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Date _____ Period _____

GETTING INTIMATE WITH YOUR MATH BOOK

Complete the questions below in an attempt to "know" your book before we start using it.

1. List all the pages that have to do with...

Percents _____
Rationalizing the denominator _____
Scatter graphs _____

2. Write the glossary's definition of...

BASIC _____
Trinomial _____

3. On what page is the table of symbols? _____

4. Give the symbol for...

Is this statement true? _____
Is similar to _____
Is a member of, belongs to _____

5. In general, the answers to which problems are in the back of the book? _____

(Please mark the first page of the answers with a post-it note or a bookmark so that you can easily find this important section of the book!)

6. Tell what each section is about:

4-2 _____
7-9 _____
10-4 _____

7. Flip to four or five random sections of the book and look at the sets of problems that follow the explanation of new material. What three types of exercises can be found in almost EVERY section of the book (except the rare sections that focus only on word problems)?

1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____

8. Notice that the Written Exercises are always divided into A, B, and C problems. How do you think A, B, and C problems are different?

9. What will you find in the boxes that are shaded gray?

10. What are two helpful study tools you can find at the end of each chapter?

1) _____ 2) _____