



Warm-up 2-25

Factor the following trinomials.

1. $p^2 - 2p - 15$

2. $n^2 + 5n - 24$

4. $4n^2 - 15n - 25$

3. Let x be any real number. Then the statement $x^3 > 0$ is true for

A. $x > 0$ only.

B. $x < 0$ only.

C. no values of x .

D. all real values of x .



Warm-up 2-24

Factor the following trinomials.

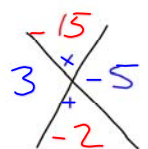
1. $p^2 - 2p - 15$

$(p^2 + 3p) + (-5p - 15)$



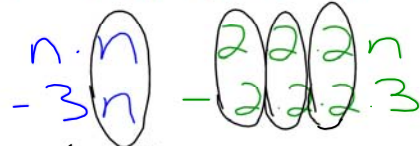
$p(p+3) - 5(p+3)$

$(p+3)(p-5)$



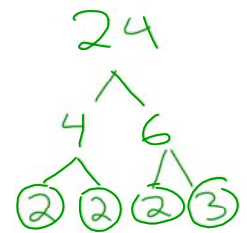
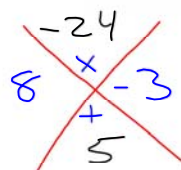
2. $n^2 + 5n - 24$

$(n^2 - 3n) + (8n - 24)$



$n(n-3) + 8(n-3)$

$(n-3)(n+8)$



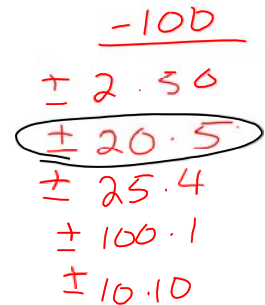
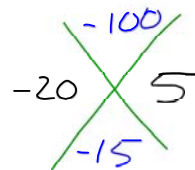
4. $4n^2 - 15n - 25$

$(4n^2 - 20n) + (5n - 25)$



$4n(n-5) + 5(n-5)$

$(n-5)(4n+5)$



	$n - 5$
$4n$	$4n^2 - 20n$
5	$5n - 25$

$4n^2 - 15n - 25$ ✓

3. Let x be any real number. Then the statement $x^3 > 0$ is true for

- A. $x > 0$ only. $(2)^3 = 8$ $(4)^3 = 64$
- B. $x < 0$ only. $(-2)^3 = -8$ $(-4)^3 = -64$
- C. no values of x .
- D. all real values of x .



Warm-up 3-5

Factor the following trinomials.

1. $p^2 - 2p - 15$
 $(p+3)(p-5)$
 $p^2 + 3p - 5p - 15$
 $p^2 - 2p - 15$

p	3
p^2	$3p$
$-5p$	-15

2. $n^2 + 5n - 24$
 $(n-3)(n+8)$
 $n^2 - 3n + 8n - 24$
 $n^2 + 5n - 24$

n	-3
n^2	$-3n$
$8n$	-24

4. $4n^2 - 15n - 25$
 $(4n+5)(n-5)$
 $4n^2 - 20n + 5n - 25$
 $4n^2 - 15n - 25$

$4n$	5
$4n^2$	$5n$
$-20n$	-25

3. Let x be any real number. Then the statement $x^3 > 0$ is true for
- A. $x > 0$ only. $(4)^3 = 64 > 0$ ✓
 - B. $x < 0$ only. $(2)^3 = 8 > 0$ ✓
 - C. no values of x . $(-5)^3 = -125 > 0$ (no)
 - D. all real values of x .

n	-3
n^2	$-3n$
$8n$	-24

$(4n+5)(n-5)$
 $4n^2 - 20n + 5n - 25$
 $4n^2 - 15n - 25$ ✓

$$7x^2 + 15x + 2$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 7(2) \\
 14 \\
 2 = \frac{14}{7} \times \frac{1}{7} \\
 15
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 (x+2)(x+\frac{1}{7}) \\
 \textcircled{(x+2)(7x+1)}
 \end{array}$$

$$3x^2 - 19x + 20$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 3(20) \\
 60 \\
 -5 = \frac{-15}{3} \times \frac{-4}{3} \\
 -19
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 ax^2 + bc + c \\
 \frac{60}{30 \cdot 2} \\
 3 \cdot 20 \\
 15 \cdot 4 \checkmark
 \end{array}$$

$$\textcircled{(x-5)(3x-4)}$$

$$3x^2 - 19x + 20$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 60 \\
 -5 = \frac{-15}{3} \times \frac{-4}{3} \\
 -19
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 \frac{60}{\times 6 \cdot 10} \\
 \times 3 \cdot 20 \\
 \times 12 \cdot 5 \\
 \textcircled{-15(-4)}
 \end{array}$$

$$\textcircled{(x-5)(3x-4)}$$

$$\textcircled{(x-5)(3x-4)}$$

	$2x$	-1
x	$2x^2$	$-x$
-2	$-4x$	2

$$2x^2 - x - 4x + 2$$

$$2x^2 - 5x + 2 \quad \begin{array}{l} a=2 \\ b=-5 \\ c=2 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c}
 4 \\
 -\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{-4}{2} = -2 \\
 -5 \\
 \frac{4}{2 \cdot 2} \\
 -1(4)
 \end{array}$$

$$\textcircled{(2x-1)(x-2)}$$

Examples

$$3n^2 - 8n + 4$$

$$5x^2 + 19x + 12$$

$$2m^2 + 5m + 2$$

$$7a^2 + 53a + 28$$

$$9k^2 + 66k + 21$$

Examples

$$3n^2 - 8n + 4$$

$$-2 = \frac{-6}{3} \times \frac{-2}{3}$$

$$a=3$$

$$b=-8$$

$$c=4$$

$$(n-2)(n-\frac{2}{3})$$

$$(n-2)(3n-2)$$

$$5x^2 + 19x + 12$$

$$3 = \frac{15}{5} \times \frac{4}{5}$$

$$a=5$$

$$b=19$$

$$c=12$$

$$2,30$$

$$6,10$$

$$3,20$$

$$15,4$$

$$(x+3)(x+\frac{4}{5})$$

$$(x+3)(5x+4)$$

$$2m^2 + 5m + 2$$

$$(2m+1)(m+2) \quad a = \frac{4}{2} \times \frac{1}{5}$$

$$(m+\frac{1}{2})(m+2)$$

$$7a^2 + 53a + 28$$

$$(a+7)(7a+4)$$

$$\frac{196}{7} \times \frac{49}{7} = 7$$

$$(a+\frac{4}{7})(a+7)$$

$$9k^2 + 66k + 21$$

$$(k+7)(9k+3)$$

$$-\frac{3}{9} \times \frac{63}{9} = 7$$

$$(3k+1)(k+7)$$

$$3k^2+k+21k+7$$

$$4a^2 + 8a - 5$$

$$(2a-1)(2a+5)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -20a^2 \\ 10a \quad -2a \\ \hline 8a \end{array}$$

	2a	-1
2a	4a ²	-2a
5	10a	-5

$$20$$

$$2(10)$$

$$17. \quad 10x^2 - 9x = 1$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} & -10x^2 & \\ -10x & & 1x \\ & -9x & \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 10 \\ (-10)(1) \end{array}$$

	$10x$	1
$1x$	$10x^2$	$1x$
(-1)	$-10x$	-1

$$(10x+1)(x-1)$$

$$10x^2 - 10x + x - 1$$

$$10x^2 - 9x - 1 \quad \checkmark$$

$$2x(x-4) + 3(-x+4)$$

$$2x(\underline{x-4}) - 3(\underline{x-4})$$

$$(x-4)(2x-3)$$



Today's Goal

I can identify and factor *special* polynomials

$$8x^2 - 12x - 8$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \cdot x \cdot x \\ - 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \cdot x \\ - 2 \cdot 2 \cdot 2 \end{array}$$

$$4(2x^2 - 3x - 2)$$

$$4(x-2)(2x+1)$$

$$2x^2 - 3x - 2$$

$$(2x^2 - 4x) + (1x - 2)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2 \cdot x \cdot x \\ - 2 \cdot 2 \cdot x \\ - 1 \cdot x \\ - 2 \end{array}$$

$$2x(x-2) + 1(x-2)$$

$$(x-2)(2x+1)$$

~~$$\begin{array}{r} -4 \\ x \\ + \\ -3 \end{array}$$~~

$$10x^2 - 25x - 125$$

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$$\begin{array}{r} 5 \overline{)125} \\ \underline{5 \overline{)25}} \\ 5 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 2 \cdot 5 \cdot x \cdot x \\ - 5 \cdot 5 \cdot x \\ - 5 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 \end{array}$$

$$5(2x^2 - 5x - 25)$$

$$2x^2 - 5x - 25$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -50 \\ -10 \times 5 \\ -5 \end{array}$$

$$5(x-5)(2x+5)$$

$$(2x^2 - 10x) + (5x - 25)$$

$$\begin{array}{l} (2x \cdot x) \quad (5x) \\ -2 \cdot 5x \quad -5 \cdot 5 \end{array}$$

$$2x(x-5) + 5(x-5)$$

$$(x-5)(2x+5)$$

$$3x^2 - 9x - 12$$

$$3x^2 - 9x - 12$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 3 \cdot x \cdot x \\ -3 \cdot 3x \\ -2 \cdot 2 \cdot 3 \end{array}$$

$$3(x^2 - 3x - 4)$$

$$3(x-4)(x+1)$$

$$x^2 - 3x - 4$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -4 \\ -4 \quad 1 \\ -3 \end{array}$$

$$(x^2 - 4x) + (1x - 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} x & 1x \\ -2 \cdot 2x & -2 \cdot 2 \end{array}$$

$$x(x-4) + 1(x-4)$$

$$(x-4)(x+1)$$

Section 9.5: Factoring Special Products

Perfect Square Trinomial

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2 = (a + b)(a + b) \text{ or } (a + b)^2$$

a	a^2	ab
b	ab	b^2

$$a^2 + 2ab + b^2$$

$$a^2 - 2ab + b^2 = (a - b)(a - b) \text{ or } (a - b)^2$$

a	a^2	$-ab$
$-b$	$-ab$	b^2

$$a^2 - 2ab + b^2$$



Examples

Determine whether each trinomial is a perfect square. If so, factor. If not, explain why not. $(\quad + \quad)^2$ $(\quad - \quad)^2$

$$x^2 + 4x + 4$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (x)^2 & \downarrow & (2)^2 \\ & 2(x)(2) & \\ & 4x & \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$(x+2)^2 = (x+2)(x+2)$$

$$x^2 - 14x + 49$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (x)^2 & \downarrow & (7)^2 \\ & 2(x)(7) & \\ & 14x & \checkmark \end{array}$$

$$(x-7)^2 = (x-7)(x-7)$$

$$9x^2 - 6x + 4$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} (3x)^2 & \downarrow & (2)^2 \\ & 2(3x)(2) & \\ & 12x & \times \end{array}$$

Try These!!!

Determine whether each trinomial is a perfect square. If so, factor. If not, explain why not.

$$1. \quad 9x^2 - 15x + 64$$

$$(3x)^2 \quad \downarrow \quad (8)^2$$

$$2(3x)(8)$$

$$48x \quad \times$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 576 \\ \times \\ -15 \end{array}$$

$$2. \quad 81x^2 + 90x + 25$$

$$(9x)^2 \quad \downarrow \quad (5)^2$$

$$2(9x)(5)$$

$$90x \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2025 \\ \times \\ 90 \end{array}$$

$$(9x + 5)^2$$

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

~~$$3. \quad 4x^2 - 20xz + 25z^2$$~~

Try These!!!

Determine whether each trinomial is a perfect square. If so, factor. If not, explain why not.

1. $9x^2 - 15x + 64$

2. $81x^2 + 90x + 25$
 $(9x)^2$ $(5)^2$
 ↓
 $2(9x)(5)$
 $90x$ ✓

$(9x + 5)^2$
 ~~$2025x^2$
 $90x$~~

3. $4x^4 - 20x^2z + 25z^2$
 $(2x^2)^2$ $(5z)^2$
 ↓
 $2(2x^2)(5z)$
 $20x^2z$ ✓

$(2x^2 - 5z)^2$

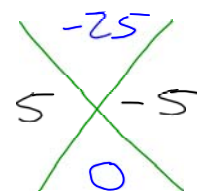
$$x^2 - 25$$

$$(x^2 + 5x)(-5x - 25)$$

$$\begin{array}{cc} x & -5x \\ 5x & -5 \cdot 5 \end{array}$$

$$x(x+5) - 5(x+5)$$

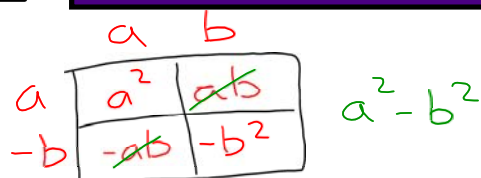
$$(x+5)(x-5)$$



Difference of Two Squares



$$a^2 - b^2 = (a + b)(a - b)$$



$$x^2 - 81$$

$$(x+9)(x-9)$$

$$m^2 - 16$$

$$(m+4)(m-4)$$



~~$$f^4 + 25$$

$$(f^2)^2 + (5)^2$$~~

$$9p^4 - 16q^2$$

$$(3p^2)^2 - (4q)^2$$

$$(3p^2 + 4q)(3p^2 - 4q)$$

Examples

Determine whether the binomial is a difference of two squares. If so, factor. If not, explain.

$$1 - 4x^2$$

$$(1)^2 - (2x)^2$$

$$(1+2x)(1-2x)$$

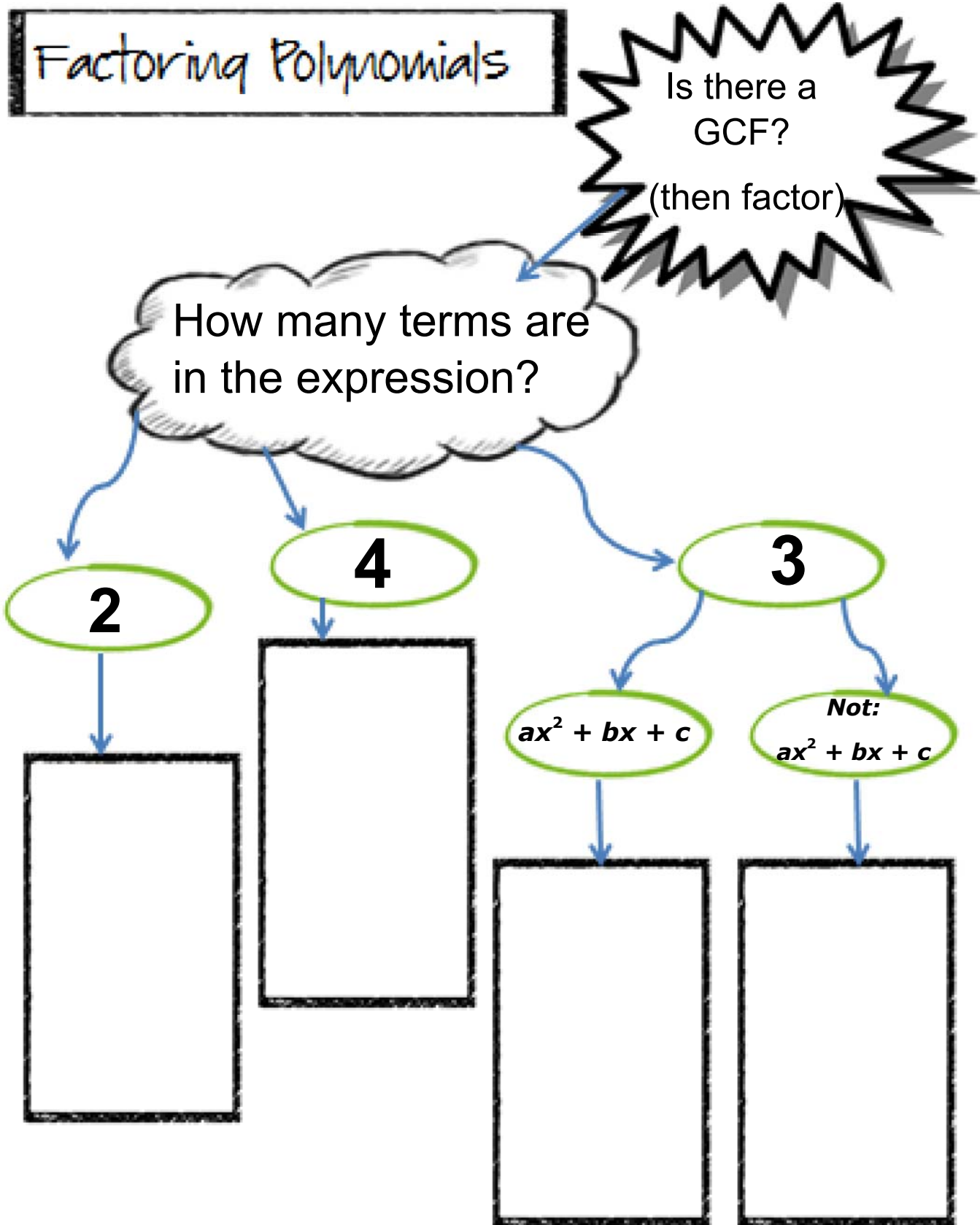
~~$$p^8 - 49q^6$$~~

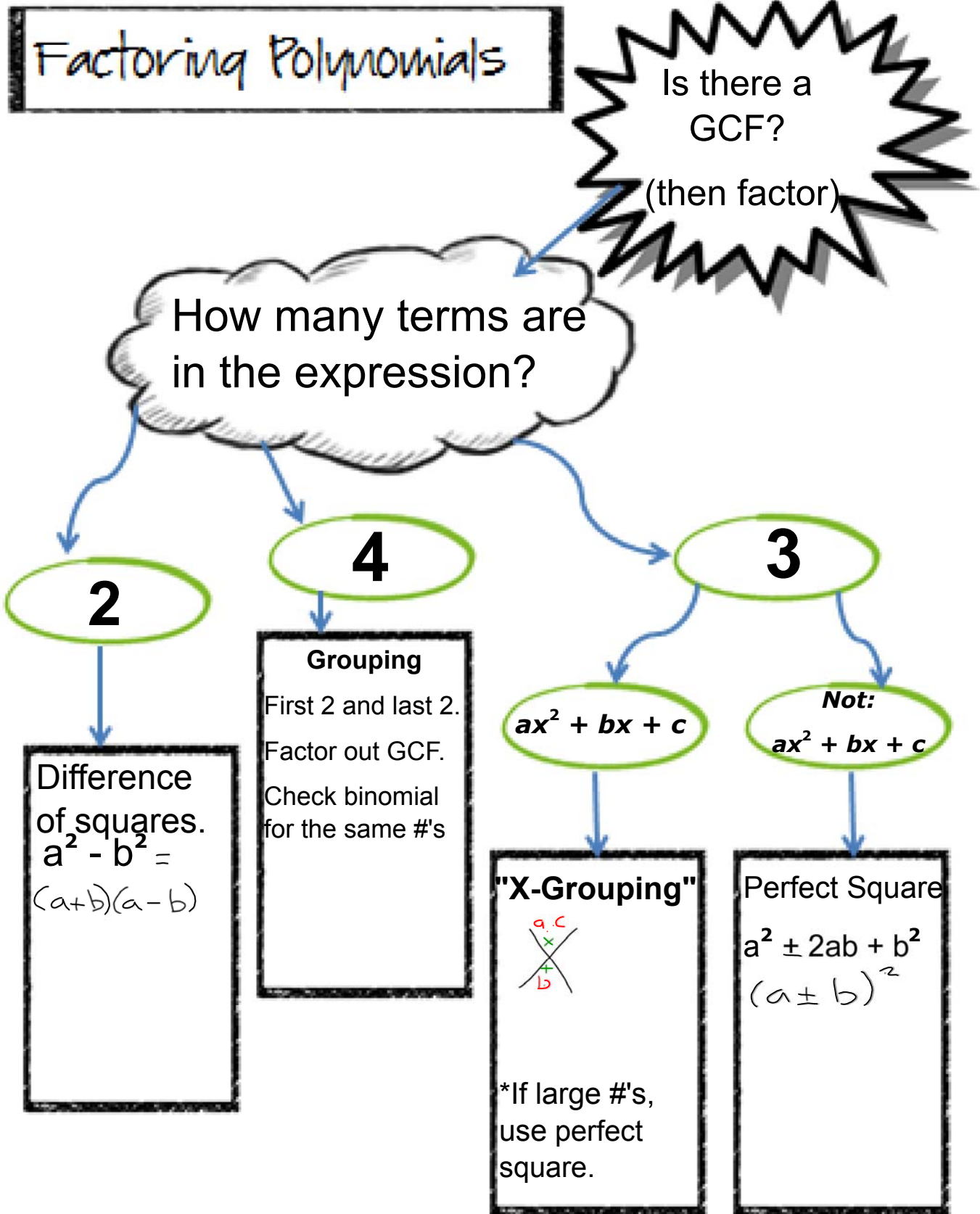
$$x^2 - 49$$

$$(x)^2 - (7)^2$$

$$(x+7)(x-7)$$

~~$$16x^2 + 4y^5$$~~





$$X \quad \#11 \quad 2x - 2xy^2$$

$$- \cancel{2x} \cancel{yy}$$

$$2x(1-y^2)$$

$$1 - y^2 \\ (1)^2 - (y)^2 \\ (1+y)(1-y)$$

$$2x(1+y)(1-y)$$

XI

$$\#13 \quad 16d^8 - 8d^4 + 1$$

$$(\underline{4d^4})^2 \quad \downarrow \quad (1)^2$$

$$2(4d^4)(1)$$

$$8d^4 \checkmark$$

$$(4d^4 - 1)^2$$

X

12

$$3t^3 - 27t$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 3t^3 - 27t \\ \underline{-3t^3 + 9t} \\ 3t^3 - 27t \\ \underline{-3t^3 + 9t} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

$$3t(t^2 - 9)$$

$$3t(t+3)(t-3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} t^2 - 9 \\ (t)^2 - (3)^2 \\ (t+3)(t-3) \end{aligned}$$

XI

#5 $5K^4 + 8K^3 - 4K^2$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5K^4 + 8K^3 - 4K^2 \\ \underline{-5K^4 + 10K^3} \\ 3K^3 - 4K^2 \\ \underline{-3K^3 + 6K^2} \\ -4K^2 + 6K^2 \\ 2K^2 \end{array}$$

	K	2
5K	5K ²	10K
-2	-2K	-4

$$K^2(5K^2 + 8K - 4)$$

$$K^2(5K-2)(K+2)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -20K^2 \\ \underline{-2K} \quad \underline{10K} \\ 8K \end{array}$$

Homework

Factoring Foldable (solve the 2nd one from each section)

Warm-up 2-27

Factor the following trinomials.

1. $3p^2 - 2p - 5$

2. $12b^3 + 48b^2 + 48b$

3. $x^2 - 14x + 49$

4. $100x^2 - 4y^2$

Warm-up 2-26

Factor the following trinomials.

1. $3p^2 - 2p - 5$

$(3p^2 + 3p)(-5p - 5)$ ~~3×-5~~
 ~~$+ -2$~~

$3p(p + \dots) - 5(p + 1)$

$(p+1)(3p-5)$

	p	1
$3p$	$3p^2$	$3p$
-5	$-5p$	-5

$3p^2 - 2p - 5 \checkmark$

2. $12b^3 + 48b^2 + 48b$

$12b(b^2 + 4b + 4)$

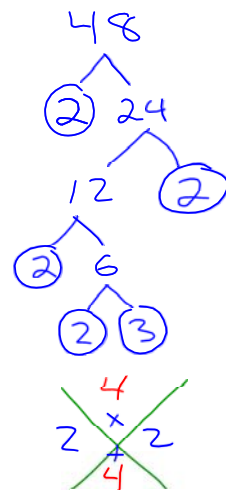
$b^2 + 4b + 4$

$(b^2 + 2b + 2b + 4)$

$b(b+2) + 2(b+2)$

$(b+2)(b+2) = (b+2)^2$

$12b(b+2)^2$



3. $x^2 - 14x + 49$

$(x^2 - 7x)(7x + 49)$ ~~-7×-7~~
 ~~-14~~

$x(x-7) + 7(-x+7)$

$x(x-7) - 7(x-7)$

$(x-7)(x-7) = (x-7)^2$

	x	-7
x	x^2	$-7x$
-7	$-7x$	$+49$

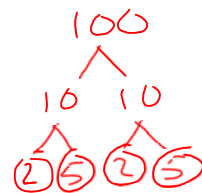
$x^2 - 14x + 49 \checkmark$

4. $100x^2 - 4y^2$

$2 \cdot 2 \cdot 5 \cdot 5 x x$

$-2 \cdot 2 y y$

$4(25x^2 - y^2)$



$25x^2 - y^2$

$(5x)^2 (y)^2$

$4(5x+y)(5x-y)$