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What is the first step you would use to solve the inequality?

1.
$$8x + 6 < 1$$

3.
$$2(y-1) \ge 9$$

5.
$$4n - 3 > 2n$$

2.
$$-10 > 3a - 5$$

4.
$$2(p-5) < 13$$

6.
$$6b + 1 \ge 9 - 4b$$

Match the verbal sentence with the inequality.

7. Three more than 2 times a number
$$x$$
 is greater than 27.

9. Three times the sum of 2 and a number x is greater than 27. **C.**
$$2(3 + x) > 27$$

10. Two more than 3 times a number
$$x$$
 is greater than 27.

A.
$$2 + 3x > 27$$

B.
$$3 + 2x > 27$$

C.
$$2(3+x) > 27$$

D.
$$3(2 + x) > 27$$

Solve the inequality. Graph your solution.

11.
$$2x + 4 \ge 6$$

12.
$$3p - 1 < 5$$

13.
$$5n + 8 \ge -7$$

14.
$$4a - 9 \le -25$$

15.
$$-2y + 3 \ge 3$$

16.
$$-1 - 4c < 3$$

17.
$$5(m+1) \le 20$$

18.
$$3(p-2) > 6$$

19.
$$7(x-4) \le 0$$

20.
$$4(w+6) \ge 60$$

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Solve the inequality, if possible.

21.
$$6x + 2 \le 5x + 2$$

23.
$$2x - 8 + 3x \ge 5x - 4$$

25.
$$9a - 6a + 1 \le 1 + 3a$$

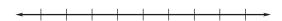
22.
$$4y + 1 > y - 8 + 3y$$

24.
$$3(b-1) < 3b+3$$

26.
$$8y + 10 > 2(4y + 7) - 3$$

Translate the verbal phrase into an inequality. Then solve the inequality and graph your solution.

27. The sum of 4x and 7 is less than or equal to 39.



28. Three times the difference of x and 2 is greater than -21.



29. The sum of 5x and 8x is less than the sum of 4x and 27.



- **30. Greeting Cards** Your school club is making greeting cards to raise money for a trip. You spend \$60 on supplies and plan to sell the cards for \$2 each.
 - **a.** Write an inequality that gives the possible numbers c of cards you need to sell in order for the profit to be positive.
 - **b.** What are the possible numbers of cards you need to sell in order for the profit to be positive?
- **31. Gasoline** A grocery store chain that owns gasoline stations is offering its customers a deal. For every \$50 customers spend on groceries, the service station charges \$.10 less per gallon of gasoline.
 - **a.** If gasoline costs \$2.15 per gallon, how much will it cost per gallon if you spend \$50 at the grocery store?
 - **b.** Write an inequality that gives the possible numbers *g* of gallons of gasoline you can buy if you spend exactly \$50 on groceries and want to spend at most \$60 on groceries and gasoline.
 - **c.** What are the possible numbers of whole gallons of gasoline you can buy?