

Honors Algebra II

Unit 1 – Foundations of L.A.



MATH, ENGINEERING, AND SCIENCE ACADEMY

Systems WP Practice

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Zoom Car Rentals charges \$25 per day, plus 35¢ per mile to rent a car. Friendly Car Rentals charges 55¢ per mile with no upfront fee. If "c" is the total rental cost and "m" is the number of miles, write a system of equations to represent the situation.

$$\begin{cases} C = 0.35m + 25 & \leftarrow \text{Zoom} \\ C = 0.55m & \leftarrow \text{Friendly} \end{cases}$$

The entrance fee to gain admission to Carnival A is \$4 per person and the cost for a ticket to ride an attraction is \$2. Carnival B only charges \$2 per person for admission, but tickets to ride cost \$2.50 each. Write a system of equations that could be used to represent the situation.

$$\begin{cases} C = 2r + 4 & \leftarrow \text{Carnival A} \\ C = 2.5r + 2 & \leftarrow \text{Carnival B} \end{cases}$$

* Variables don't matter unless assigned *

A concession stand sells hamburgers. One family orders two hamburgers and three hotdogs and pays \$20.50. The next order is for three hamburgers and two hotdogs and totals \$22. Write a system of equations and solve for the individual price of a hamburger and hotdog.

$$\begin{cases} 2x + 3y = 20.50 & \leftarrow \text{First order} \\ 3x + 2y = 22 & \leftarrow \text{second order} \end{cases}$$

Hamburgers - x
Hotdogs - y

All questions will be multiple choice! As long as you can create the equation, plug in the responses!!!

A concession stand sells sodas for 75¢ and waters for \$1.25. Six beverages are purchased for a total of \$5.50. How many of each type of beverage was purchased?

$$\begin{aligned} \$ & \\ \hline & .75s + 1.25w = 5.50 \\ \text{Ber} & \\ \hline & s + w = 6 \\ & -w \quad -w \\ \hline & s = 6 - w \end{aligned}$$

once your equations are created, find an equation easy to isolate a variable. Then substitute. OR USE MULTIPLE CHOICE

A bakery sells cupcakes for \$3.00 and cookies for \$1.50. You buy 15 desserts for a party and pay \$31.50. How many of each dessert did you buy?

$$\begin{aligned} \$ & \\ \hline & 3C + 1.50K = 31.50 \\ \text{Food} & \\ \hline & C + K = 15 \\ & -K \quad -K \\ \hline & C = 15 - K \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & 3(15 - K) + 1.50K = 31.50 \\ & 45 - 3K + 1.50K = 31.50 \\ & 45 - 1.50K = 31.50 \\ & -45 \quad -45 \\ \hline & -1.50K = -13.50 \\ & \frac{-1.50}{-1.50} \quad \frac{-13.50}{-1.50} \\ \hline & K = 9 \end{aligned}$$

C ⇒ Cupcake
K ⇒ Cookies

9 Cookies
6 Cupcakes

A large pizza at Tony's Pizzeria costs \$6.80 plus \$0.90 for each topping. The cost of a large cheese pizza at Royal's Pizza is \$7.30 plus \$0.65 for each topping. How many toppings need to be added to a large cheese pizza from Tony's Pizzeria and Royal's Pizza in order for the pizzas to cost the same, not including tax?

$$\begin{cases} y = 0.90x + 6.80 & \leftarrow \text{Tony's} \\ y = 0.65x + 7.30 & \leftarrow \text{Royal's} \end{cases}$$

* "same" in math implies "equal"

$$0.90x + 6.80 = 0.65x + 7.30$$

Again solve OR substitute answers when given MC. Creating the equation is the hardest part!!!