# Markup, Discount, and Tax Word Problems 

BELLA'S CAFE

1.) At Bella's Cafe, the normal price of a boba tea is $\$ 11.86$. If Katy has a coupon for $15 \%$ off any boba tea, how much will she be charged for a boba tea before taxes are applied (to the nearest cent)?
2.) It costs Bella a total of $\$ 4.95$ to make a grilled cheesed sandwich. If she sells grilled cheese sandwiches to customers at a $95 \%$ markup, how much does she charge for a grilled cheese sandwich (to the nearest cent)?
3.) Bella also sells fresh pastries at her cafe. When she purchases pastries from a local bakery in bulk, she receives a $19.6 \%$ discount per pastry. If the normal price of one pastry is $\$ 4.79$, what is the discounted price that Bella pays (to the nearest cent)?
4.) Bella's Café has two locations. One location is in Seattle, where the sales tax is $10.25 \%$, and the other location is in Colorado, where the sales tax is $4.8 \%$. If the cost of a large iced tea is $\$ 6.80$, what is the price, after tax, in Seattle and in Denver (to the nearest cent)?
5.) At Bella's Café, Ronnie orders a small latte for $\$ 4.39$, an order of avocado toast for $\$ 13.88$, and a bag of potato chips for $\$ 1.77$. He also has a coupon for $12.5 \%$ off his entire order. If the sales tax, which is applied to the discounted price, is $4.8 \%$, what will be the total cost of his order (to the nearest cent)?

## ANSWER KEY

1.) $\$ 10.08$
2.) $\$ 9.65$
3.) $\$ 3.85$
4.) Seattle: $\$ 7.50$

Denver: \$7.13
5.) Normal Price: $4.39+13.88+1.77=20.04$

After 12.5\% Discount: \$17.54
Tax: $\$ 17.54 \times 0.048=0.84$
Total Cost: $17.54+0.84=\$ 18.38$

