Algebra - Video #1 Questions (Equations, Expressions, Inequalities, Order of Operations)

Now that you have studied Algebra Equations, Expressions, Inequalities and Order of Operations, please take out a blank piece of paper so you can work through the following 5 problems. Remember, you need to get at least 4 of the 5 correct to move on.

For each question, choose the correct answer from the possible options.

1. Which of the following is an example of an inequality?

a.
$$3x - 9 = 7$$

b.
$$3x - 9 < 7$$

(correct answer is b)

2. Simplify:

$$12 \div 3 \cdot 2 + 5$$

- a. 13
- a. 7
- b. 47

(correct answer is a)

3. Solve for x

$$4.9x - 8.1 = 1.7$$

- a. .2
- a. 20
- b. 2

(correct answer is c)

4. Solve for x

$$\frac{2}{3}$$
 x + $\frac{1}{5}$ = 2

- a. 27
- a. 2.7
- b. $\frac{10}{27}$

(correct answer is b)

- 5. When you use order of operations to simplify an algebraic expression, which of the following statements is always true?
- a. You should always do addition before subtraction
- a. You should always do multiplication before division
- b. You should work "left to right" when deciding whether to do multiplication or division first

(correct answer is c)