

# Solving One-Step Equations x/÷

Solving a one-step equation with integers requires you to create zero pairs to isolate the variable.

## Examples:

#1 Solve:  $-2x = 12$       Check:  $-2x = 12$   
 $\div -2 \quad \div -2$                            $-2(-6) = -12$   
 $x = -6$      $-12 = -12 \checkmark$

#2 Solve:  $\frac{x}{-5} = -7$       Check:  $\frac{x}{-5} = -7$   
 $(-5)\frac{x}{-5} = -7 (-5)$                            $\frac{-35}{-5} = -7$   
 $x = 35$      $-7 = -7 \checkmark$

## You Try!

Solve each equation. Don't forget to check your answer.

Solve	Check
1) $\frac{x}{5} = -2$	
2) $-40 = -5p$	
3) $-2 = \frac{m}{16}$	
4) $-11k = 22$	
5) $\frac{a}{29} = 5$	
6) $-22a = -418$	

# Mixed Operation Practice

Add, Subtract, Multiply or Divide.

1)  $4 - 19 =$       2)  $-1820 \div (-20) =$

3)  $-44 + (-95) =$       4)  $38 - 54 =$

5)  $82 \cdot 86 =$       6)  $-3675 \div (-75) =$

7)  $-14 - 2 =$       8)  $46 - 60 =$

9)  $82 \cdot 65 =$       10)  $56 \cdot (-41) =$

11)  $13 \cdot 62 =$       12)  $57 \cdot (-7) =$

13)  $-1860 \div (-31) =$       14)  $74 - (-78) =$

15)  $80 + 63 =$       16)  $43 \cdot (-79) =$

17)  $31 + (-60) =$       18)  $-6 + 64 =$

19)  $17 + 89 =$       20)  $5 - 8 =$

21)  $7161 \div (-77) =$       22)  $38 + 53 =$

23)  $-56 \cdot (-55) =$       24)  $-1260 \div (-30) =$

25)  $-18 - 98 =$       26)  $71 \cdot 77 =$

27)  $1610 \div 46 =$       28)  $56 + (-20) =$

29)  $47 + (-88) =$       30)  $-168 \div 2 =$