

Lesson 3.1- SWBAT solve systems of equations by substitution
 Kick off- Take out your homework and answer the following questions.

1) If $f(x) = x^2 + 3x$ find, $f(-2)$
 $(-2)^2 + 3(-2) = -2$

2) Solve and graph: $|9 + b| < 10$

$9 + b < 10$
 $-9 -9$
 $b < 1$

$9 + b > 10$
 $-9 -9$
 $b > 1$

$|9 + b| < 10$
 $|9 + (-2)| < 10$
 $|7| < 10$
 $7 < 10$

$|9 + 0| < 10$
 $9 < 10$

-20 -9 0 1 2

A system of equation is two equations considered together. The solution of a system of equations is an ordered pair (x, y) . Always check solution(s) algebraically.

Example:
 Is $(3, -2)$ a solution of the system of equations?
 $2x - 3y = 12$
 $5x + 2y = 11$

Check solution in BOTH equations:
 $2(3) - 3(-2) = 12$ $5(3) + 2(-2) = 11$
 $12 = 12$ $11 = 11$

Yes!

* NO means One of the two equations don't check

Examples:

1) Is $(-3, -6)$ a solution of the system of equations:
 $-4x + y = 6$
 $-5x - y = 21$

$x = -3$
 $y = -6$

$-4(-3) + (-6) = 6$
 $12 - 6 = 6$
 $6 = 6$ ✓

$-5(-3) - (-6) = 21$
 $15 + 6 = 21$
 $21 = 21$ ✓

yes!

2) Is $(1, -2)$ a solutions of the system of equations:
 $-5x + y = -2$
 $-3x + 6y = -12$

$x = 1$
 $y = -2$

$-5(1) + (-2) = -2$
 $-5 - 2 = -2$
 $-7 = -2$

No!

Substitution Method for Solving a System of Equations

- Solve one of the equations of the system in terms of x or in terms of y .
- Substitute that into the other equation for the variable.
- Solve the equation.
- Substitute that value into one of the equations to find the other variable.
- Check the solution (point) in BOTH equations.

1) Solve by the substitution method:

$5x + 4y = -1$
 $y = 2 - 2x$

$5x + 4(2 - 2x) = -1$
 $5x + 8 - 8x = -1$
 $-3x + 8 = -1$
 $-8 -8$
 $-3x = -9$
 $-3 -3$
 $x = 3$

$y = 2 - 2x$
 $y = 2 - 2(3)$
 $y = 2 - 6$
 $y = -4$

Check
 $5x + 4y = -1$
 $5(3) + 4(-4) = -1$
 $15 - 16 = -1$
 $-1 = -1$ ✓

$y = 2 - 2x$
 $(-4) = 2 - 2(3)$
 $-4 = 2 - 6$
 $-4 = -4$ ✓

2) Solve by the substitution method:

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x + y = 5 \\ -3x \quad -3x \\ \hline y = 5 - 3x \end{array}$$

① $3x + y = 5$
 $4x + 5y = 3$

② $4x + 5y = 3$
 $4x + 5(5 - 3x) = 3$
 $4x + 25 - 15x = 3$
 $-11x + 25 = 3$
 $-25 \quad -25$
 $\hline -11x = -22$
 $\hline x = 2$

③ $y = 5 - 3x$
 $y = 5 - 3(2)$
 $y = -1$
 $(2, -1)$

3) Solve by the substitution method:

$$\begin{array}{r} 3x - 2y = 4 \\ x = 2 \end{array}$$