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Pre-Calculus

Spring Break – Take Home Test

1. Solve algebraically for x:

$$\sqrt{x^2 + x - 1} + 11x = 7x + 3$$

2. Solve algebraically for x:

$$x^4 + 4x^3 + 4x^2 = -16x$$

3. Solve algebraically for x:

$$\log_{(x+4)}(17x - 4) = 2$$

4. Solve $2x^2 - 12x + 4 = 0$ by completing the square, expressing the result in simplest radical form.

5. Solve algebraically for x:

$$\log_{(x+3)} \frac{x^3 + x - 2}{x} = 2$$

6. Solve the equation $8x^3 + 4x^2 - 18x - 9 = 0$ algebraically for all values of x .

7. Solve the equation $x^3 - 5x^2 - 4x + 20 = 0$ algebraically for all values of x .

8. Perform the indicated operations and simplify completely:

$$\frac{x^2 - 9}{x^2 - 5x} \times \frac{5x - x^2}{x^2 - x - 12} \div \frac{x - 4}{x^2 - 8x + 16}$$