Clues to the Process (from the instructor or text)	Problems Demonstrated in Class
Simplify by combining like terms Collect the variables on one side and the numbers on the other	3X - 8 + 3 = 2X - X + 1 -2X + X 3X - 2X + X - 8 + 3 = + 1 +8 - 3 = 3X - 2X + X = + 1 + 8 - 3 X + X = 9 - 3
Solve by dividing	$\frac{2X}{2} = \frac{6}{2}$
	X = 3

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