

LESSON 8.3 Assignment

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Things Are Not Always as They Appear
Solving Rational Equations

1. Solve $\frac{x}{x+3} = \frac{3}{x-5}$. Check your solutions. _____

2. Solve $\frac{2x}{6} = \frac{x^2 + 7x}{15}$. Check your solutions. _____

3. Solve $\frac{-6x + 36}{x^2 - 8x + 12} = \frac{x + 2}{x - 2}$. Check your solutions.

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4. Solve $\frac{2}{x^2 - 4} + \frac{3}{x + 2} = \frac{4}{x - 2}$. Check your solutions.

5. Solve $\frac{4}{x + 1} - \frac{x^2 - 5}{x^2 + 4x + 3} = \frac{5}{x + 3}$. Check your solutions.