

Writing Expressions Extra Practice

Define a variable and write each phrase as an algebraic expression.

1. Four times as many apples _____
2. Ten more shoes than Ruben _____
3. \$5 dollars less than James _____
4. 3 more than twice as many ringtones as Mary _____
5. Melinda goes bowling on Saturday afternoons. She bowls three games and pays for shoe rental, which is \$2. Write an expression to represent the total cost Melinda pays.
 - a. Shoe rental: _____
 - b. One game: _____
 - c. 3 games _____
 - d. 3 games + shoe rental expression: _____

Then find the total cost if one game cost \$4.

- e. 3 games: _____
- f. 3 games + shoe rental TOTAL COST: _____

6. Kyle bought a pizza for \$12.75 and four medium drinks. Define a variable and write an expression to represent the total amount of money he spent.
 - a. Define a variable: _____
 - b. Pizza + 4 medium drinks expression: _____

Then find the total cost if one drink costs \$3.

- c. Pizza + 4 medium drinks TOTAL COST: _____