18. The amount in dollars a driver earns each month is determined by the equation A = 0.25m + 500, where *m* is the number of miles the driver drives that month.

Which statement is true about the driver's earnings?

- A. The driver earns \$500.25 each month.
- B. The driver earns \$500 for each mile driven plus \$0.25.
- C. For each 100 miles driven during the month, the driver earns \$525.
- D. The driver earns \$0.25 for each mile driven plus a base salary of \$500.

| What do you notice? | What do you wonder? |
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