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1. T F If both sides of an equation are multiplied by the same thing, the resulting equation is equivalent to the original equation.

2. Simplify $\frac{\frac{2}{x} + \frac{1}{x^2}}{\frac{y}{x^2}} =$

3. Simplify $\frac{x^{-1} + 1}{x^{-1} - 1} =$

4. You are to read the work I have done and then complete the Problem: Solve $\frac{x + 6}{x - 2} = \frac{2(x + 2)}{x - 2}$.

Solution: Multiply both sides of the equation by $x - 2$ to obtain

$$x + 6 = 2(x + 2)$$

$$x + 6 = 2x + 4 \text{ Add } -x - 4 \text{ to both sides to obtain}$$

$$2 = x \text{ You must finish the problem.}$$