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Lesson 8: Solving Two-Step Equations Bellringer



1) Which expression is equivalent to the expression below:

$$g + g + g + g + g + g + g$$

- a. 6+g
- b. g^6
- с. б*g*
- d. $\frac{g}{6}$
- 2) Which equation has the solution x = 2?
 - a. 2x 3 = 19
 - b. 3x + 2 = 8
 - c. 4x 4 = -4
 - d. 5x + 1 = 10

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Let's Think:

What value of x would make the below equation true? 2x - 5 = 13

The goal of solving an equation is to	·
In other words, to get the variable all by itself so we can determine what nu	mber it is.
To do this we will use operations that undo each other.	or
The inverse operation of addition is	
The inverse operation of subtraction is	
The inverse operation of multiplication is	
The inverse operation of division is	

Solving Two-Step Equations

To solve two step equations, you will need to use two inverse operations. They must happen in a specific order!

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Example 1) 6x + 5 = 23

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Example 2)
$$\frac{x}{6} + 6 = 23$$

Example 3)
$$-10 = \frac{x}{5} - 1$$

You Try! Solve and check each equation.

1. $-3g + 5 = 17$	3.	13 = 5m - 2
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2. 9 = 4a + 13

4. $-\frac{x}{6} + 6 = 23$

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1)
$$6 = \frac{a}{4} + 2$$
 2) $-6 + \frac{x}{4} = -5$

3)
$$9x - 7 = -7$$

4) $0 = 4 + \frac{n}{5}$

Review:

- 5. Which expression represents the sum of (2x 5y) and (x + y)?
 - *a.* 3x 4y
 - *b*. 3x 6y
 - *c.* x 4y
 - *d.* x 6y
- 6. Which of the following integers represents a negative sum?

a.	-5	5	
b.	-3	8	

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c.	5	-9
d.	10	3

7. Which of the following integers represents a negative product?

a.	-5	-5
b.	-3	8
c.	-5	-9
d.	10	3

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1. What is the solution of the equation below?

3x + 3 = 12

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- a. x = 5b. x = 3c. x = 4d. x = 6
- 2. Solve for v in the equation below then verify your solution through substitution:

$$3v + 2 = 32$$