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**UNIT 7: SIMILARITY AND
TRANSFORMATIONS**

**7.5: REFLECTIONS AND
LINE SYMMETRY**

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WHAT'S THE POINT OF TODAY'S LESSON?

We will continue working on the Math 9 Specific Curriculum Outcome (SCO) "Shape and Space 5" OR "SS5" which states:

"Demonstrate an understanding of line and rotation symmetry."



What does THAT mean???

SCO SS5 means that we will:

- * **classify a given set of 2-D shapes or designs according to the number of lines of symmetry**
- * **complete a 2-D shape or design given one half of the shape or design and a line of symmetry**
- * **determine if a 2-D shape or design has rotational symmetry about the point at the centre of the shape or design and, if it does, state the order and angle of rotation**
- * **rotate a given 2-D shape about a vertex and draw the resulting image**
- * **identify a line of symmetry or the order and angle of rotation symmetry in a given tessellation**
- * **identify the type of symmetry that arises from a given transformation on the Cartesian plane**
- * **complete, concretely or pictorially, a given transformation of a 2-D shape on a Cartesian plane, record the coordinates and describe the type of symmetry that results**
- * **identify and describe the types of symmetry created in a given piece of artwork**
- * **determine whether or not two given 2-D shapes on the Cartesian plane are related by either rotational or line symmetry**
- * **draw, on a Cartesian plane, the translation image of a given shape using a given translation rule, such as R_2 , U_3 , label each vertex and its corresponding ordered pair and describe why the translation does not result in line or rotational symmetry**





What does THAT mean???

In today's lesson, we will work on the following achievement indicators for SCO SS5:

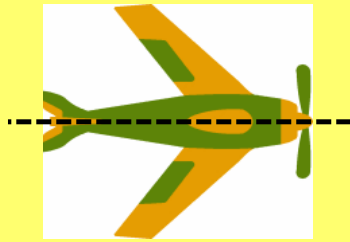
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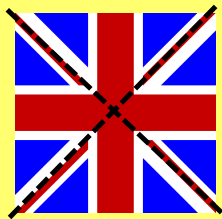
Shapes may show symmetry when folded:



vertically

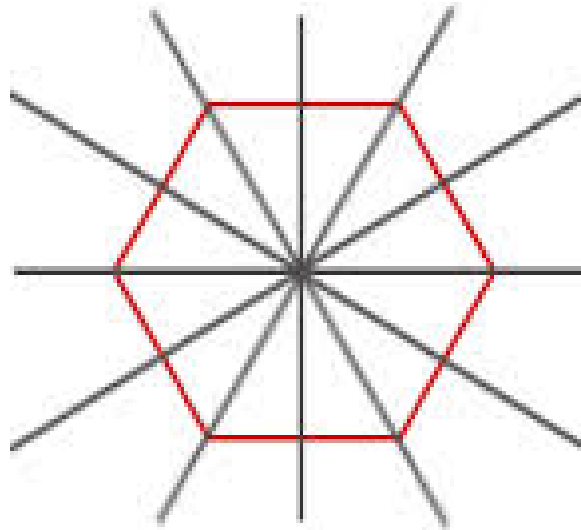


horizontally



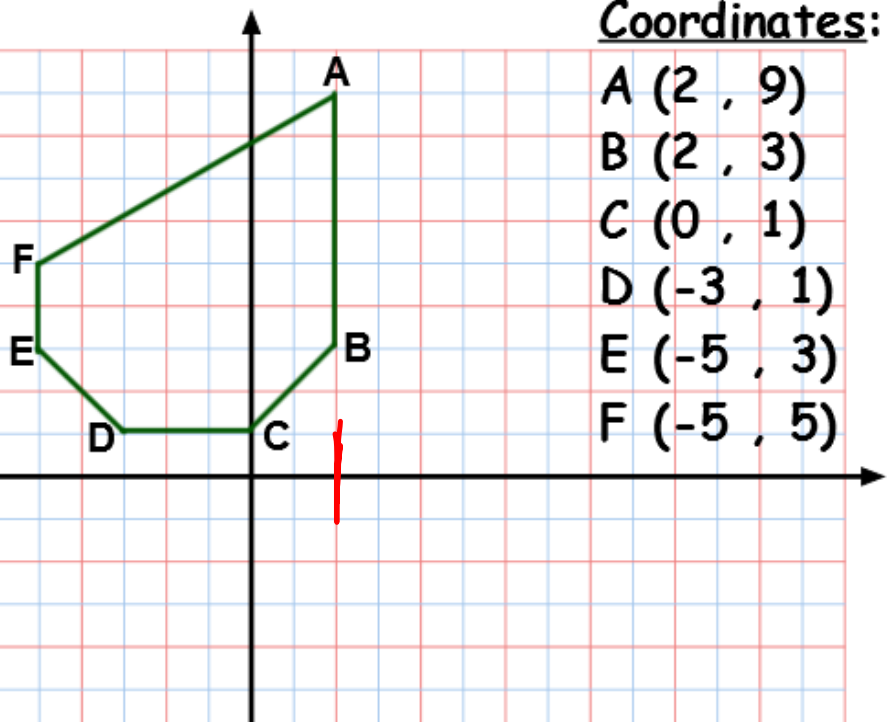
diagonally

The 6 lines of symmetry in a regular hexagon:



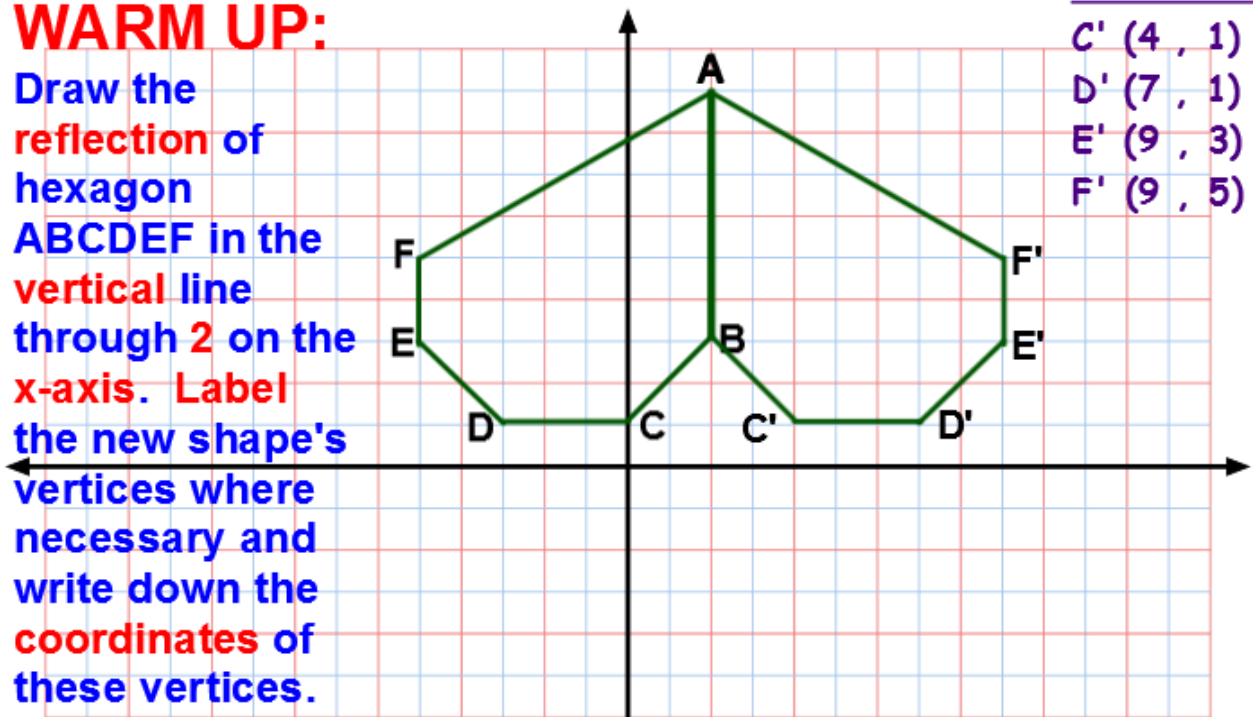
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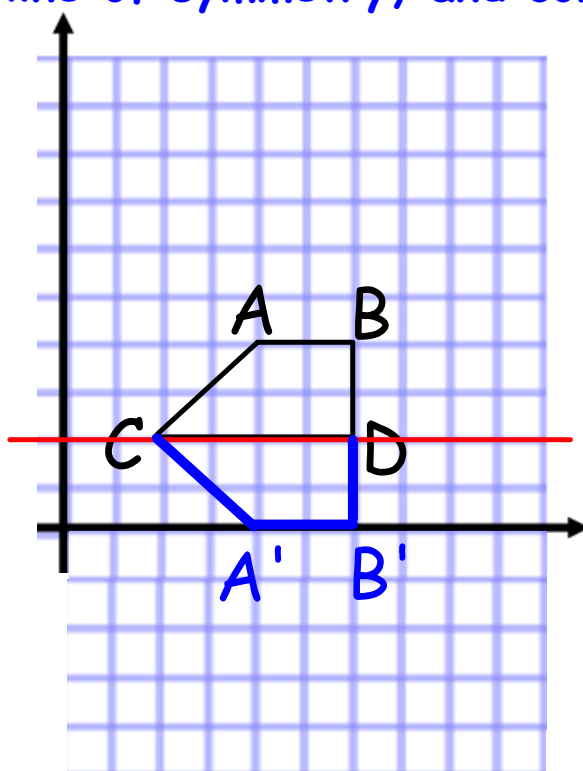
C' (4 , 1)

D' (7 , 1)

E' (9 , 3)

F' (9 , 5)

Copy the shape on graph paper. Use the red line as a line of symmetry, and complete the other half.



Coordinates:

A (4 , 4)

B (6 , 4)

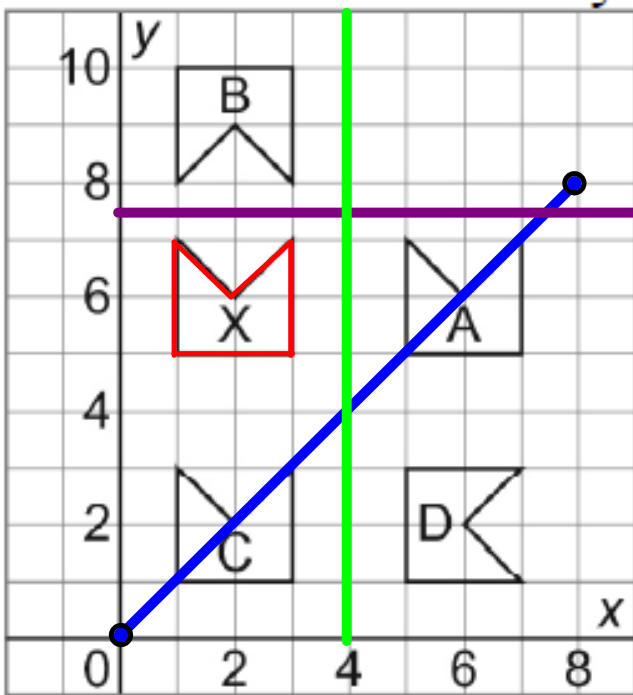
C (2 , 2)

D (6 , 2)

A' (4 , 0)

B' (6 , 0)

Identify the images that are related to the shape "X" by a line of **reflection**. Describe the **symmetry** in each case.



A: the reflection image in the vertical line through 4 on the x-axis

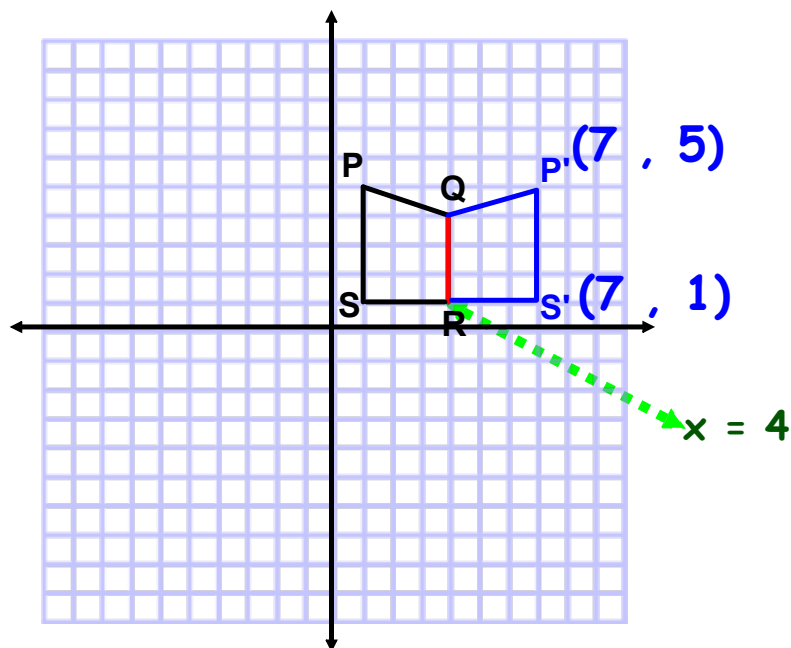
B: the reflection image in the horizontal line through 7.5 on the y-axis

C: not related to "X" by line symmetry

D: the reflection image in the oblique line through (0, 0) and (8, 8)

Quadrilateral PQRS is part of a larger shape.

- a) Draw a reflection in the vertical line through 4 on the x-axis.



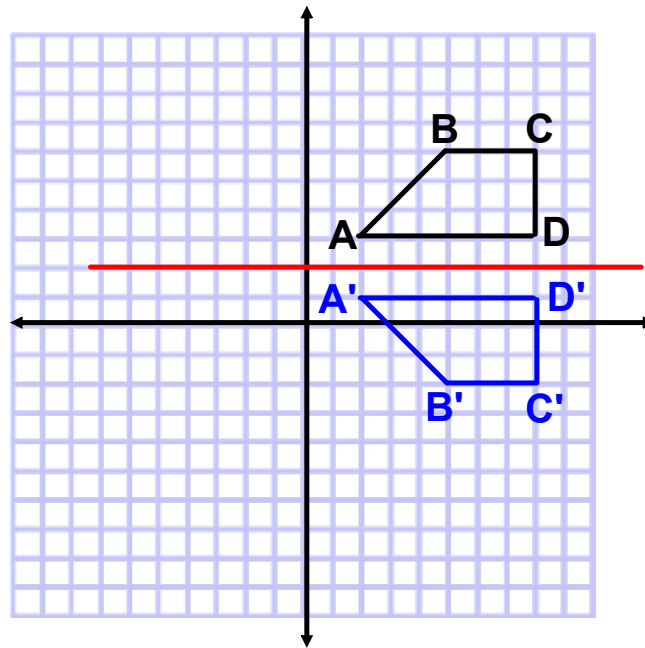
- b) Write the coordinates of the vertices of the larger shape.

P (1 , 5) ; Q (4 , 4) ; P' (7 , 5) ; S (1 , 1) ;
and S' (7 , 1)

- c) Describe the larger shape and its symmetry.

It is a pentagon (P Q P' S' S) with a line of symmetry through QR.

a) Draw a reflection of quadrilateral ABCD in the horizontal line through 2 on the y-axis.



Coordinates:

A (2 , 3)

B (5 , 6)

C (8 , 6)

D (8 , 3)

A' (2 , 1)

B' (5 , -2)

C' (8 , -2)

D' (8 , 1)

b) Write the coordinates of the image of ABCD.
(See above.)

c) Describe the image of ABCD.

The image of ABCD is a still a quadrilateral (A'B'C'D').

CONCEPT REINFORCEMENT:

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