

Unit 7 Objective 9 Remediation

Solve two-step inequalities in one variable

Goal: Get the variable by itself.

Steps:

-Distribute to remove the parentheses

- Then do the reverse order of operations to solve the inequality

➤ Write all answers with the variable coming first

When you divide or multiply both sides on an inequality by a negative number you must **FLIP the inequality sign!**

Examples:

A. $5x - (2 + 2x) < 31$

$$5x - 2 - 2x < 31$$

$$3x - 2 < 31$$

$$+2 \quad +2$$

$$3x < 33$$

$$\div 3 \quad \div 3$$

$$x < 11$$

B. $4x - 4 > 2x - 2$

$$-2x \quad -2x$$

$$2x - 4 > -2$$

$$+4 \quad +4$$

$$2x > 2$$

$$\div 2 \quad \div 2$$

$$x > 1$$

Try These:

1.) $6x - (3 + 5x) > 17$

2.) $7x - 2(x + 4) < 3x - 6$

3.) $-3x + 2x < 6$

4.) $3 - 6n - 4 \leq 17$

5.) $-(2 + 2m) - 2 > 6$

6.) $8(1 - 4x) \geq 40$

7.) $-p + 6p < 4 + 6p$

8.) $5 + 4x \geq x + 8$

9.) $0 < -(n + 1) + 6$

10.) $4(n - 3) \leq 16$