## Order of Operations

$$() 2 + 3^{2} \times (8 - 6) \div 2 - 6$$

$$2 + 3^{2} \times (2) \div 2 - 6$$

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parentheses

$$A^{2} = 2 + 3^{2} \times 2 \div 2 - 6$$

$$2 + 9 \times 2 \div 2 - 6$$

solve exponents

$$2 + 9 \times 2 \div 2 - 6$$
  
 $2 + 18 \div 2 - 6$ 

solve multiplication and division (left to right)

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solve addition and subtraction (left to right)

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= 5