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## Practice: Modelling With Algebra

1. Write an algebraic expression for each phrase.
a) double a number
b) triple a number
c) quadruple a number
d) one half of a number
e) one third of a number
f) one quarter of a number
2. Write an algebraic expression for each phrase.
a) 6 more than a number
b) a number increased by 3
c) 2 increased by a number
d) 5 decreased by a number
e) 7 less than a number
f) a number decreased by 6
3. Write an algebraic expression for each phrase.
a) 4 more than triple a number
b) half a number, less 5
c) quadruple a number decreased by 1
d) 2 less than double a number
4. Write an equation for each phrase.
a) triple a number is 18
b) 7 more than a number is 11
c) half a number is 10
d) double a number, less 3 is 7
e) 5 less than one third a number is 1
f) 2 more than triple a number is 14
5. The sum of two consecutive integers is 47 .
a) Let $x$ represent the lesser integer.

Write an algebraic expression to represent the greater integer.
b) Write an equation to represent the sum of the integers.
c) Find the integers.
6. The sum of three consecutive odd integers is 57 .
a) Let $x$ represent the least integer. Write an algebraic expression to represent each of the other integers.
b) Write an equation to represent the sum of the integers.
c) Find the integers.
7. Three consecutive even integers have a sum of 102 .
a) Write an algebraic expression to represent each integer.
b) Write an equation to represent the sum of the integers.
c) Find the integers.
8. Katherine is 2 years older than Christine. The sum of their ages is 16 .
a) Write an algebraic expression for each girl's age.
b) Write an equation to represent the sum of their ages.
c) How old is each girl?
9. The length of a rectangle is triple its width. The perimeter of the rectangle is 40 cm . What are the length and width?

