

DO NOW

**Nine less than the product of 6 and
a number x**

4 less than x

ORDER OF OPERATIONS

- PEMDAS

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PEMDAS

- **Parenthesis** are always completed first
- Followed by **Exponents**
- **Multiplication and Division** are completed in order from left to right
- **Addition and Subtraction** are completed in order from left to right

EASY WAY TO REMEMBER

PEMDAS

- Please
- Excuse
- My
- Dear
- Aunt
- Sally

$$2 + 3 \cdot 4$$

$$4 + 2 (5 - 3)$$

$$-3(-4)^2(2) + (4)(-4)$$

TRY A FEW PROBLEMS

$$2 + 5 \cdot 3$$

$$6 \cdot (5 + 3)$$

$$30 \div 5 \cdot 3$$

$$3 + 6 \cdot 2^2$$

$$5 \cdot (2^2)$$

$$(5 \cdot 2)^2$$

$$3 + 6 \cdot 2^2$$

$$(3 + 6) \cdot 2$$

$$12 \div 6 \cdot 3 \div 2$$

$$7 + (6 \cdot 5 + 3)$$