Absolute Value in Word Problems - Independent Practice Worksheet

Complete all the problems.

1. The employees were looking at their debts. Gomez is in $143.00 of debt; Cole has $203.00 of debt. Ford has $178.00 of debt. Simpson has a positive bank balance of $350.00. Who owes the most money?

2. Henry spends $90.00 on lunch and spends $16.00 on bananas. Hicks spend $120.00 on clothes. Henry borrowed money from Hicks to buy his items. In other words, Hicks paid for Henry. Hicks has a bank account with a balance of $250. How much will the purchase cost him? What would Hick’s bank balance be after all the debts were paid?

3. Burns has a bank account with a balance of $65.00. Burns paid $35.00 to his credit card and he spends $40.00 for a hamburger. What would Burns’s bank balance be, after both debits were paid?

4. Ramos spends $36.00 on a t-shirt and spends $20.00 on a hot dog. Daniels spends $50.00 on shoes. Ramos has a bank account with a balance of $100. How much will the purchase cost him? What would Ramos’ bank balance be after all the debts were paid?

5. Palmer goes to L.A. one weekend. He has a bank account with a balance of $350.00. Palmer spent $90.00 for the hotel, $110.00 for food, and $100 for a car rental. What would Palmer’s bank balance be after all debts were paid?
6. Henry’s room rent is $40. His electricity bill is $10 and food expenses are $15. His job deposited his salary of $60 into his bank account. What would be the balance remaining after paying his monthly expenses?

7. George went to the general store to buy provisions. He bought food items worth $35. He had a $25 gift card for the store and he also paid $5 in cash. How much debt does George have with the store?

8. The students were looking at their debts. Holmes is in $90.00 of debt. Reyes has $67.00 of debt. Dixon has $79.00 of debt. Hunter has a positive bank balance of $100.00. Who owes the most money?

9. Robinson’s hotel room rent is $80. His food bill is $30 and the taxi costs him $20. His company deposits his salary of $100 into his bank account. What would be the balance remaining after paying his monthly expenses?

10. Daniels goes to the shopping center. He has a bank account with a balance of $259.00. Daniels paid $45.00 for a cell phone with her credit card. She also spends $150 on an iPod and $100 for a taxi. What would Daniel’s bank balance be, after all debits were paid?