

2A Solving Equations for a Variable

Name: _____ Per: _____

SHOW YOUR WORK FOR FULL CREDIT. NO WORK, NO CREDIT. NO WORK IN PEN.

Objectives: Manipulate equations by solving for different variable.

Just steps to solve equations using mathematical properties.

Due: Sept 14th / Sept 17th

1. The *reflexive property* states that $a = a$. Give an example of the reflexive property with numbers. _____
2. The *distributive property of multiplication over addition* states that $a(b + c) = ab + ac$. Give an example of the distributive property of multiplication over addition. _____
3. The *addition property of equality* states that if $a = c$, then $a + b = c + b$. Give an example of the addition property of equality with numbers. _____
4. The *multiplication property of equality* states that if $a = c$, then $ab = cb$. Give an example of the multiplication property of equality with numbers. _____

Solve for “y” so that the following equations are in **slope-intercept form** ($y = mx + b$). To the right of each problem, **explain each of your steps**. Use as many lines as needed. **Use the properties above if possible.** (The first one is done for you.)

EX. $8x + 2y = -16$	<u>Given</u> _____	5. $\frac{1}{2}x + 2y = 22$ *	_____
$\underline{-8x} = -8x$	<u>Reflexive Property</u>	*	_____
$2y = -8x - 16$	<u>Additive Property of Equality</u>	*	_____
$\underline{\div 2 = \div 2}$	<u>Reflexive Property</u>	*	_____
$y = -4x - 8$	<u>Multiplication Prop of Equality</u>	*	_____
	_____	*	_____

6. $x + 2y = 4x$	*	_____	7. $3(x - y) = 15$ *	_____
	*	_____	*	_____
	*	_____	*	_____
	*	_____	*	_____
	*	_____	*	_____
	*	_____	*	_____

8. $-5x - \frac{1}{2}y = 10$	_____	9. $4y + 2x + 2y = 12$ *	_____
*	_____	*	_____
*	_____	*	_____
*	_____	*	_____
*	_____	*	_____
*	_____	*	_____

10. For #8 above, list:

- a) Slope: _____
- b) y-intercept: _____
- c) x-intercept: _____

11. For #9 above, list:

- a) Slope: _____
- b) y-intercept: _____
- c) x-intercept: _____

Solve the following for x.

12. $4(x - y) = 2(6 + x)$ 13. $8x - 2y + x + 5 = 23 - 5y$ 14. $-7x - 4y = 15 + 2(3y - x)$

Solve for the given variable. (Hint: your answers should not repeat.)

15. $4(2x + y) = -32$, **solve for y** 16. $4(2x + y) = -32$, **solve for x**

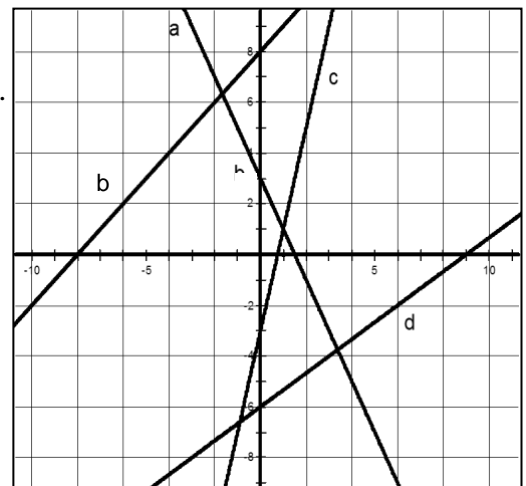
17. $3m - p = 5(2 - p)$, **solve for p** 18. $3m - p = 5(2 - p)$, **solve for m**

19. $4(r - d) = 8$, **solve for d** 20. $4(r - d) = 8$, **solve for r**

Match the equation of the lines below to those graphed to the right.

Justify and explain how you matched the equations.

21. $-2x + 3 = y$ 22. $4x - y = 3$
23. $2x - 3y = 18$ 24. $3x - 3y = -24$



Extra Credit: Find the equation for a line when the **x-intercept = 6** and passes through the point (7, 8).