MODULE 1: LINEAR EQUATIONS

AND INEQUALITIES (CONTINUED)

"Strength doesn't come from what you can do, it comes from overcoming the things you couldn't do"

2.2 SOLVING EQUATIONS

When solving with decimals, first _____.

Then multiply every term by the smallest place value.

 $\underline{x} = 10^{\text{th}} \text{ place}$ $\underline{xx} = 100^{\text{th}} \text{ place}$ $\underline{xxx} = 100^{\text{th}} \text{ place}$

Ex. Solve: 0.3 (x+30) - 0.05 (x-10) = -5.5

Ex. Solve: 0.1 (x+50) - 0.04 (x-30) = 5.6

When solving equations involving,
You can either keep the fractions, and find the
or you can clear/remove the fractions with

Ex. Solve (using LCD):
$$\frac{1}{4}x - 10 = \frac{1}{7}x$$

Ex. Solve (clearing fractions):
$$\frac{1}{4}x - 10 = \frac{1}{7}x$$

Ex. Solve:
$$\frac{1}{2}x + 10 = \frac{1}{8}x$$

Ex. Solve:
$$\frac{1}{3}x + \frac{1}{4} = 2(\frac{4}{5}x - 3)$$