Unit 1 Lesson 6,7 Homework Questions

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1. Rachel works 40 hours a week as a journeyman printer. She earns $23.68 an hour.
   1. What are her gross weekly earnings?
   2. If she works 49 weeks a year and receives 3 weeks of paid holidays, what are her gross annual earnings?
2. You are cutting lawns for your summer job. One customer gives you the option of being paid $11.00 an hour or a flat fee of $35.00 each time you cut the lawn. What would you take into account in deciding which option to choose?
3. Arielle is paid $9.56 an hour as a swimming lifeguard and she works 12 hours a week.
   1. What is her average monthly wage?
   2. If she asked for a raise to $12.50 an hour, would her average monthly earnings increase by more or less than $100.00?
4. Brandon is paid time and a half for overtime hours which are any hours more than 40/week. He is paid $30.00 an hour and works 48 hours in one week. How much does he earn for the week?
5. What is the difference between biweekly and semi-monthly pay periods? What advantage does one method have over the other?
6. Jim works as a welder and earns $34.50/hour with time and a half on Saturday and double time on Sunday. One week he worked his regular 40 hours for Monday to Friday. Then he worked 6 hours on Saturday and 4 hours on Sunday. What was Jim’s gross pay for the week?