

Skill description: Writing algebraic equations from word problems that involve one operation.

Essential Revision





| 9. The combination of an unknown number p and eleven totals forty-three. Write an equation, that includes addition, and then determine the unknown number. | 10. Solve the following. $\frac{x}{4} = 5$ |
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| 11. Write an equation that represents the unknown, then solve. 18 x x 18 9 9 | 12. When an unknown number t is increased by fourteen the result is sixty-two. Write an equation, that includes addition, and then determine the value of t. |
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STRATEGIES TO SOLVE THE PROBLEMS

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Look for the keywords that describe the operations.



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Example 1 Write an equation, then solve it. A number $g_{_}$ is multiplied by three, and the result is fifty-four. Step 1 Identify the unknown. A number gg Step 2 Look for the keyword that describes the operation. multiplied by three 3*g* Step 3 Look for equality. result is fifty-four. 3g = 54

Step 4

Solve.

g = 18

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Example 2
Write an equation, then solve it. Three fewer than a number
m is twenty-eight.
Step 1

Identify the unknown.

a number ${\boldsymbol{m}}$

m

Step 2

Look for the keyword that describes the operation.

Three fewer than

m-3

Step 3

Look for equality.

is twenty-eight.

m - 3 = 28

Step 4

Solve.

m = 31





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| QUESTIONS Write an equa | tion, then solve it. |
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| 1. A number χ has eleven added | 2. A number v is multiplied by |
| to it and the result is thirty- two. | seven and the result is one hundred and five. |
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| 3. A number <i>b</i> is reduced by eighteen and the result is forty- three. | 4. A number <i>C</i> is divided by six and the result is nine. |

| 5. A number d is increased by | 6. The number x is smaller than |
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| three and the result is twelve. | twenty-three. The difference |
| | between twenty-three and the |
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| 7. The product of a number c and | 8. A number <i>x</i> is split evenly |
| five is one hundred and fifteen. | into four parts and each part |
| | equates to thirty-two. |
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| 9. The sum of a number t and fifteen equates to sixty-one. 11. Tripling the number f equals | 10. Seven fewer than a number x is nineteen. |
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| 11. Tripling the number f equals two hundred and forty. | 12. Halving a number <i>x</i> equates to forty-eight. |
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| <u>1.</u> | x = 15 | <pre>¿2.</pre> | x + 5 = 14 |
| > > > | | | <i>x</i> = 9 |
| 3. | x + 19 = 29 | <u>}</u> 4. | x = 6 |
| > > > | x = 10 | Ì | |
| 5. | 2x + 8 = 18 | §6. | x + 22 = 48 |
| | x = 5 | | x = 26 |
| 7. | x = 8 | 8. | x + 15 = 31 |
| > | | | x = 16 |
| 9. | p + 11 = 43 | 10. | x = 20 |
| > > > | p = 32 | | |
| 11. | 3x + 9 = 18 | §12. | t + 14 = 62 |
| > > > | x = 3 | Š | t = 48 |
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| Solut | tions to Questions $r \perp 11 - 32$ | ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~ | 7u - 105 |
| Solut | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 | 2. | 7y = 105 y = 15 |
| Solut 1. | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 h - 18 = 43 | 2. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{2} = 9$ |
| Solut 1. 3. | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 b - 18 = 43 b = 61 | 2. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ $c = 54$ |
| Solut 1. 3. | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 $x = 21$ $b - 18 = 43$ $b = 61$ $d + 3 - 12$ | 2. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ $c = 54$ $23 - x - 7$ |
| Solut 1. 3. 5. | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 $x = 21$ $b - 18 = 43$ $b = 61$ $d + 3 = 12$ $d = 9$ | 2. 4. 6. | 7y = 105 y = 15 $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ c = 54 23 - x = 7 x = 16 |
| Solut 1. 3. 5. | tions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 b - 18 = 43 b = 61 d + 3 = 12 d = 9 5c = 115 | 2. 4. 6. | 7y = 105 y = 15 $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ c = 54 23 - x = 7 x = 16 $\frac{x}{6} = 32$ |
| Solut 1. 3. 5. 7. | fions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 b - 18 = 43 b = 61 d + 3 = 12 d = 9 5c = 115 c = 23 | 2. 4. 6. 8. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ $c = 54$ $23 - x = 7$ $x = 16$ $\frac{x}{4} = 32$ $x = -128$ |
| Solut 1. 3. 5. 7. | fions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 b - 18 = 43 b = 61 d + 3 = 12 d = 9 5c = 115 c = 23 t + 15 - 61 | 2. 4. 6. 8. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ $c = 54$ $23 - x = 7$ $x = 16$ $\frac{x}{4} = 32$ $x = 128$ $x = 7 = 19$ |
| Solut 1. 3. 5. 7. 9. | fions to Questions x + 11 = 32 x = 21 b - 18 = 43 b = 61 d + 3 = 12 d = 9 5c = 115 c = 23 t + 15 = 61 t = 46 | 2. 4. 6. 8. 10. | $7y = 105$ $y = 15$ $\frac{c}{6} = 9$ $c = 54$ $23 - x = 7$ $x = 16$ $\frac{x}{4} = 32$ $x = 128$ $x - 7 = 19$ $x = 26$ |
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