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Learning Goal 9.1	Solving linear inequalities.
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Graphing Linear Inequalities

Solution Region

what side of the line is included in the solution set

Boundary

linear function represented by the inequality.

Example Graph $2x + 3y \leq 6$ and determine whether $(-2, 4)$ is part of the solution. *standard.*

$2(-2) + 3(4) = -4 + 12 = 8 \leq 6$

1. Change to slope-int

$y = mx + b$

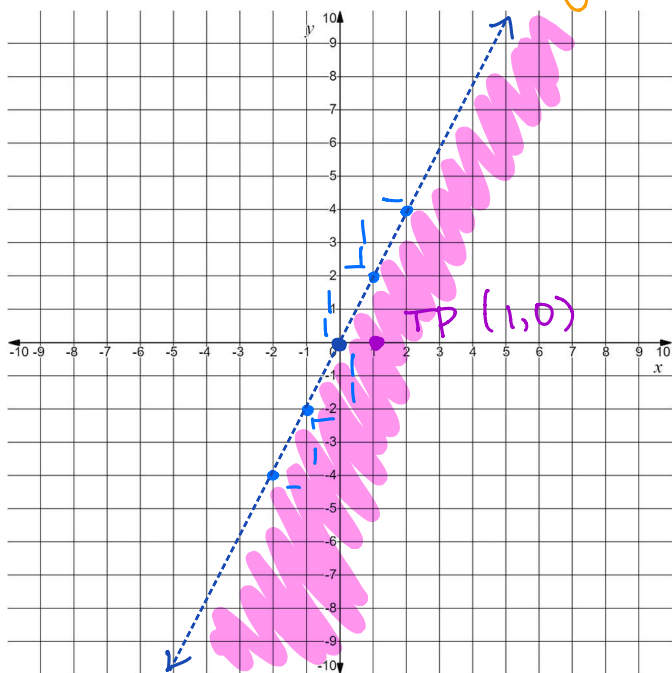
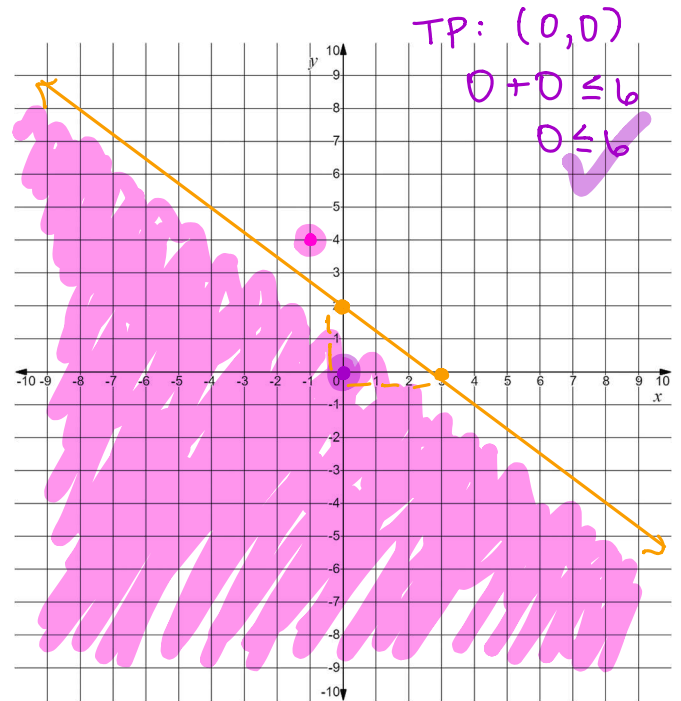
$\frac{3y}{3} \leq \frac{-2x + 6}{3}$

$y \leq -\frac{2}{3}x + 2$

2. Find x/y-int

$x: 2x = 6$
 $x = 3$

$y: 3y = 6$
 $y = 2$



Example Graph $10x - 5y > 0$.

x-int: $10x = 0$
 $x = 0$

$\frac{-5y}{-5} > \frac{-10x}{-5}$

$y < \frac{2x}{1}$

TP: $10(1) - 5(0)$

$10 - 0 > 0$
 $10 > 0$

Example Write an inequality to represent the graph.

1. Find the equation that represents the line.

slope: $\frac{+4}{+2} = 2$ y-int: $y = 1$

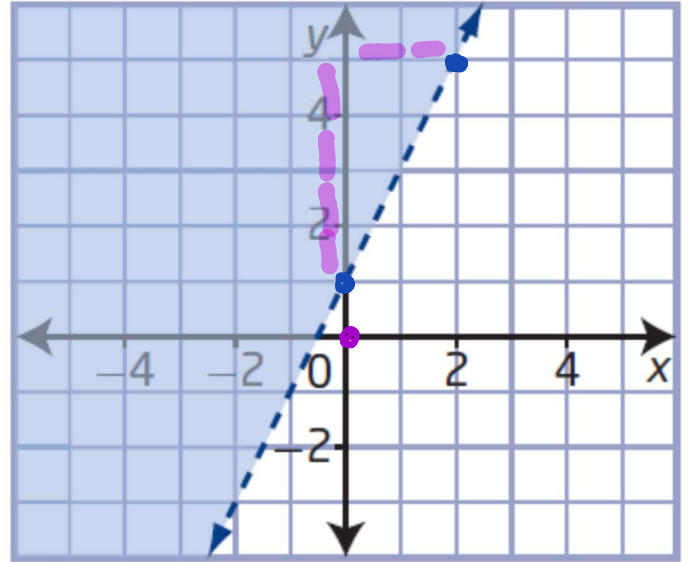
$y = 2x + 1$

TP $(0, 0)$ - False!

$0 > 0 + 1$

$0 > 1$ ← make this false!

$y > 2x + 1$



Example Sam has \$30 to buy snacks for his class. Apples cost \$0.75 each and muffins are \$1.25.

- a. Define the variables and write a linear equation to represent the possible combinations of snacks that he can purchase.

Let a = the # of apples purchased
 m = the # of muffins purchased.

$0.75a + 1.25m = 30$ ← the amount of money available.

- b. Are there any restrictions on the variables? Explain.

Neither a nor m can be negative

$a \geq 0$ $\frac{3}{4}a + \frac{5}{4}m = 30$
 $m \geq 0$ $3a + 5m = 120$

m-int ($a=0$) $5m = 120$
 $m = 24$

- c. Graph your equation and shade the solution region.

a-int ($m=0$) $3a = 120$
 $a = 40$

