## Transformations

Vocabulary

## Transformations

- A transformation occurs when a shape changes size, location, or orientation
- There are four types of transformations:


Dilation


Translation


Rotation


Reflection

## Transformations

- The original figure prior to a transformation is called the pre-image
- The result of a transformation is called the image



## Rigid Transformations

- A transformation where the pre-image and image are congruent
- Two shapes are congruent if they are the exact same size; they have the same side lengths and the same angles



## Rotation

- A rotation turns an entire figure about a fixed point
- To rotate a figure you must choose a point of rotation, direction (either clockwise or counter clockwise), and angle of rotation (how far it will turn: $90^{\circ}, 180^{\circ}, 270^{\circ}$ )



## Translation

- A translation slides a figure horizontally (side-to-side), vertically (up or down), or both
- To translate a figure, you must describe which direction you will move it, and how far it will slide



## Reflection

- A reflection flips a figure across a line to form a mirror image

- The mirror line is called a line of reflection
- If you were to fold along the line of reflection, the pre-image and image would coincide (lie directly on top of each other)

line of reflection


## Dilation

- A dilation produces an image that is the same shape as the original, but is a different size
- A dilation stretches or shrinks the original figure by a scale factor
- Scale factor: The ratio that describes how two lengths are related
- If a scale factor is:
- Greater than 1, it enlarges a shape (makes it bigger)
- Between 0 and 1 reduces a shape (makes it smaller)
- Is equal to 1 then the two shapes are congruent


