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9.1 Simple Interest Assignment

Show all your work.

1. Merv deposits \$200.00 into an account for 5 years earning 3% per year.
 - a. Calculate the amount of simple interest.
 - b. Does Merv keep the interest or pay it? Explain.
2. Deanna borrows \$130.00 from a relative to help buy some items for her dance project. Deanna is charged 1% interest per year and has 2 years to pay the money back.
 - a. Calculate the amount of simple interest?
 - b. Who received the interest amount? How much money will that person receive?
3. Determine the simple interest earned on a \$1200.00 investment with a 2% interest rate per year,
 - a. after the following time periods:
 - i. 26 weeks
 - ii. 2 months
 - iii. 39 weeks
 - iv. 24 months
 - b. How long will it take to double?

4. Find the missing information.
- What principal invested at 5% simple interest per year will earn \$100 in interest at the end of 2 years?
 - What interest rate will allow \$2000 to earn \$120 interest in 2 years?
 - How much time will you need to invest \$1000 at a rate of 1% per year to earn \$100 in interest?
5. The balance at the end of 8 years on an investment of \$230 that was invested at a rate of 3% is \$285.20. What is the interest amount?
6. Rich wants to save \$1000 to buy a motorcycle. He receives \$500 for his birthday and decides to purchase a GIC. The bank offers GICs at a simple interest rate of 2%.
- How much will he have after 1 year?
 - after 2 years?
 - How long will it take for Rich's investment to double and he can buy his bike?
 - Suggest a better strategy for Rich to reach his goal.

7. What amount of money, invested at 5% interest, will earn \$100 interest in 4 years?

8. What interest rate will allow \$2000 to earn \$120 interest in 5 years?

9. How long will it take \$1000 to earn \$150 at an interest rate of 1%.

10. Complete the table to determine Lisa's term deposit options for \$2500 she plans to invest.

Term	Simple Interest Rate	Interest Earned	Investment Value
1 year	2.45% simple interest		
2 year	3.05% simple interest		
3 year	3.8% simple interest		