## Mathelpers

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## Operations with Polynomials

Exercise 1: The area of a triangle is given by $\frac{1}{2} b h$, where $b$ is the length of the base of the triangle and $h$ is the measure of the height of the triangle. In triangle $A B C, b=3 x+8$ and $h=7 x-4$. Write the polynomial representing the measure of the area of triangle $A B C$.


Exercise 2: Choose the letter of the term that best matches each statement or phrase.
Each letter is used once.

| 1. $(x-y)^{2}$ | a. additive inverse |
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| 2. a polynomial with two terms | b. binomial |
| 3. a polynomial with three terms | c. degree of a polynomial |
| 4. a monomial or a sum of monomials | d. Distributive Property |
| 5. the sum of the exponents of the variables | e. FOIL method |
| 6. a number, a variable, or a product of numbers and <br> variables | f. like terms |
| 7. Subtract polynomials by adding this. | g. monomial |
| 8. Add polynomials by grouping these together. | h. polynomial |
| 9. Use this to multiply any two binomials. | i. square of a difference |
| 10. Use this to multiply a polynomial by a monomial. | j. trinomial |

Exercise 3: Kirsten is making a quilt to enter in the arts festival. The diagram gives the dimensions of each block of the quilt.
a. Find the area of each block.
b. The completed quilt is a square of 36 blocks. Write a product of binomials that could be used to determine the area of the entire quilt.


