Foundations of Algebra
Unit 1 – Writing Expressions

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Match the verbal phrases on the left to the corresponding expression/equation on the right. Put the letter for your answer in the answer column.

1. The sum of x and 5	A. x – 12	
2. The product of n and 5	B. 8 – 5n	
3. 12 less than x	C. n + 6 = 15	
4. the quotient of a number and 5	D. 27 – k = 15	
5. x subtracted from 12	E. x – 15	
6. 8 minus the product of 5 and n	F. n + 4 = 12	
7. The sum of twice a number and 13	G. k – 2 = 7	
8. Twice a number minus 13	H. 2n + 2	
9. 15 less than x	I. 15 – x	
10. x subtracted from 15	J. c – 6 = 5	
11. 2 more than twice a number	K. 5n	
12. The product of a and 10	L. 2n -13	
13. The quotient of 8 an x	M. 2n + 13	
14. C increased by 5 is 15	N. 3x + 8 = 20	
15. 4 more than a number is 12	O. k – 8 = 3	
16. The product of 4 and n is 12	P. x + 5	
17. The difference of 27 and k is 15	Q. 3x – 8 = 10	
18. 8 less than 3 times x is 10	R. 2x + 1 = 11	
19. 3 times x increased by 8 is 20	S. 10a	
20. A number minus 8 is 3	T. x/5	
21. Three times a number is 9	U. c + 5 = 15	
22. Twice a number plus 1 is 11	V. c – 5 = 15	
23. 6 less than a number is 5	W. 8/x	
24. 6 more than a number is 15	X. 4n = 12	
25. 2 less than a number is 7	Y. 12 – x	
26. 5 subtracted from c is 15	Z. 3n = 9	

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