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2.3 – Translations Activity

Activity 1 - Review

1) Which figure is the image - A or B? Why?



2) How do you translate a figure in a coordinate plane?

3) Can you translate the letters in the word TOKYO to form the word KYOTO? Explain.

Activity 2 - Drawing Mirror Images (Reflections)

Try to draw the mirror image of the figure across the given line.





Activity 3 - Translating in the Coordinate Plane

a) Draw rectangle ABCD in **↓** *y* Quadrant 1 in the coordinate plane. Find the dimensions of 8the rectangle. 6 Length: _____ -4 Width: _____ -2b) Reflect the rectangle across the -8 -6^{-1} -4-20 2 4 6 8 *x*-axis so the rectangle is in -2 Quadrant IV. List the vertices: A'(_____) -4-B'(____) -6-C'(____) 8-D'(_____)

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- c) Compare the dimensions and the angle measures of the new figure to those of the original rectangle.
- d) Are the opposite sides of the new figure still parallel? Explain.
- e) Can you conclude that the two figures are congruent? Explain.

- f) In the same coordinate plane, reflect image of the rectangle across the *y*-axis so the rectangle is in Quadrant II. List the vertices:
 - A"(_____) B"(_____) C"(_____) D"(_____)
- g) Compare the dimensions and the angle measures of the new figure to those of the original rectangle.
- h) Are the opposite sides of the new figure still parallel? Explain.
- i) Can you conclude that the two figures are congruent? Explain.

Tell whether the blue figure is a reflection of the red figure.



18. ALPHABET Which letters look the same when reflected in the line?

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z