



## Do You Remember How to

### Identify Terms?

A plus or minus sign outside of parentheses begins a new term.

- (1) How many terms does the expression  $x + 9$  have?
- (2) How many terms does the expression  $5x - 6$  have?
- (3) How many terms does the expression  $m^2 - 7m + 10$  have?
- (4) How many terms does the expression  $b^3 + 2b^2 - 5b + 13$  have?
- (5) How many terms does the expression  $2x^2y^3z^4$  have?
- (6) How many terms does the expression  $x^2 + 3x + 4$  have?
- (7) How many terms does the expression  $(x^2 + 3x) + 4$  have as written?
- (8) How many terms does the expression  $(x^2 + 3x + 4)$  have as written?
- (9) How many terms does the expression  $(a + b) + c + d + 7$  have as written?
- (10) How many terms does the expression  $(a + b + c) + (d + 7)$  have as written?

### Answers:

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| (1) 2 | (2) 2 | (3) 3 | (4) 4 | (5) 1  |
| (6) 3 | (7) 2 | (8) 1 | (9) 4 | (10) 2 |