

# Algebra 1

Chapter 3

Section 3-1

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## Concepts

Inequality

Mathematical sentence that compares the values of two expressions

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## Inequalities

### Word Phrases

Seven is less than ten.

$$7 < 10$$

Four is greater than one.

$$4 > 1$$

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## Inequalities

### Word Phrases




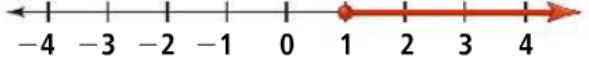
Negative twenty-two is less than negative five.

$$-22 < -5$$

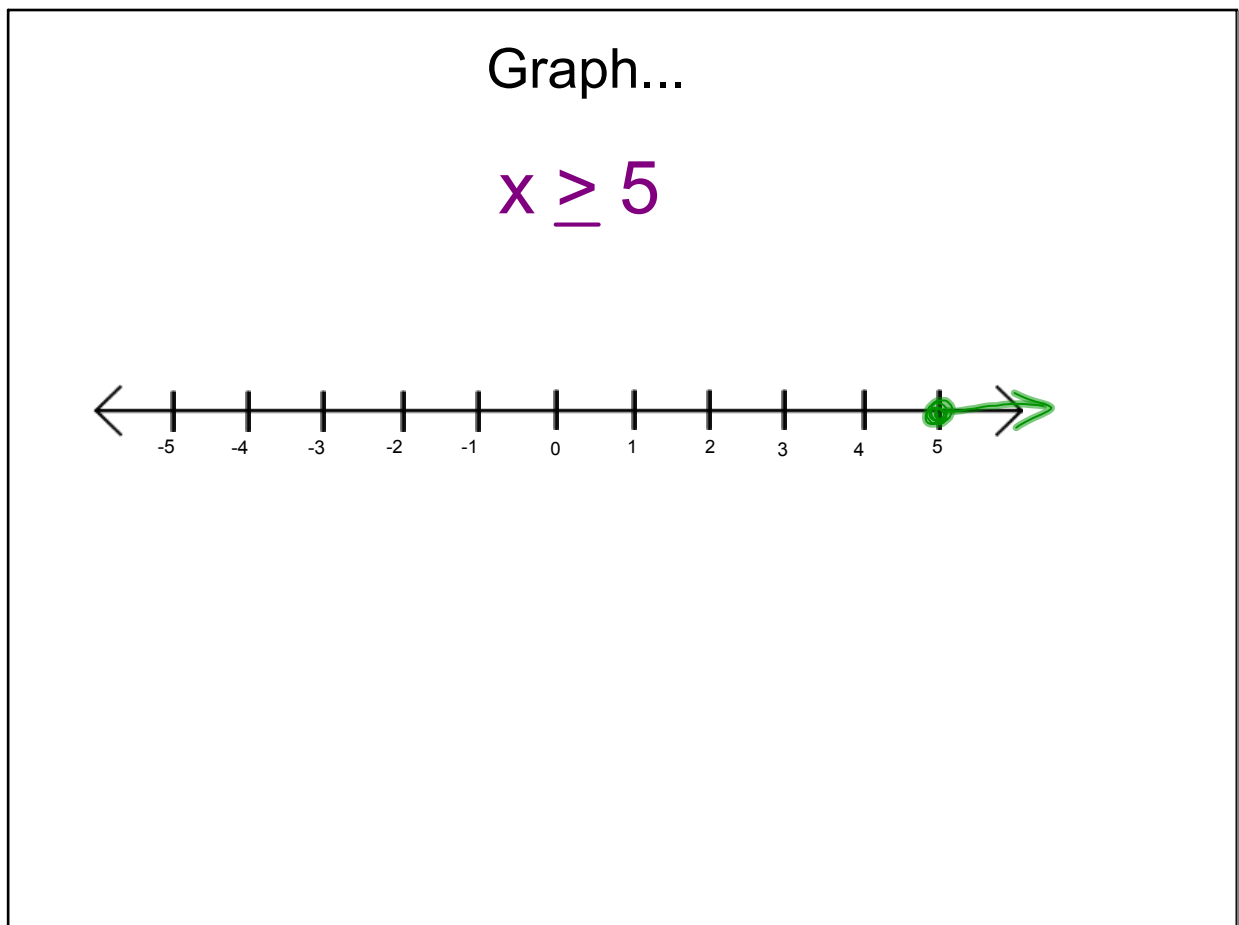
Fourteen is greater than negative thirty-one.

$$14 > -31$$

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Words	Symbols	Graph
$x$ is less than 3.	$x < 3$	
$x$ is greater than $-2$ .	$x > -2$	
$x$ is less than or equal to 0.	$x \leq 0$	
$x$ is greater than or equal to 1.	$x \geq 1$	

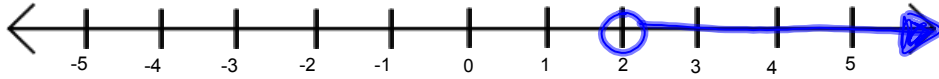
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Graph...

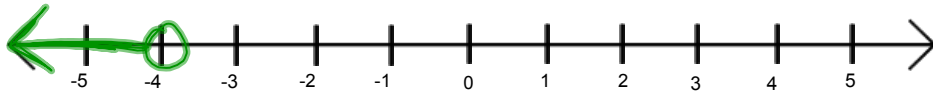
$$2 < \underline{x} \rightarrow \underline{x} > 2$$



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Graph...

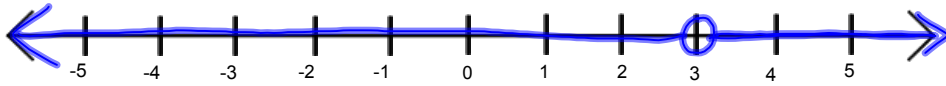
$$\underline{x} < -4$$



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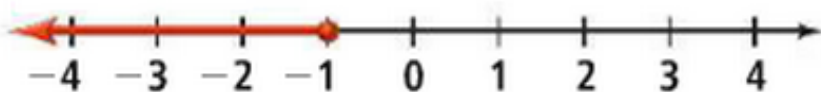
Graph...

$$x \neq 3 \rightarrow \begin{matrix} x > 3 \\ x < 3 \end{matrix}$$



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Identify the inequalities from their graphs...



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What inequality describes the situation? Be sure to define a variable.



Let  $c$  = the cost of a trail ride in dollars.

$$c \geq 19.99$$



Let  $s$  = a legal speed in miles per hour.

$$s \leq 8$$

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## Finding a Solution

$$t - 4 > 5$$

Are the following solutions of the inequality? How do you know?

$t$  is 11

$$11 - 4 > 5 \rightarrow 7 > 5 \rightarrow \text{Yes}$$

$t$  is 4

$$4 - 4 > 5 \rightarrow 0 > 5 \rightarrow \text{No}$$

$t$  is any number between 2 and 13

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## Finding a Solution

Is  $v = 20$  a solution to the inequality?

$$2v - 10 < v + 5$$

$$2(20) - 10 < 20 + 5$$

$$40 - 10 < 25$$

$$30 < 25$$

No

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## Finding a Solution

Is  $v = -4$  a solution to the inequality?

$$2 - v > -2v - 2$$

$$2 - (-4) > -2(-4) - 2$$

$$2 + 4 > 8 - 2$$

$$6 > 6$$

No

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