

Homework 14.3

1. Bob sells cars and earns a base salary of \$500 per week plus \$180 for each car he sells.

Write an equation to represent the total amount of money Bob earns in a week (m) if he sells (c) cars.

Answer _____

If Bob made \$2120 last week, how many cars did he sell?

Answer _____

2. An amusement park charges \$70 for each adult ticket and \$45 for each child ticket. One group's total cost was \$570.

Write an equation to represent the number of adult tickets (a) and the number of child tickets (c) that the group bought considering they spent \$570.

Answer _____

If there were 3 adults in the group, how many children were there in the group?

Answer _____

3. A taxi cab charges a flat fee of \$2.00 plus \$1.75 for each mile.

Write an equation to represent the cost (c) of a cab ride that travels (m) miles.

Answer _____

If my last cab ride cost a total of \$40.50, how many miles did I travel?

Answer _____

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4. Emily has \$40 to spend on ground beef and chicken for a party. The beef costs \$5 per pound and the chicken costs \$4 per pound.

Write an equation to represent the number of pounds of beef (b) and the number of pounds of chicken (c) that Emily can buy for \$40.

Answer _____

If Emily buys 5 pounds of chicken, how many pounds of beef can she buy?

Answer _____

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1. $m = 180c + 500$; 9
2. $70a + 45c = 570$; 8
3. $c = 1.75m + 2.00$; 22
4. $5b + 4c = 40$; 4