

Polynomial Puzzler: Adding and Subtracting

Directions: Solve the following puzzles by using addition and subtraction.

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| $3x$ | $2x^2$ | $2x^2 + 3x$ |
| x^2 | $5x$ | $x^2 + 5x$ |
| $x^2 + 3x$ | $2x^2 + 5x$ | $3x^2 + 8x$ |

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| $-4x + 5$ | $6x - 4$ | $2x + 1$ |
| 5 | $-2x$ | $-2x + 5$ |
| $-4x + 10$ | $4x - 4$ | 6 |

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| $-x^2$ | b | $-x^2 + 6$ |
| $x^2 + 4$ | $2x$ | $x^2 + 2x + 4$ |
| 4 | $2x + 6$ | $2x + 10$ |

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| $x^2 + 8x - 5$ | $-5x + 5$ | $x^2 + 3x$ |
| $-x^2 - 8x + 2$ | $2x^2$ | $x^2 - 8x + 2$ |
| -3 | $2x^2 - 5x + 5$ | $2x^2 - 5x + 2$ |

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| $x^2 - 4x - 4$ | $5x - 6$ | $x^2 + x - 10$ |
| $6x + 1$ | $x^2 - x + 5$ | $x^2 + 5x + 6$ |
| $x^2 + 2x - 3$ | $x^2 + 4x - 1$ | $2x^2 + 6x - 4$ |

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| $3x^2 + 3x - 15$ | 4 | $3x^2 + 3x - 11$ |
| $7 - x^2$ | $5x^2 - 2x - 1$ | $4x^2 - 2x + 6$ |
| $2x^2 + 3x - 8$ | $5x^2 - 2x + 3$ | $7x^2 + x - 5$ |