MAT0028 ~ Lesson 14

Work the following examples as you listen to the recorded lecture.

Solving Linear Equations

Remember -

- 1. Inequalities have <, >, \le , \ge instead of the equal symbol.
- 2. Graph by first finding the endpoint, then shade in the part of the number line in the solution set.
- 3. Use a parenthesis (or) to represent < or >.
- 4. Use a bracket [or] to represent $\leq or \geq .$

Example 1: $(-3, \infty)$

Example 2: $(-\infty, 4]$

Example 3: y < 0

Example 4: $y \ge 5$

Example 5: $x - 2 \ge 7$

Example 6: $3 - 7x \le 10 - 8x$

Example 7: 3(5x-4) < 4(3x-2)