NOTES: Sections 3.4 – Solving Equations with Variables on **Both Sides**

Goals: #1 – I can solve equations that have variables on both sides. Homework: Section 3.3 – 3.4 Worksheet



Warm Up:

- 1. Solve the following equations.
 - c. $\frac{3}{4}(x+6) = 12$ a. 5(6+i) = 45 b. 5w + 2w - 7 = 70

Exploration #1:

1. Combine all the like terms and simplify the expression: a. $3x^2 + 4 - x - 2x + 5x^3$ b. $3(x+2) + 4x - x^2$

Notes:

Solving linear equations may requrie more than ______ step.

Some equations have variables on _______ sides. To solve these equations, we are going to ______ all our variable terms on one side of the equation.

Linear equations have ______ solution, ______ solutions, OR ______ solution.

Example:

Example #1: Solve the following equations.

1. 7x + 19 = -2x + 55

2. 80 - 9y = 6y

You practice: Solve the following equations.

1. 5y - 2 = y + 10

2. -6x + 4 = -8x

Example #2: Solve the following equations.

1. 3x - 10 + 4x = 5x - 7

2.
$$3(x+2) = 3x + 6$$

3.
$$3(x+2) = 2x + 4$$

You practice: Solve the following equations.

2. 2(x + 4) = 2x - 81. 5x - 3x + 4 = 3x + 8

CHALLENGE: Solve the equation: 7 - (-4t) = 4t - 14 - 21t