Pg. A46 0.5B – Solving Equations

Quadratic Formula:

Ex 1:

Use the Quadratic Formula to solve the equation.

$$2x^2 - x - 1 = 0$$

Ex 2:

Find all solutions of the equation. Check your solutions in the original equation.

(a)
$$x + \sqrt{31 - 9x} = 5$$

(b)
$$(x+3)^{\frac{3}{2}} = 8$$

Note: If |x| = 7, then x = 7 and x = -7

(c)
$$|3x+2|=7$$

(d)
$$|x^2 + 6x| = 3x + 18$$