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3	
7	
11	
19	

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Is there another symbol that would have been helpful in the previous exercise?

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Arrange the following to make a **WORD EQUATION** for John's daily earnings.

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times

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John's daily earnings equals 70 plus 12 times the number of computers sold

If E represents John's daily earnings and n represents the number of computers he sells, arrange the following to make an EQUATION for John's daily earnings.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} = & 12 & + & & \\ n & E & 70 & & \end{array}$$

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$$E = 70 + 12n$$

Use your equation to determine how much John would earn for a day when he sells 20 computers.