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### Part 1: Building a Foundation

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#### What is the standard form of a quadratic equation?

*Hint: Recall the general format of a quadratic equation.*

- A)  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$
- A)  $ax + b = 0$
- A)  $ax^3 + bx^2 + c = 0$
- A)  $ax^2 + b = 0$

#### Which of the following are methods to factor quadratic equations?

*Hint: Consider various techniques used in factoring.*

- A) Completing the square
- A) Using the quadratic formula
- A) Factoring by grouping
- A) Using the Zero Product Property

#### Explain the Zero Product Property and its role in solving quadratic equations by factoring.

*Hint: Think about how this property helps in finding solutions.*

#### List the steps involved in solving a quadratic equation by factoring.

Hint: Consider the logical sequence of actions taken.

1. Step 1

2. Step 2

3. Step 3

4. Step 4

## Part 2: Understanding and Interpretation

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**Which of the following quadratics can be factored using the difference of squares?**

Hint: Look for a specific pattern in the quadratic.

- A)  $x^2 - 9$
- A)  $x^2 + 6x + 9$
- A)  $x^2 + 4x + 4$
- A)  $x^2 + 5x + 6$

**Which of the following expressions can be factored using the greatest common factor (GCF)?**

Hint: Identify the common factor in the expressions.

- A)  $3x^2 + 6x$
- A)  $x^2 + 4x + 4$
- A)  $2x^2 + 8x + 8$
- A)  $x^2 - 16$

**Describe how to determine if a quadratic equation can be factored using integers.**

Hint: Consider the properties of the coefficients and constants.

### Part 3: Application and Analysis

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**Factor the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 5x + 6 = 0$  and find the solutions.**

*Hint: Look for two numbers that multiply to 6 and add to 5.*

- A)  $x = -2, -3$
- A)  $x = 2, 3$
- A)  $x = -1, -6$
- A)  $x = 1, 6$

**Given the quadratic equation  $2x^2 + 8x = 0$ , which steps are necessary to solve it by factoring?**

*Hint: Think about the initial steps to simplify the equation.*

- A) Factor out the GCF
- A) Set each factor equal to zero
- A) Use the quadratic formula
- A) Check solutions by substitution

**Solve the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 4x - 5 = 0$  by factoring and verify your solutions.**

*Hint: Factor the equation and find the roots.*

## Part 4: Evaluation and Creation

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Which of the following statements is true about the quadratic  $x^2 - 6x + 9$ ?

*Hint: Consider the characteristics of the quadratic.*

- A) It is a perfect square trinomial.
- A) It cannot be factored.
- A) It is a difference of squares.
- A) It has no real solutions.

Analyze the quadratic equation  $x^2 + 4x + 4 = 0$ . Which of the following are true?

*Hint: Look for patterns in the coefficients.*

- A) It can be factored as  $(x + 2)^2 = 0$ .
- A) It has one real solution.
- A) It is a perfect square trinomial.
- A) It has two distinct solutions.

Explain why some quadratic equations cannot be factored using integers and what alternative methods can be used.

*Hint: Consider the nature of the roots and coefficients.*

Evaluate the solutions of the quadratic equation  $x^2 - 5x + 6 = 0$ . Which statement is correct?

*Hint: Check the solutions against the original equation.*

- A) The solutions are correct and verified.
- A) The solutions are incorrect.
- A) The equation cannot be solved by factoring.
- A) The solutions are complex numbers.

**Create a quadratic equation that can be factored using the difference of squares. Which of the following fits this criterion?**

*Hint: Look for a specific structure in the equation.*

- A)  $x^2 - 16$
- A)  $x^2 + 4x + 4$
- A)  $x^2 - 25$
- A)  $x^2 + 9$

**Design a real-world problem that can be modeled by a quadratic equation. Explain how factoring can be used to find the solution.**

*Hint: Think about scenarios involving area or projectile motion.*