

Year 8 Worksheet 6: Equations

Question 1: Answer the following.

1	Solve for x: $3x + 7 = 22$
	A. x = 4 B. x = 5
	C. x = 6 D. x = 7
2	Which equation represents "eight less than three times a number is equal to 20"?
	A. $3x - 8 = 20$ B. $3x + 8 = 20$
	C. $8 - 3x = 20$ D. $8 + 3x = 20$
3	Solve for y: 2y/4 = 5
	A. $y = 5/2$ B. $y = 10$
	C. y = 20 D. y = 40
4	If 2y - 3 = 7, what is the value of y?
	A. y = 2
	B. y = 5 C. y = 7
	D. y = 8
5	Which equation represents "three times a number increased by 5 is equal to 17"?
	A. 3x + 5 = 17 B. 3x - 5 = 17
	C. $5 - 3x = 17$
	D. $5 + 3x = 17$

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6	Solve for x: $2(x - 2) = 16$
	A. x = 8
	B. x = 10
	C. $x = 12$ D. $x = 14$
7	If $4(y + 3) = 28$, what is the value of y?
	A. y = 2
	B. y = 4 C. y = 5
	D. y = 6
8	Which equation represents "five less than twice a number is equal to 11"?
	A. 2x - 5 = 11
	B. 5 - 2x = 11
	C. $5 - 2x = -11$ D. $2x + 5 = -11$
9	Solve for x: $\frac{3}{4}x = 9$
	A. x = 12
	B. x = 16
	C. $x = 18$ D. $x = 24$
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10	If $6(2x - 1) = 42$, what is the value of x?
	A. $x = 3$
	B. x = 4 C. x = 5
	D. x = 6



Question 2: Answer the following.

1	Tom has twice as many marbles as Alice. Together, they have 27 marbles. How many marbles does Tom have?
2	Sarah's age is three times her sister's age. If the sum of their ages is 32, how old is Sarah?
ത	A rectangular garden is 5 meters longer than it is wide. If half of the perimeter of the garden is 36 meters, what are the dimensions of the garden?
4	The sum of two consecutive even integers is 50. What are the two integers?



5	A shop sells two types of juice: orange juice for \$2.50 per bottle and apple juice for \$3.00 per bottle. If Mary bought 5 bottles of juice for a total of \$13.50, how many bottles of each type did she buy?
6	A swimming pool has a length that is 4 meters less than twice its width. If the perimeter of the pool is 70 meters, find the dimensions of the pool.
7	The sum of two consecutive odd integers is 52. What are the two integers?



∞	Jenny's age is three times her son's age. In 15 years, Jenny's age will be twice her son's age. How old are they now?
O	A bakery sells two types of cakes: chocolate cakes for \$8 each and vanilla cakes for \$6 each. If the total revenue from selling 10 cakes is \$68, how many of each type of cake were sold?
10	Lisa's father is 3 times as old as Lisa. In 10 years, Lisa's age will be half of her father's age. How old are they now?





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Answer Key

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    If 6(2x - 1) = 42, what is the value of x?
     A. x = 3
     B. x = 4
     C. x = 5
     D. x = 6
     Answer: B. x = 4
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Question 2: Answer the following.

1	Tom has twice as many marbles as Alice. Together, they have 27 marbles. How many marbles does Tom have? Answer: Tom has 18 marbles.
2	Sarah's age is three times her sister's age. If the sum of their ages is 32, how old is Sarah? Answer: Sarah is 24 years old.
3	A rectangular garden is 5 meters longer than it is wide. If half of the perimeter of the garden is 36 meters, what are the dimensions of the garden? Answer: The dimensions of the garden are 6 meters by 30 meters.
4	The sum of two consecutive even integers is 50. What are the two integers? Answer: The two integers are 24 and 26.
5	A shop sells two types of juice: orange juice for \$2.50 per bottle and apple juice for \$3.00 per bottle. If Mary bought 5 bottles of juice for a total of \$13.50, how many bottles of each type did she buy? Answer: Mary bought 3 bottles of orange juice and 2 bottles of apple juice.
6	A swimming pool has a length that is 4 meters less than twice its width. If the perimeter of the pool is 70 meters, find the dimensions of the pool. Answer: The dimensions of the pool are 7 meters by 28 meters.
7	The sum of two consecutive odd integers is 52. What are the two integers? Answer: The two integers are 25 and 27.
8	Jenny's age is three times her son's age. In 15 years, Jenny's age will be twice her son's age. How old are they now? Answer: Jenny is 45 years old, and her son is 15 years old.
9	A bakery sells two types of cakes: chocolate cakes for \$8 each and vanilla cakes for \$6 each. If the total revenue from selling 10 cakes is \$68, how many of each type of cake were sold? Answer: 4 chocolate cakes and 6 vanilla cakes were sold.



Lisa's father is 3 times as old as Lisa. In 10 years, Lisa's age will be half of her father's age. How old are they now?

Answer: Lisa is 10 years old, and her father is 30 years old.