricity, etc.) His profit per cone is \$2 (revenue) - \$1(cost) = \$1 profit per cone 	

Change/Shift in	When something prompts	(Draw an example, but also take notes – leave space)	
Supply	producers to offer different		
Suppiy	amounts for sale at every price.	What causes shifts in supply? Change in input costs = the cost of resources to produce increases or decreases (i.e. the minimum wage increases the cost of labor) Changes in technology = technology makes it cheaper to produce something Excise Taxes = A tax on the production of a good or service (just for making it) to discourage its production (i.e. tax on alcohol) Regulation = A change in the rules or requirements to make something (i.e. the gov't requires coal factories to install new clean coal technology) 	
Increasing returns	The idea that each new worker adds more to total output than the last (therefore, it makes sense for a producer to continue hiring workers).	 Bill's ice cream stand hires John for \$10/hour to work for 5 hours (cost of \$50 for his labor) He is able to support the sale of an addition 100 cones per day – the company makes an additional profit of \$50 per day – hiring him is worth it. 	
Diminishing returns	The idea that each new worker causes total output to grow, but at a decreasing rate (therefore, producers need to consider the opportunity cost of hiring any new workers).	 Bill's ice cream has limited space (i.e. room to move around, coolers, etc.). After hiring John, he thinks about hiring Anne for \$10/hour for 5 hours (cost of \$50). Because the other resources (space, ice cream, etc.) are limited, hiring her would only result in the sale of 60 ice cream cones – (using the same rules as for John), that's a profit of \$10 IS IT WORTH IT? 	