5-5 Study Guide and Intervention

Inequalities Involving Absolute Value

Inequalities Involving Absolute Value (<) When solving inequalities that involve absolute value, there are two cases to consider for inequalities involving < (or \le).

If |x| < n, then x > -n and x < n.

Remember that inequalities with and are related to intersections.

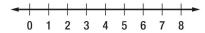
Example: Solve |3a + 4| < 10. Then graph the solution set.

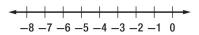
Exercises

Solve each inequality. Then graph the solution set.

2.
$$|x - 4| < 4$$

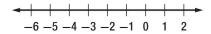
3.
$$|y + 3| \le 2$$

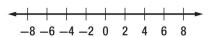




4.
$$|b + 2| \le 3$$

6.
$$|t + 2| \le 4$$





5-5 Study Guide and Intervention (continued)

Inequalities Involving Absolute Value

Solve Absolute Value Inequalities (>) When solving inequalities that involve absolute value, there are two cases to consider for inequalities involving > (or \ge).

Remember that inequalities with or are related to unions.

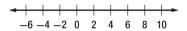
Example: Solve |2b + 9| > 5. Then graph the solution set.

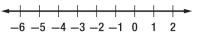
Exercises

Solve each inequality. Then graph the solution set.

1.
$$|c - 2| > 6$$

3.
$$|3f + 10| \ge 4$$





8.
$$|3 - (x - 1)| \ge 8$$

9.
$$|3r + 2| > -5$$

