## **Answer Checking Practice**

Determine whether each of the following answers is correct by checking:

a) 
$$x - 8 = 21$$
 *Answer*:  $x = 30$ 

b) 
$$7 + 4x = 23$$
 Answer:  $x = 4$ 

c) 
$$\frac{x}{2} + 11 = 10$$
 Answer:  $x = -2$ 

d) 
$$4x + 1 = 2x + 11$$
 Answer:  $x = 6$ 

e) 
$$\frac{7x+9}{6} = \frac{11-5x}{2}$$
 Answer:  $x = -3$  f)  $5(x-1) + 2 = 18 + 2x$  Answer:  $x = 7$ 

f) 
$$5(x-1) + 2 = 18 + 2x$$
 Answer:  $x = 7$ 

## **Evaluating Expressions Practice**

Evaluate each of the following expressions using the values given for each variable. Each time your answer appears in the code below, write the letter of that question above it.

[M] Evaluate 
$$5x + 4$$
 when  $x = 3$ 

[A] Evaluate 
$$28 + 9b$$
 when  $b = -2$ 

[N] Evaluate 
$$-6s - 5h$$
 when  $s = 9$ ,  $h = 5$ 

[T] Evaluate 
$$x + 7p$$
 when  $x = -1$ ,  $p = 8$ 

[E] Evaluate 
$$6\mathbf{r} + 5\mathbf{d} + \mathbf{y}$$
 when  $\mathbf{r} = -4$ ,  $\mathbf{d} = -3$ ,  $\mathbf{y} = 8$ 

[R] Evaluate 
$$-2v + 2h - 8s$$
 when  $v = 9$ ,  $h = 7$ ,  $s = -6$