



A Weekend Vacation

Next month Jessica and her best friend are renting a cabin near a lake for the weekend. Jessica needs \$375.00. She can take \$200.00 out of her savings account but still needs \$175.00. To prepare for her vacation, Jessica saved money by cutting her spending on entertainment and clothes. She budgeted \$100.00 on entertainment and \$153.00 for clothes.



cabin \$196.00



groceries \$50.00



gas \$65.00



fishing license \$14.00



misc. \$50.00

total \$ 375.00

Revised Budget for this month

Variable Expenses	Amount	Vacation	What's left
entertainment	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$100.00
clothes	\$228.50	\$75.00	\$153.50

Answer

Jessica found a swimsuit on sale for \$53.66. Does she have enough money left in her budget to buy it?

- a. yes
- b. no

Answer

1. What is Jessica's largest expense for her vacation?
 - a. cabin
 - b. groceries
 - c. gasoline
2. Jessica is bringing \$50.00 for miscellaneous expenses. Tell one way she can spend this money.

3. Jessica and her friend have to drive a long distance to their rented cabin. Can she save money on gas by sharing the ride with her friend?
 - a. yes
 - b. no