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Lesson 7.1: Graphing Inequalities

## Learning Goals:

Write an inequality in two variables.
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## Notes

A linear inequality in 2 variables has $\qquad$ .

The solutions are $\qquad$ .

The ordered pairs are located in the $\qquad$ area of the graph and on the $\qquad$ .


| Inequality Symbol | Type of Boundary Line | Shaded Area |
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| $\leq$ |  |  |
| $\geq$ |  |  |
| $<$ |  |  |
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## Identifying Solutions of a Linear Inequality

| Steps: | Is the ordered pair a solution of $\mathrm{y}>\mathrm{x}-3$ ? |
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| - Replace $x$ and $y$ with their respective values. | 1. $(1,2)$ |
| - Simplify. |  |
| - If the inequality is TRUE, then the ordered pair is a SOLUTION. | 2. $(-3,-7)$ |
| - If the inequality is FALSE, then the ordered pair is NOT a solution. |  |

## Graphing a Linear Inequality in One Variable



## Graphing a Linear Inequality in Two Variables

| Steps: <br> - Write the inequality in slope-intercept form. <br> - Draw the boundary line. Solid or dashed? <br> - Shade above or below the line. <br> - If you are not sure what side to shade, choose a test point and see if it a solution for the inequality. | Graph each inequality in two variables. <br> 5. $y-1 \leq 2 x$ <br> 6. $-y<-x+2$ |
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## Classwork/Homework: 7.1 Graphing a Linear Inequality

