

Lesson 1 Practice Questions

Calculating Gross Pay Using Hourly Wage

1. Joan is paid \$5.50/hour for babysitting her younger sister. Last night, her mom and dad went out for 4.5 hours. How much did Joan earn while babysitting?

Hint:

Amount earned = rate of pay \times hours worked

2. Rhonda works as a nurse's aide and earns \$23.79 per hour. She works 8 hours a day, 5 days a week. How much will Rhonda earn in one week?

Hint:

Step 1: Determine the total number of hours worked in a week

Step 2: Determine the gross pay