

1.8 Two-Step Equations

SWBAT solve two-step linear equations.

Assignments:

HW09

Review: Solving Equations

- ▶ Equation

- ▶ 2 expressions said to be equal

- ▶ Solution

- ▶ Value(s) that make an equation TRUE

- ▶ Ways to solve equations

- ▶ Guess-and-check

- ▶ Takes too long

- ▶ Isolate the variable

- ▶ Have to “undo” everything attached to it

- ▶ Solve.

1. $x - 7 = 18$

2. $\frac{m}{4} = -2$

3. $\frac{2}{7}x = 16$

4. $n + 9 = -4$

$$3x - 4 = 23$$

- ▶ What is different about this equation than the other ones we've looked at?
- ▶ How do we decide which number to “get rid of” first?
 - ▶ Hint: think “backwards”

Order of Operations

Simplify Expressions

- ▶ **P**arentheses
- ▶ **E**xponents
- ▶ **M**ultiplication
- ▶ **D**ivision
- ▶ **A**ddition
- ▶ **S**ubtraction
- ▶ M/D at same time, A/S at same time
- ▶ Watch for invisible parentheses!

Solve Equations

- ▶ **S**ubtraction
- ▶ **A**ddition
- ▶ **D**ivision
- ▶ **M**ultiplication
- ▶ **E**xponents
- ▶ **P**arentheses
- ▶ S/A at same time, D/M at same time
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Solve the equations

▶ $-2x - 5 = 100$

▶ $-\frac{x}{2} + 17 = 0$

▶ $\frac{x-3}{4} = -2$

1. $6x - 5 = 31$

2. $-\frac{x}{4} + 2 = 8$

3. $2x + 7 = 19$

4. $100 = 3x + 1$

5. $12x + 9 = 81$

6. $\frac{x}{2} - 4 = 21$

7. $\frac{x+3}{9} = 1$

Solve the equations

▶ $10(x - 7) = 210$

▶ $-3(y - 12) = 27$

1. $7(3x - 1) = 16$

2. $-2(x + 8) = 6$

3. $9(1 - 2x) = 81$

4. $\frac{1}{4}(8x - 16) = 20$

5. $10(x + 8) = 200$

▶ James was going to sell all of his stamp collection to buy a video game. After selling half of them he changed his mind. He then bought ten more. How many did he start with if he now has 35?

▶ The Cooking Club made some pies to sell during lunch to raise money for a field trip. The cafeteria helped by donating two pies to the club. Each pie was then cut into five pieces and sold. There were a total of 50 pieces to sell. How many pies did the club make?