

COMMUTATIVE PROPERTY OF ADDITION

ORDER DOES NOT MATTER



IN THIS PACKET, POE AND I WILL BE SHOWING YOU THE COMMUTATIVE AND ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTIES.

THE BASIC CONCEPT OF BOTH OF THESE IS THAT THE ORDER DOES NOT MATTER.



YES, THAT'S TRUE, BUT THE PROPERTIES ONLY WORK FOR ADDITION AND MULTIPLICATION

THAT'S RIGHT, MAX. I ALMOST FORGOT, AND THAT'S VERY IMPORTANT TO KNOW.

LET'S FIRST TAKE A LOOK AT THE COMMUTATIVE PROPERTY OF ADDITION.

HELPFUL EXAMPLE

$4 + 6 = 10$ SAME AS $6 + 4 = 10$
 $4 + 6 = 6 + 4$

DO YOU SEE HOW WE STILL GET THE SAME ANSWER NO MATTER WHAT ORDER WE PUT THE NUMBERS IN?



ALL WE DID WAS CHANGE THE ORDER AND BECAUSE THIS PROBLEM ONLY HAS ADDITION WE STILL GET THE SAME ANSWER.

CHANGE THE ORDER AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

HELPFUL EXAMPLE

CHANGE THE ORDER.
NOW IT'S EASIER TO SOLVE.

$4 + 9 + 6$
 $4 + 6 + 9$
 $10 + 9$
 19

CHECK IT OUT. AFTER WE CHANGE THE ORDER IT'S EASIER TO SOLVE. NOW YOU TRY.



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| 1. $13 + 8 + 7$ 28 | 2. $25 + 9 + 5$ 39 | 3. $11 + 12 + 19$ 42 |
| 4. $12 + 10 + 18$ 40 | 5. $17 + 15 + 3$ 35 | 6. $38 + 16 + 22$ 72 |
| 7. $26 + 37 + 14$ 77 | 8. $39 + 26 + 21$ 66 | 9. $35 + 38 + 15$ 88 |

COMMUTATIVE PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION



THE COMMUTATIVE PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION IS THE SAME AS ADDITION...THE ORDER DOES NOT MATTER.

IN OTHER WORDS, WE'RE DOING THE EXACT SAME THING AS BEFORE.

YES, TAKE A LOOK AT THE PROBLEMS BELOW.



HELPFUL EXAMPLES

A. $3 \times 5 = 15$ SAME AS $5 \times 3 = 15$ B. $5 \times 9 \times 2 = 45 \times 2 = 90$ SAME AS $5 \times 2 \times 9 = 10 \times 9 = 90$



SEE, NO MATTER WHAT YOU MOVE YOU STILL GET THE SAME ANSWER.

CHANGE THE ORDER AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

HELPFUL EXAMPLE

CHANGE THE ORDER.
NOW IT'S EASIER TO SOLVE.

$2 \times 8 \times 15$
 $2 \times 15 \times 8$
 30×8
 240



IF WE CHANGE THE ORDER AND PUT THE 2 AND 15 NEXT TO EACH OTHER, WE CAN QUICKLY MULTIPLY $2 \times 15 = 30$. THEN WE CAN MULTIPLY 30×8 , WHICH IS THE SAME AS $3 \times 8 = 24$ WITH A "0" AT THE END.

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| 1. $25 \times 7 \times 4$ 700 | 2. $20 \times 11 \times 5$ 1,100 | 3. $15 \times 7 \times 2$ 210 |
| 4. $5 \times 9 \times 2$ 90 | 5. $5 \times 7 \times 20$ 700 | 6. $2 \times 12 \times 50$ 1,200 |
| 7. $50 \times 17 \times 20$ 17,000 | 8. $4 \times 23 \times 25$ 2,300 | 9. $4 \times 41 \times 25$ 4,100 |

SUBTRACTION

DIVISION



$5 - 2 = 3$ NOT THE SAME $2 - 5 = -3$

WHEN YOU SWITCH THE ORDER THE ANSWERS ARE NOT THE SAME.

$6 \div 3 = 2$ NOT THE SAME $3 \div 6 = \frac{1}{2}$

BEFORE WE MOVE ON TO THE ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTY CHECK OUT THESE TWO EXAMPLES. THEY SHOW THAT THE COMMUTATIVE PROPERTY DOES NOT WORK FOR SUBTRACTION OR DIVISION.

ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTY OF ADDITION

YOU CAN REGROUP

THE ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTY IS PRETTY MUCH THE SAME THING EXCEPT YOU ARE REGROUPING THE NUMBERS.

WE USE PARENTHESIS () TO GROUP NUMBERS IN MATHEMATICS. CHECK OUT THE PROBLEM.

HELPFUL EXAMPLE

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| $6 + (4 + 8)$ $6 + 12$ 18 | SAME AS | $(6 + 4) + 8$ $10 + 8$ 18 |
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YOU ALWAYS HAVE TO DO THE OPERATIONS INSIDE THE PARENTHESSES FIRST.

YOU CAN MOVE THE PARENTHESSES TO MAKE A DIFFERENT GROUP, WHICH CAN MAKE THE PROBLEM EASIER TO SOLVE.

DID YOU NOTICE WE DID NOT CHANGE THE ORDER, BUT RATHER THE GROUP?

REGROUP AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

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| 1. $(13 + 8) + 2$ $= 13 + (8 + 2)$ $= 13 + 10$ $= 23$ | 2. $13 + (7 + 9)$ 29 | 3. $(16 + 21) + 9$ 46 |
| 4. $15 + (15 + 4)$ 34 | 5. $16 + (24 + 3)$ 43 | 6. $(17 + 10) + 10$ 37 |
| 7. $23 + (17 + 15)$ 55 | 8. $(19 + 22) + 18$ 59 | 9. $(11 + 25) + 15$ 51 |

REWRITE THE PARENTHESSES TO MAKE THE PROBLEM EASIER.

CHANGE THE ORDER, GROUP, AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

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| 10. $5 + 8 + 5 + 2$ $= 5 + 5 + 8 + 2$ $= (5 + 5) + (8 + 2)$ $= 10 + 10$ $= 20$ | 11. $17 + 9 + 1 + 3$ 30 | 12. $4 + 13 + 16 + 3$ 36 |
| 13. $6 + 15 + 14 + 15$ 50 | 14. $4 + 39 + 16 + 1$ 60 | 15. $27 + 8 + 7 + 23$ 65 |

CHANGE THE ORDER.

GROUP THE NUMBERS.

SOLVE.

ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION

EACH PROPERTY IS THE SAME FOR ADDITION AND MULTIPLICATION.

AS YOU MIGHT HAVE GUESSED, THE ASSOCIATIVE PROPERTY OF MULTIPLICATION IS THE SAME AS ADDITION...YOU CAN REGROUP THE NUMBERS.

HELPFUL EXAMPLE

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| $(9 \times 2) \times 5$ 18×5 90 | SAME AS | $9 \times (2 \times 5)$ 9×10 90 |
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SEE HOW THE PROBLEM IS EASIER TO SOLVE AFTER WE REGROUP THE NUMBERS?

DO NOT CHANGE THE ORDER BUT THE GROUP.

REGROUP AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

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| 1. $2 \times (5 \times 14)$ $= (2 \times 5) \times 14$ $= 10 \times 14$ $= 140$ | 2. $20 \times (5 \times 9)$ 900 | 3. $(14 \times 50) \times 2$ 1,400 |
| 4. $(7 \times 15) \times 2$ 210 | 5. $4 \times (25 \times 12)$ 1,200 | 6. $(16 \times 4) \times 5$ 320 |
| 7. $5 \times (2 \times 29)$ 290 | 8. $(18 \times 20) \times 5$ 1,800 | 9. $25 \times (4 \times 31)$ 3,100 |

REWRITE THE PARENTHESSES TO MAKE THE PROBLEM EASIER.

CHANGE THE ORDER, GROUP, AND SOLVE (SHOW YOUR WORK).

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| 10. $5 \times 25 \times 2 \times 4$ $= 5 \times 2 \times 25 \times 4$ $= (5 \times 2) \times (25 \times 4)$ $= 10 \times 100$ $= 1,000$ | 11. $25 \times 3 \times 4 \times 3$ 900 | 12. $20 \times 9 \times 5 \times 11$ 9,900 |
| 13. $5 \times 7 \times 2 \times 3$ 210 | 14. $5 \times 15 \times 2 \times 4$ 600 | 15. $2 \times 4 \times 50 \times 5$ 2,000 |

CHANGE THE ORDER.

GROUP THE NUMBERS.

SOLVE.

