

SECTION 1.3: SOLVING EQUATIONS WITH VARIABLES ON BOTH SIDES

Homework: _____

Learning Targets:

- 2a. Understanding of when to combine like terms and perform inverses
- 2b. Understanding the required order of inverses needed to solve all types of equations

- ❖ To solve equations, you have to do the _____ operation
- ❖ You _____ like terms on each side of the equal sign
- ❖ You move your _____ to the same side!
- ❖ Once your variables are together, you move the number that is not _____ the variable first!

Types of Solutions

One solution

No Solution

Infinite Solutions

$$5x - 3 + 2x = 8$$

$$4x - 3 = 2x + 3$$

Problems for Left

Solve for x

- $2(x - 3) + 3x = 14$
- $2x - 3 + 4x = 6x + 3$
- $2x - 6 + x = 3(x - 2)$
- $4x + 6 = x - 9$