



SUPER 12s CAN BE USED AS AN INDIVIDUALISED MASTERY LEARNING PROGRAM.

2 ALGEBRA

2.3 COLLECT LIKE TERMS

2.3 LEVEL 4

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**Skill description:** Collecting like terms in expressions with more than one variable.

## **Essential Revision**

1. Circle the like terms.

3*y*, 9*a*, *y*, *b* 

2. Simplify.

 $xy^2 + 2xy^2$ 

- 3. Show that  $y^2 + 3y^2 = 4y^2$  by substituting y = 2.
- brace 4. Circle the like terms.

 $3z^4$ , c,  $3z^2$ , 12c

$$3a^2b - 2a^2b + a^2b$$

**6.** Show that 
$$-p-3p=-4p$$
 by substituting  $p=4$ .

$$3a^2$$
,  $2a^3$ ,  $3a^5$ ,  $a^3$ 

$$8$$
. Simplify.

$$7v - 5v$$

9. Show that 
$$ab + ab = 2ab$$
 by substituting  $a = 2$  and  $b = 5$ .

$$\{10.$$
 Circle the like terms.

$$-2g - 4g$$

12. Show that 
$$4p - 3p + p = 2p$$
 by substituting  $p = 4$ .

Solutions can be found at the end of the booklet.

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## STRATEGIES TO SOLVE THE PROBLEMS

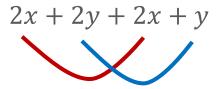
## Example 1

Simplify by collecting the like terms.

$$2x + 2y + 2x + y$$

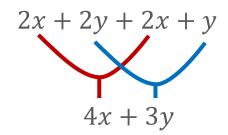
## Step 1

Identify the like terms.



#### Step 2

Collect the like terms.





## Example 2

Simplify by collecting the like terms.

$$2a + 3b + 6c - a - b - 3c$$

## Step 1

Identify the like terms.

$$2a + 3b + 6c - a - b - 3c$$

## Step 2

Collect the like terms.

$$2a + 3b + 6c - a - b - 3c$$

$$a + 2b + 3c$$

## Example 3

Simplify by collecting the like terms.

$$4a^2 + 3b^2 - a^2 - 2b^2$$

## Step 1

Identify the like terms.

$$4a^2 + 3b^2 - a^2 - 2b^2$$

#### Step 2

Collect the like terms.

$$4a^{2} + 3b^{2} - a^{2} - 2b^{2}$$

$$3a^{2} + b^{2}$$

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QUESTIONS

Simplify.

1.

$$4x + 2y + 3x + y$$

2.

$$4a + 5b + 3a - 2b$$

3.

$$x + 2y + 2z + 4x - 3y + z$$

4.

$$5a + 3b + 6c - 2a - b - c$$

5.

$$5x^2 + y^2 + 2x^2 + 3y^2$$

6.

$$2a^2 + 4b^2 - a^2 - 3b^2$$

$$-3a^2 + 4b^2 + 3a^2 - 7b^2$$

$$3x + 2y + 10x - y$$

$$2a + 3b - 3a - 6b$$

$$2x + 3y - z + 4x - y + 2z$$

# 11.

$$3x^2 + 2y^2 + 2x^2 + 3y^2$$

$$-6a^2 + 2b^2 + 6a^2 - 2b^2$$



SOLUTIONS CAN BE FOUND AT

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#### MASTERY TEST

# Teacher's signature

I'VE COMPLETED

LEVELS THIS YEAR





## Solutions to Essential Revision

- 3*y*, *y*
- 16 = 16
- 5.  $2a^2b$
- $2a^{3}, a^{3}$
- 20 = 20

- 2.  $3xy^2$
- 4. c, 12c
- 6. -16 = -16
- 8. 2v
- 10. 5*c*, 9*c*
- 12. 8 = 8

## Solutions to Questions

- 7x + 3y
- 5x y + 3z
- $7x^2 + 4y^2$
- $-3b^{2}$
- -a-3b
- $5x^2 + 5y^2$

- 2. 7a + 3b
- 3a + 2b + 5c
- $a^2 + b^2$
- 8. 13x + y
- 10. 6x + 2y + z
- 12.