

## Equations with variables on both sides and brackets

1.  $x + 5 = 3(x + 1)$
2.  $3(x + 5) = x + 1$
3.  $3(x + 5) = 3(2x + 1)$
4.  $3(x + 5) = 3(2x - 1)$
5.  $3(x - 5) = 3(2x - 1)$
6.  $3(2x - 5) = 3(x - 1)$
7.  $3(x - 5) = 3(2x + 1)$
8.  $3(x - 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
9.  $-3(x + 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
10.  $-3(x - 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
11.  $-3(x - 5) = -3(2x - 1)$
12.  $-3(2x - 1) = -3(x - 5)$

### ANSWERS:

$x + 5 = 3(x + 1)$	$3(x - 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
$x = 1$	$x = -6$
$3(x + 5) = x + 1$	$-3(x + 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
$x = -7$	$x = \frac{12}{9}$
$3(x + 5) = 3(2x + 1)$	$-3(x - 5) = -3(2x + 1)$
$x = 4$	$x = 4$
$3(x + 5) = 3(2x - 1)$	$-3(x - 5) = -3(2x - 1)$
$x = 6$	$x = -4$
$3(x - 5) = 3(2x - 1)$	$-3(2x - 1) = -3(x - 5)$
$x = -4$	$x = -4$
$3(2x - 5) = 3(x - 1)$	
$x = 4$	

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