USING SYMBOLS AND EXPRESSIONS TO THINK MATHEMATICALLY—SET 5



Can solve equity statements that contain an unknown.

Addition

Multiplication

$$x + x + x + x + x = 8$$

2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 8
 $x = 2$

Ratios

Subtraction

$$s - 8 = 13$$

 $s = 13 + 8$
 $s = 21$

Division

$$\frac{x}{2} = 10$$

$$x = 10 \times 2$$

$$x = 20$$

Percentages

Can write an equity statement from a simple word problem.

Liam bought a <u>packet of bread</u> rolls, 7 got eaten, there are <u>8 left</u>, how many bread rolls did Liam buy.

? bread rolls - 7 bread rolls = 8 bread rolls

$$b-7=8$$

 $b=7+8$
 $b=8$

Ella made muffins, she made 2 chocolate for every 1 banana muffin. She made 18 chocolate muffins, how many banana muffins did she make?

(2 chocolate: 1 banana) = (18 chocolate: ? banana)

= (18 chocolate : 9 banana)