

Alg 1

1.3

Recognize the properties of equality and identity.

Recognize the associative property

Reflexive
Symmetric
Transitive
Substitution
Additive identity

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 3 = 9 \\ -3 \quad -3 \\ \hline 2x = 6 \\ \frac{2}{2} \quad \frac{6}{2} \\ x = 3 \end{array}$$

KeyConcept Properties of Equality			
Property	Words	Symbols	Examples
Reflexive Property	Any quantity is equal to itself.	For any number a , $a = a$.	$5 = 5$ $4 + 7 = 4 + 7$
Symmetric Property	If one quantity equals a second quantity, then the second quantity equals the first.	For any numbers a and b , if $a = b$, then $b = a$.	If $8 = 2 + 6$, then $2 + 6 = 8$.
Transitive Property	If one quantity equals a second quantity and the second quantity equals a third quantity, then the first quantity equals the third quantity.	For any numbers a , b , and c , if $a = b$ and $b = c$, then $a = c$.	If $6 + 9 = 3 + 12$ and $3 + 12 = 15$, then $6 + 9 = 15$.
Substitution Property	A quantity may be substituted for its equal in any expression.	If $a = b$, then a may be replaced by b in any expression.	If $n = 11$, then $4n = 4 \cdot 11$



$$3 = x$$

$$x = 3$$

LOTS

$$4 \cdot 3 + 2 \cdot 5$$

$$12 + 10$$

$$8 = 2 + 6$$

$$2 + 6 = 8$$

$$K = R$$

$$R = J$$

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KeyConcept Addition Properties $2 + ? = 2$



Property	Words	Symbols	Examples
<u>Additive Identity</u>	For any number a , the sum of a and 0 is a .	$a + 0 = 0 + a = a$	$2 + 0 = 2$ $0 + 2 = 2$
<u>Additive Inverse</u>	A number and its opposite are additive inverses of each other.	$a + (-a) = 0$	$3 + (-3) = 0$ $4 - 4 = 0$

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$$3 + -3 = 0$$

KeyConcept Associative Property



Words	The way you group three or more numbers when adding or multiplying does not change their sum or product.
Symbols	For any numbers a , b , and c , $(a + b) + c = a + (b + c)$ and $(ab)c = a(bc)$.
Examples	$(3 + 5) + 7 = 3 + (5 + 7)$ $(2 \cdot 6) \cdot 9 = 2 \cdot (6 \cdot 9)$

$$(3 + 5) + 7$$

$$8 + 7$$

$$3 + (5 + 7)$$

$$3 + 12$$

$$(2 \cdot 3) \cdot 5$$

$$6 \cdot 5$$

$$2 \cdot (3 \cdot 5)$$

$$2 \cdot 15$$

Party Supplies	
Item	Cost (\$)
balloons	6.75
decorations	14.00
food	23.25
beverages	20.50

$$6.75 + 14.00 + 23.25 + 20.50 = 64.50$$

64.50

Real-World Example 2 Apply Properties of Numbers

PARTY PLANNING Eric makes a list of items that he needs to buy for a party and their costs. Find the total cost of these items.

Check Your Understanding

Step-by-Step Solutions begin on page R13.



Example 1 Evaluate each expression. Name the property used in each step.

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1. $(1 \div 5)5 \cdot 14$

2. $6 + 4(19 - 15)$

3. $5(14 - 5) + 6(3 + 7)$

4. **FINANCIAL LITERACY** Carolyn has 9 quarters, 4 dimes, 7 nickels, and 2 pennies, which can be represented as $9(25) + 4(10) + 7(5) + 2$. Evaluate the expression to find how much money she has. Name the property used in each step.

$$(1 \div 5) \cdot 5 \cdot 14$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{5}\right) \cdot 5 \cdot 14$$

14 subs

$$225 + 40 + 35 + 2$$

subs

\$302

302
\$3.02

subs

Evaluate each expression using the properties of numbers. Name the property used in each step.

5. $23 + 42 + 37 = 102$ Subs

6. $2.75 + 3.5 + 4.25 + 1.5 = 12$

7. $3 \cdot 7 \cdot 10 \cdot 2 = 420$ Subs

8. $\frac{1}{4} \cdot 24 \cdot \frac{2}{3} = 4$

Evaluate each expression. Name the property used in each step.

9. $3(22 - 3 \cdot 7)$ $3 \cdot 1 =$

11. $\frac{3}{4} [4 \div (7 - 4)]$

13. $2(3 \cdot 2 - 5) + 3 \cdot \frac{1}{3}$

10. $7 + (9 - 3^2)$

12. $[3 \div (2 \cdot 1)] \frac{2}{3}$

14. $6 \cdot \frac{1}{6} + 5(12 \div 4 - 3)$