Homework Problems



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Quick Look

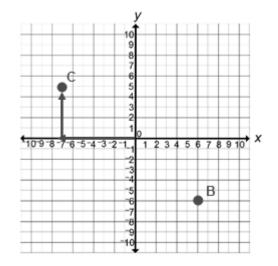
Today we learned how to plot and label a given point, name the location of a plotted point, and determine what quadrant a point belongs in by looking at the signs of the coordinates in an ordered pair.

To plot point C at (7, 5):

- 1) Start at the origin. The *x*-coordinate is negative, so we move 7 left along the *x*-axis.
- 2) The *y*-coordinate is positive, so we move 5 up.
- 3) Label the point as C.

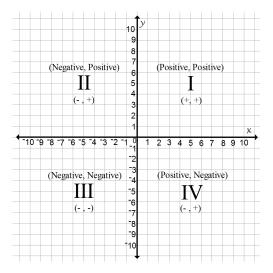
To locate point B:

- 1) Draw a line or trace with your finger from the point to the *x*-axis to find the *x*-coordinate. Point B crosses the *x*-axis at 6.
- 2) Draw a line or trace with your finger from the point to the *y*-axis to find the *y*-coordinate. Point B crosses the *y*-axis at ⁻6.
- 3) So point B is located at the ordered pair (6, -6)



Naming the quadrant:

Remember, there is a pattern to the quadrants on the coordinate plane. The point ($^{-}8$, $^{-}3$) is always located in Quadrant III because it has both a negative *x*-coordinate and a negative *y*-coordinate.



Directions for questions 1-5: In which quadrant would you plot each of these points?

1) (~5, 3)

2) (7, ⁻7)

3) (2, -8)

4) (-1, -3)

5) (5, 6)

Directions for questions 6–10: Plot and label each point on the coordinate plane.

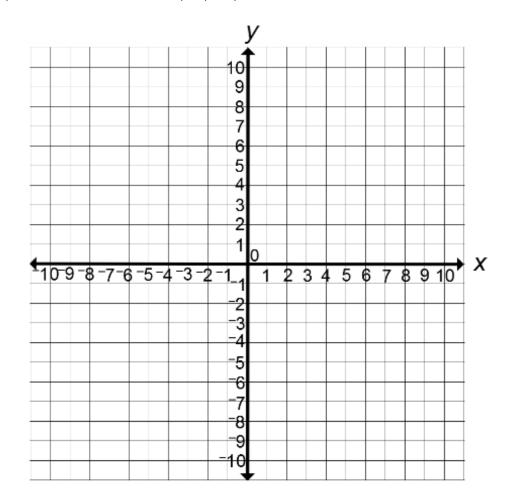
6) K (⁻5, 5)

7) B (8, 0)

8) A (⁻6, ⁻4)

9) R (7, 9)

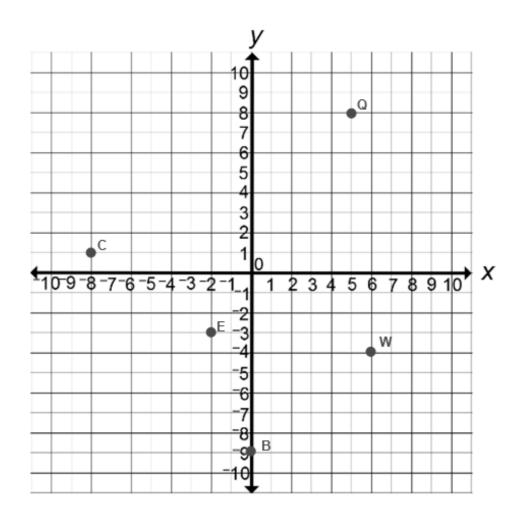
10) P (2, ⁻3)



Directions for questions 11–15: Write the ordered pair for each point.

11) B 12) Q 13) C

14) E 15) W



Mixed Practice

16) Estimate.

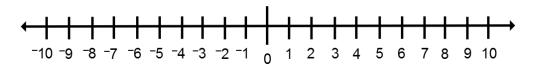
$$3\frac{1}{4}\times5\frac{7}{8}$$

17) Write as an improper fraction.

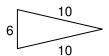
$$6\frac{5}{3}$$

18) Write an integer for the situation. Then plot it on the number line.

Take 5 steps backwards.



19) Determine whether the triangle is scalene, isosceles or equilateral.



Word Problem

20) Tina is plotting point D on a grid. From the origin, she moves 5 to the left and 2 up. What is the ordered pair for point D? In what quadrant will point D be? Explain your thinking.

For the Guide on the Side

Today your student located and plotted points in a four-quadrant coordinate plane. In the past we have worked on plotting points solely in Quadrant I of the coordinate plane. A **coordinate plane** is made up of an **x-axis** and **y-axis** both of which are number lines intersecting at their 0 points. This point (0, 0) is called the **origin** and is always the starting point when plotting or locating points.

An **ordered pair** is made up of an x-coordinate and y-coordinate (x, y). It helps us locate points on a coordinate plane. The x-coordinate tells us how far to move left, if the x-coordinate is negative or how far to move to the right, if the x-coordinate is positive. The y-coordinate tells us how far to move down, if the x-coordinate is negative or how far to move up, if the y-coordinate is positive.

Your student should be able to answer these questions about plotting and locating points.

- 1) Why do you need two coordinates in an ordered pair to plot a point on a grid?
- 2) Are the points (1, 4) and (4, 1) the same? Why or why not?
- 3) Why must you always start at the origin when locating or plotting a point?
- 4) How can you determine the quadrant location of a point using only the ordered pair associated with it?

Here are some ideas to work with coordinate planes with your student.

- 1) Play "Battleship" as a hands-on way of reinforcing coordinate planes and ordered pairs.
- 2) Find a world map and locate points of interest using lines of latitude and longitude.
- 3) Research maps and map-making (cartography).
- 4) Make a coordinate plane on graph paper and take turns plotting and locating points. You could even try making shapes!
- 5) Use Khan Academy to review coordinate planes by watching helpful videos:
 - Quadrants of the Coordinate Plane (includes brief explanation of plotting ordered pairs): http://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra/linear-equations-and-inequalitie/v/quadrants-of-coordinate-plane
 - Plotting Ordered Pairs:
 http://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra/linear-equations-and-inequalitie/v/plot-ordered-pairs
 - Locating and Plotting Ordered Pairs: http://www.khanacademy.org/math/algebra/linear-equations-and-inequalitie/v/the-coordinate-plane

Homework Answers

1) Quadrant II

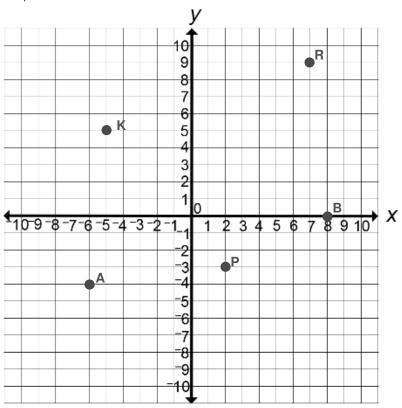
2) Quadrant IV

3) Quadrant IV

4) Quadrant III

5) Quadrant I

6-10)



11) (0, -9)

12) (5, 8)

13) (~8, 1)

14) (~2, ~3)

15) (6, -4)

Mixed Practice

16) Possible estimate: $3 \times 6 = 18$

17) $\frac{23}{5}$

18) ⁻5



19) isosceles

Word Problem

20) The ordered pair for point D is (⁻5, 2) and it will fall in Quadrant II. *Possible explanation:* The directions tell Tina to move "5 to the left" which indicates that this is a negative *x*-coordinate. The directions then say to move "2 up" which indicates that this is a positive *y*-coordinate. A negative *x*-value paired with a positive *y*-value indicates that this ordered pair is located in Quadrant II.