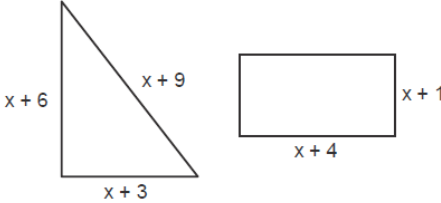


Students will be provided a parallel constructed practice review so they know exactly what I expect them to know, recognize, understand, communicate and be able to do for each chapter test using a star system ranging from 3-star (***) to 1-star (*) questions. Generally, 3-star (***) questions are topics that **must** be memorized and appear verbatim on notes and parallel reviews, 2-star (**) questions are calculation questions, and 1-star (*) questions are multi-step application questions.

As a class, we will review the practice test 2 days before the actual test by pacing through each problem. Students will be prepared for the exam, and they will be held accountable for missing any 3-star (***) material on the exam.

Below is an example of the linkage between the parallel review and the exam based upon the star system.

| | Parallel Review | Exam |
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| *** 3 Star Question | What are the three sets of inverse operations in mathematics? | What are the three sets of inverse operations in mathematics? |
| ** 2 Star Question | Solve for x: $7 - 8x = 46$ | Solve for x: $-2 + 4x = 22$ |
| * 1 Star Question | Write and solve an equation for the following: Trey went to the batting cages to practice hitting. He rented a helmet for \$3 and paid \$0.25 for each group of 20 pitches. If he spent a total of \$10, how many groups of pitches did he pay for? | What value of x makes the polygons below have the same perimeter?  |