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$$x = y - 5$$

2) $m - 1 = 3(k + 2m)$ for m

$$m = \frac{-3k - 1}{5}$$

3) $\frac{h-2}{h-3} = \frac{1}{-f}$ for h

$$h = \frac{2f + 3}{f + 1}$$

4) $2w - p = \frac{3}{4}(-w + 1)$ for w

$$w = \frac{4p + 3}{11}$$