Tide STEM Problem
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Period:

Given Information:
A certain city has a cycle of high tide to low tide in 8 hours. The height of the tide varies by 10 feet.
Goal:
Write a trigonometric function for cosine that models the height of the tide and uses the variable $t$, for time, such that the graph starts at high tide when $t=0$.

1) Make a sketch of the required cosine function.
2) Use the graphs of the two functions below to help you.

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\begin{aligned}
& y=\cos 2 x \\
& y=\cos \left(\frac{\pi x}{4}\right)
\end{aligned}
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3) Use http://www.Desmos.com to check to see if your solution is correct (matches your sketch).
4) Solution: $h(t)=$

