## Solving Word Problems Using Inequalities

## Example 1

You are planting trees as a summer job. You are paid $\$ 0.10$ per tree planted. You want to earn at least $\$ 20 / \mathrm{h}$. How many trees must you plant per hour in order to achieve your goal?

## Example 2

Your friend mows lawns and cleans pools during the summer. He earns $\$ 20$ per lawn and $\$ 9$ per pool. He needs $\$ 1500$ to buy a new computer. If he plans to mow 41 lawns this summer, how many pools must be clean to earn at least $\$ 1500$ ?

## Example 3

A super-slide charges $\$ 1.25$ to rent a mat and $\$ 0.75$ per ride. You have a max of $\$ 10.25$ to spend. How many rides can you go on?

