

1. What is the difference between an expression and an inequality?

2. Ms. Underwood wrote, "Eight less than three times a number is greater than fifteen," on the board. If x represents the number, write an inequality that represents the statement. (You do not have to solve this one ☺)

$$3x - 8 > 15$$

3. Hannah has a cell phone plan that charges \$0.07 per minute plus a monthly fee of \$19.00. She budgets \$29.00 per month for total cell phone expenses without taxes. What is the maximum number of minutes Hannah could use her phone each month in order to stay within her budget?

- Define the variable. $x = \text{maximum \# of minutes}$
- Write an inequality/equation to express the situation.
- Solve the inequality.
- Write a sentence that includes the answer in context of the problem.

Hannah can talk
maximum of 142 minutes

$$\begin{array}{r} .07x + 19 \leq 29 \\ \underline{-19} \quad \underline{-19} \\ .07x \leq 10 \\ \underline{.07} \quad \underline{.07} \\ x \leq 142.857... \end{array}$$

4. The sum of three consecutive ODD integers is 39. Find the three numbers.

$$x + (x+2) + (x+4) = 39$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + 6 = 39 \\ \underline{-6} \quad \underline{-6} \end{array}$$

$$3x = 33$$

$$x = 11$$

the #s are
11, 13, 15

5. Dakota is saving to purchase a new pair of bowling shoes that will cost at least \$49. He has already saved \$29. What is the least amount of money he needs to save for the shoes?

- Define the variable. $x = \text{least amt of \$ needed to save}$
- Write an inequality/equation to express the situation.
- Solve the inequality.
- Write a sentence that includes the answer in context of the problem.

$$\text{cost} \geq 49$$

$$x + 29 \geq 49$$

$$x \geq 20$$

he needs 20 more saved

6. Mack has \$600 in a savings account at the beginning of the summer. He wants to leave at least \$150 in his account at the end of the summer. He withdraws \$30 per week for food, gas, and Redbox. How many weeks can Mack withdraw money from his account?

- Define the variable. $x = \text{\# weeks Mack can withdraw}$
- Write an inequality/equation to express the situation.
- Solve the inequality.
- Write a sentence that includes the answer in context of the problem.

He can withdraw for up to 15 weeks

$$\begin{array}{rcl} \text{Amt. in save} & & \text{required} \\ 600 - 30x & \geq & 150 \\ -600 & & -600 \\ \hline -30x & \geq & -450 \\ -30 & & -30 \\ \hline x & \leq & 15 \end{array}$$

7. Peyton has \$25,000 in his bank account. Every month he spends \$1,500. He does not add money to the account. How much money will Peyton have in his account after 8 months?

- Define the variable. $x = \text{\# money left after 8 months}$
- Write an inequality/equation to express the situation.
- Solve.
- Write a sentence that includes the answer in context of the problem.

$$25000 - 1500x$$