



# Math Worksheet for 7th Grade

## Two-step inequalities

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Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Two-step inequalities (simple)

1. Solve:  $2x + 3 < 11$
2. Solve:  $3x - 4 > 8$
3. Solve:  $-2x + 5 \leq 13$
4. Solve:  $4x + 6 \geq 22$
5. Solve:  $5x - 10 < 15$
6. Solve:  $6x + 2 > 20$
7. Solve:  $-3x - 3 \geq -12$
8. Solve:  $(\frac{1}{2})x + 3 \leq 7$
9. Solve:  $3x + 2 \leq 11$
10. Solve:  $7x - 5 < 16$
11. Solve:  $4x - 8 \geq 0$
12. Solve:  $2x + 7 \leq 21$
13. Solve:  $-4x + 9 < 1$
14. Solve:  $9x - 3 > 33$
15. Solve:  $8x + 4 \leq 36$
16. Solve:  $5x - 2 \leq 13$
17. Solve:  $2x - 9 < -1$
18. Solve:  $3x + 5 \leq 14$
19. Solve:  $-6x + 12 \geq 0$
20. Solve:  $(\frac{x}{3}) + 4 > 8$

### Two-step inequality word problems — apples

(For each, let  $x$  be the unknown asked for; set up and solve a two-step inequality.)

21. Mia buys  $x$  baskets with 3 apples each and already has 5 apples. She needs at least 20 apples. ( $3x + 5 \geq 20$ )
22. Sam buys  $x$  bags with 4 apples each and already has 6 apples. He wants fewer than 22 apples. ( $4x + 6 < 22$ )
23. Each apple basket holds 5 apples. After she buys  $x$  baskets and 2 extra apples, she wants no more than 27 apples. ( $5x + 2 \leq 27$ )
24. A harvest fills  $x$  crates of 6 apples each and there are 3 loose apples. The farmer wants at least 45 apples. ( $6x + 3 \geq 45$ )
25. Ben picks  $x$  apples each day for 3 days and already had 7 apples; he wants fewer than 40 apples. ( $3x + 7 < 40$ )
26. Each apple costs \$2 and there is a \$1 packaging fee. Tom can spend at most \$15. How many apples  $x$  can he buy? ( $2x + 1 \leq 15$ )
27. Lucy has 2 boxes with  $x$  apples each and 4 loose apples. She wants more than 18 apples. ( $2x + 4 > 18$ )



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28. She buys  $x$  bags holding 8 apples each and gives away 7 apples; she needs at least 25 apples left.  $(8x - 7 \geq 25)$
29. Four trees each produce  $x$  apples and there are 10 extra apples; total must be less than 50.  $(4x + 10 < 50)$
30. Apples are packed in crates of 9; with  $x$  crates plus 2 extra apples she wants at least 83 apples.  $(9x + 2 \geq 83)$
31. She buys 3 packages; each package has  $x$  apples plus 4 bonus apples per package  $(3(x + 4))$ . She wants at least 30 apples total.  $(3(x + 4) \geq 30)$
32. Apples cost \$3 each and there is a \$2 fee. She can spend at most \$20.  $(3x + 2 \leq 20)$
33. Apples are put into  $x$  boxes of 7 apples, plus one extra box (7). She wants fewer than 49 apples.  $(7x + 7 < 49)$
34. Each apple weighs 200 g and packaging is 100 g. The total must be at least 1000 g. How many apples  $x$  are needed?  $(200x + 100 \geq 1000)$
35. He sells  $x$  crates of apples for \$4 each and must cover a \$5 expense; he needs total revenue at least \$32.  $(4x - 5 \geq 27)$
- Two-step inequality word problems — R&B (*music*/*shop*/band contexts)
36. An R&B store charges \$8 per CD and a \$3 membership fee. The customer has at most \$35.  $(8x + 3 \leq 35)$
37. A club sells 50 tickets per R&B night and there are 20 extra guest passes. They want to sell more than 300 tickets:  $50x + 20 > 300$ .
38. R&B T-shirts cost \$12 each plus \$2 shipping. The buyer can spend at most \$50.  $(12x + 2 \leq 50)$
39. Pressing albums costs \$5 per album plus a \$100 studio fee. Production must be under \$300.  $(5x + 100 < 300)$
40. An R&B radio block plays  $x$  songs per hour. In 3 hours plus 2 bonus songs they must have at least 20 songs.  $(3x + 2 \geq 20)$
41. Each album sale gives 3 fan points. With  $x$  albums sold and 10 existing points, they want fewer than 50 points.  $(3x + 10 < 50)$
42. Vinyls cost \$15 each plus a \$5 handling fee. A buyer spends at most \$80.  $(15x + 5 \leq 80)$
43. A promoter pays  $x$  dollars per band member for 4 members plus a \$200 fee. The total pay must be at least \$800.  $(4x + 200 \geq 800)$
44. Equipment rental is \$40 per day plus a \$60 deposit. The band can pay at most \$300.  $(40x + 60 \leq 300)$
45. A playlist includes 18 songs of length  $x$  minutes each and there are 10 minutes of breaks. The playlist total must fit in 120 minutes.  $(18x + 10 \leq 120)$
46. The R&B store has  $x$  boxes of 12 CDs plus 30 loose CDs; total must be less than 150 CDs.  $(12x + 30 < 150)$
47. A package sells 3 bundles of  $x$  tracks plus 5 bonus tracks. The total must be at least 50 tracks.  $(3x + 5 \geq 50)$
48. A DJ charges \$25 per hour plus a \$40 setup fee. The budget is at most \$190.  $(25x + 40 \leq 190)$
49. Record sleeves cost \$0.50 each and shipping is \$10. The cost must be at most \$60.  $(0.5x + 10 \leq 60)$
50. The band expects to sell 12 tickets per show and has already pre-sold 4 tickets. They want at least 100 tickets sold. How many shows  $x$  are needed?  $(12x + 4 \geq 100)$