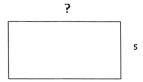
# I can factor expressions to solve problems.

# **Example Type 1: AREA**

### **Together**



1) The area of a rectangle is found by multiplying its length by its width. The rectangle above has a width of 5 units. The area of the rectangle is 15x + 40 square units. What is the length of the rectangle?

$$\frac{15x+40}{5} = 3x+8$$

2) A rectangle has a width of 4 units. The area of the rectangle is 12x + 24 square units. What is the length of the rectangle?

$$\frac{12x+24}{4}=3x+6$$

3) A rectangle has a length of 3x + 4 units. The area of the rectangle is 12x + 16 square units. What is the width of the rectangle?

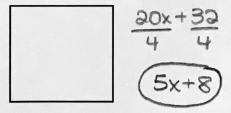
$$-(3x+4)=12x+16$$

### **Example Type 2: PERIMETER**

#### **Together**

1) The perimeter of a square is 4(x + 5). What does x + 5 represent?

2) The perimeter of a square can be written by the expressions 20x + 32. What is the length of one side of the square?



### **On Your Own**



1) The area of a rectangle is found by multiplying its length by its width. The rectangle above has a width of 3 units. The area of the rectangle is 12x + 9 square units. What is the length of the rectangle?

$$\frac{19x+9}{3} = 4x+3$$

2) A rectangle has a width of 7 units. The area of the rectangle is 21x + 14 square units. What is the length of the rectangle?

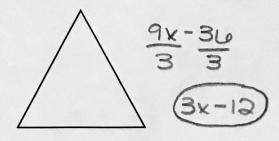
3) A rectangle has a length of 5x + 9 units. The area of the rectangle is 30x + 54 square units. What is the width of the rectangle?

$$(5x+9) = 30x+54$$

### **On Your Own**

1) The perimeter of a triangle is represented by the expression 3(a + 9). What does this tell us about the triangle?

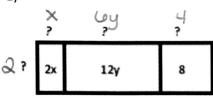
2) The perimeter of an equilateral triangle can be represented by the expression 9x - 36. What is the length of one side of the triangle?



# **Example Type 3: RECTANGULAR ARRAY**

# **Together**

1)

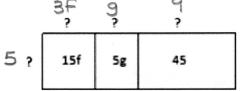


Write the area of the rectangle:

As a sum 
$$2x + 12y + 8$$

As a product of two factors 2(x+6y+4)

2) Find the missing side lengths and the area.

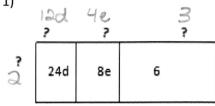


Write the area of the rectangle:

As a product of two factors 5(3f+g+9)

### On Your Own

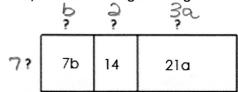
1)



Write the area of the rectangle:

As a product of two factors 2(12d + 4e + 3)

2) Find the missing side lengths and the area.



Write the area of the rectangle:

As a product of two factors 7(b+2+3a)

### **Example Type 4: REAL WORLD PROBLEMS**

#### **Together**

1) Lucy mows five lawns. The total earned is 5(x + 30). What does x + 30 represent?

2) Jill works 4 hours per day. She charges an hourly fee and an additional \$8. She uses the expression 12x + 24 to show how much she made over the course of 3 days, where x = the hourly rate. Write an equivalent expression that shows how much she makes per day.

#### **On Your Own**

1) Mariah earns x + 20 for each article she writes in the paper. If her final payment is 6(x + 20), how many articles did she write?

2) Jen works 8 hours per day. She charges an hourly fee and an additional \$10. She uses the expression32h + 40 to show how much she made over the course of 4 days, where x = the hourly rate. Write an equivalent expression that shows how much she makes per day.