- **1.** Which steps could be used to solve for x in the equation $7x + \frac{1}{3} = 2\frac{2}{3}$?
- A Divide both sides of the equation by $\frac{1}{7}$, and then subtract 3 from both sides of the equation.
- **B** Divide both sides of the equation by 7, and then subtract $\frac{1}{3}$ from both sides of the equation.
- **C** Subtract $\frac{1}{3}$ from both sides of the equation, and then divide both sides of the equation by 7.
- **D** Subtract 3 from both sides of the equation, and then multiply both sides of the equation by 7.

2. Two students will use different methods to calculate the height of a rectangle that has a length of 10 units and a perimeter of 60 units.

Student 1Student 2
$$60 = 2h + 2(10)$$
 $(60 \div 2) - 10 = h$

If the students only use whole numbers, which statement is true about the operations the students will use to solve each method?

- A Student 1 will add then divide, and Student 2 will divide then subtract.
- **B** Student 1 will subtract then divide, and Student 2 will divide then subtract.
- **C** Student 1 will divide then add, and Student 2 will subtract then divide.
- **D** Student 1 will divide then subtract, and Student 2 will subtract then divide.

3. Which of the following describes how the value of *x* can be found in the equation $\frac{x}{3} + 4 = \frac{1}{2}$ in two steps?

- A Subtract 4 from both sides of the equation, and then multiply both sides of the equation by 3.
- **B** Subtract 4 from both sides of the equation, and then multiply both sides of the equation by $\frac{1}{3}$.
- **C** Add 4 to both sides of the equation, and then multiply both sides of the equation by 3.
- **D** Add 4 to both sides of the equation, and then multiply both sides of the equation by $\frac{1}{3}$.

4. Which statement BEST describes how the equation $3 - \frac{4}{5}x = 12$ can be solved for the value of *x* in two steps?

- **A** Add $\frac{1}{3}$ to both sides of the equation, then multiply both sides by $-\frac{4}{5}$.
- **B** Add 3 to both sides of the equation, then multiply both sides by $\frac{4}{5}$.
- **C** Subtract $\frac{1}{3}$ from both sides of the equation, then multiply both sides by $-\frac{5}{4}$.
- **D** Subtract 3 from both sides of the equation, then multiply both sides by $-\frac{5}{4}$.

5. A student will solve for the value of *x* in the equation $\frac{3}{5}x + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{4}{7}$ in two steps. Which of the following describes the step that is the most appropriate for the student to use first?

- **A** Add $\frac{4}{7}$ to both sides of the equation.
- **B** Subtract $\frac{1}{2}$ from both sides of the equation.
- **C** Multiply each side of the equation by $\frac{3}{5}$.
- **D** Subtract $\frac{3}{5}$ from both sides of the equation.

6. Which of the following describes how the value of *x* in the equation $85 = \frac{x+2}{5}$ could be found in two steps?

- A Add 2 to both sides, then multiply both sides by 5.
- **B** Divide both sides by 5, then subtract 2 from both sides.
- **C** Subtract 2 from both sides, then multiply both sides by 5.
- **D** Multiply both sides by 5, then subtract 2 from both sides.

7. Which would be the first step for solving the equation $\frac{6}{7}x + 2 = 18$?

- A add -2 to both sides of the equation
- **B** add 18 to both sides of the equation
- **C** divide both sides of the equation by $\frac{7}{4}$
- **D** multiply both sides of the equation by $-\frac{7}{6}$

8. Which of the following equations would be solved for *x* by adding 8 to both sides and then multiplying both sides by 2?

- **A** $5 = \frac{1}{2}x + 8$
- **B** $5 = \frac{1}{2}(x+8)$
- **C** $5 = \frac{1}{2}x 8$
- **D** $5 = \frac{1}{2}(x-8)$
- 9. The steps Thomas used to solve an equation are shown.

Given:	10 - 2(x - 1) = 8
Step 1:	8(x-1) = 8
Step 2:	x - 1 = 1
Step 3:	<i>x</i> = 2

Which statement about the steps Thomas used is true?

Α	There is an error in Step 1.	С	There is an error in Step 3.
В	There is an error in Step 2.	D	Thomas's steps are all correct.

10. The table below shows the steps a student used to solve the equation. At least one step contains an error.

	7 + 8x = 0
Step 1:	7 + 8x - 7 = 0 - 7
Step 2:	8x = -7
Step 3:	$\frac{8x}{8} = -7(8)$
Step 4:	x = -56

What is the first step that contains an error?

Α	Step 1	С	Step 3
В	Step 2	D	Step 4