Lesson 2
Understanding Variables and Expressions

## Variable -

a symbol, usually a letter,
used to represent an unknown number

Constant - a quantity whose value does not change (A number without a variable)

## Example: $\quad x+5$

$x$ is the variable, 5 is the constant
The expression has 2 terms

Coefficient- the numeric factor of a product
$4 x y z$

