

### Routine Expanding Practice #3

Expand and simplify:

1.  $3(x + 5)$

2.  $4(x - 2)$

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

4.  $4(x - 5)$

5.  $4 - (x + 7)$

6.  $2(x + 2) + 3(x + 7)$

7.  $5(2x + 3) - 2(x + 2)$

8.  $x(x + 2) - 2(x - 2)$

9.  $6(y - 4) - 3(x + 1)$

10.  $-2(x - 1) + 5(x - 2)$

11.  $(x + 1)(x + 7)$

12.  $(x + 2)(x + 4)$

13.  $(x - 2)(x + 3)$

14.  $(x + 5)(x - 8)$

15.  $(x - 1)(x - 3)$

16.  $(x + 2)(x - 2)$

17.  $(x + 4)^2$

18.  $(x - 2)^2$

19.  $(6 + x)(3 + x)$

20.  $(x - 1)(3 - x)$

## Answers: Routine Expanding Practice #3

Expand and simplify:

1.  $3(x + 5) = 3x + 15$
2.  $4(x - 2) = 4x - 8$
3.  $-2(2x + 3) = -4x - 6$
4.  $4(x - 5) = 4x - 20$
5.  $4 - (x + 7) = 4 - x - 7 = -x - 3$
6.  $2(x + 2) + 3(x + 7) = 2x + 4 + 3x + 21 = 5x + 25$
7.  $5(2x + 3) - 2(x + 2) = 10x + 15 - 2x - 4 = 8x + 11$
8.  $x(x + 2) - 2(x - 2) = x^2 + 2x - 2x + 4 = x^2 + 4$
9.  $6(y - 4) - 3(x + 1) = 6y - 24 - 3x - 3 = 6y - 3x - 27$
10.  $-2(x - 1) + 5(x - 2) = -2x + 2 + 5x - 10 = 3x - 8$
11.  $(x + 1)(x + 7) = x^2 + 7x + 1x + 7 = x^2 + 8x + 7$
12.  $(x + 2)(x + 4) = x^2 + 4x + 2x + 8 = x^2 + 6x + 8$
13.  $(x - 2)(x + 3) = x^2 + 3x - 2x - 6 = x^2 + x - 6$
14.  $(x + 5)(x - 8) = x^2 - 8x + 5x - 40 = x^2 - 3x - 40$
15.  $(x - 1)(x - 3) = x^2 - 3x - 1x + 3 = x^2 - 4x + 3$
16.  $(x + 2)(x - 2) = x^2 - 2x + 2x - 4 = x^2 - 4$
17.  $(x + 4)^2 = (x + 4)(x + 4) = x^2 + 4x + 4x + 16 = x^2 + 8x + 16$
18.  $(x - 2)^2 = (x - 2)(x - 2) = x^2 - 2x - 2x + 4 = x^2 - 4x + 4$
19.  $(6 + x)(3 + x) = 18 + 6x + 3x + x^2 = x^2 + 9x + 18$
20.  $(x - 1)(3 - x) = 3x - x^2 - 3 + 1x = -x^2 + 4x - 3$

Minuses can be written as plus the negative (e.g.  $3x - 5 = 3x + -5$ ).

Answers can be in any order, so long as the  $-$  signs are correct.