

I can identify number properties.

Number Properties Reference Guide

<p>Commutative Property of Addition Definition: Numbers can be added in any order and get the same sum. Numbers Example: $5+2=7$ $2+5=7$ Algebra Example: $a+b=c$ $b+a=c$</p>	<p>Associative Property of Addition Definition: Numbers being added can be grouped in any way and get the same sum. Numbers Example: $(1+2)+3=6$ $1+(2+3)=6$ Algebra Example: $(a+b)+c=d$ $a+(b+c)=d$</p>	<p>Identity Property of Addition Definition: The sum of any number and 0 is that number. Numbers Example: $5+0=5$ $-8+0=-8$ Algebra Example: $a+0=a$ $b+0=b$</p>		
<p>Commutative Property of Multiplication Definition: Numbers can be multiplied in any order and get the same answer. Numbers Example: $2 \cdot 5 = 10$ $5 \cdot 2 = 10$ Algebra Example: $ab = c$ $ba = c$</p>	<p>Associative Property of Multiplication Definition: Numbers being multiplied can be grouped in any way and get the same answer. Numbers Example: $(2 \cdot 3) \cdot 4 = 24$ $2 \cdot (3 \cdot 4) = 24$ Algebra Example: $(a \cdot b) \cdot c = d$ $a \cdot (b \cdot c) = d$</p>	<p>Identity Property of Multiplication Definition: The product of any number and 1 is that number. Numbers Example: $5 \cdot 1 = 5$ $-8 \cdot 1 = -8$ Algebra Example: $a \cdot 1 = a$ $b \cdot 1 = b$</p>		
<p>Distributive Property Definition: Multiplying a sum by a number is the same as multiplying by each addend. Numbers Example: $2(3+4) = 2(3) + 2(4)$ Algebra Example: $a(b+c) = ab+ac$</p>	<p>Additive Inverse Property Definition: The sum of any number and its opposite is 0. Numbers Example: $5+(-5)=0$ $-8+8=0$ Algebra Example: $a+(-a)=0$ $-b+b=0$</p>	<p>Multiplicative Inverse Property Definition: The product of a number and its reciprocal is 1. Numbers Example: $5 \cdot \frac{1}{5} = 1$ $10 \cdot \frac{1}{10} = 1$ Algebra Example: $a \cdot \frac{1}{a} = 1$ $b \cdot \frac{1}{b} = 1$</p>		
<p>Zero Product Property Definition: If the product of two numbers is 0, one of the numbers must be zero.</p>			<p>Numbers Example: $5 \cdot 0 = 0$ $-8 \cdot 0 = 0$</p>	<p>Algebra Example: $a \cdot b = 0$ a ^{and} $b = 0$</p>

I can apply number properties.

Why do we use number properties?

With Numbers: To solve problems quickly and mentally

With Variables: To represent all expressions

Examples:

1) How can you use a property to solve this problem in your head?

$$15(2 \cdot 9)$$

Which property did you use?

$$(15 \cdot 2) \cdot 9 = 30 \cdot 9 = 270$$

Associative

2) How can you use a property to solve this problem in your head?

$$-6 + 72 + (-14) + 8$$

Which property did you use?

$$-6 + (-14) + 72 + 8$$

$$-20 + 80 = 60$$

Commutative

3) Use TWO properties to help solve the problem.

$$(-3 \cdot 4) \left(\frac{1}{4} \cdot -\frac{1}{3} \right)$$

Which properties?

$$-3 \cdot -\frac{1}{3} \cdot 4 \cdot \frac{1}{4}$$

$$1 \cdot 1 = 1$$

Associative & Mult. Inverse

4) Use TWO properties to help solve the problem.

$$-3.85 + 18.21 + 3.85$$

Which properties?

$$-3.85 + 3.85 + 18.21$$

$$0 + 18.21 = 18.21$$

Commutative & Add. Inverse

Examples:

5) $-2.12 + (-42.18) + 2.12$

Which properties?

$$0 + (-42.18) = -42.18$$

Commutative

6) $-2 + (5+3) + (2+-3)$

Which properties?

$$0 + 0 + 5 = 5$$

Associative

Add. Inverse

7) $-9 \cdot (5 \cdot \frac{1}{9}) (6 \cdot -\frac{1}{5})$

Which properties?

$$-1 \cdot -1 \cdot 6 = 6$$

Associative

&

Mult. Inverse

8) $(-2+5) + 2 + 3(1) + 3(0)$

Which properties?

$$0 + 5 + 3 + 0 = 8$$

Associative

Identity

Zero