CHAPTER 2: Investigating Perimeter and Area of Rectangles

3. a) Draw this rectangle on grid paper.

Draw 3 different rectangles with the same area as this rectangle.

- b) Calculate the perimeter of each rectangle.Write the perimeter inside each rectangle.
- c) Cut out the rectangles. Sort them from least to greatest perimeter.
- d) Describe how the rectangles change as the perimeter increases.

4. Assessment Focus

- a) Draw a square on grid paper. Determine its area and perimeter.
- b) Draw a rectangle with the same perimeter but a different area.
- c) Which figure has the greater area? Show your work.
- This diagram shows overlapping rectangles drawn on 1-cm grid paper.
 - All of them share the same vertex.
 - a) Calculate the area of each rectangle.What do you notice?
 - b) Which rectangle do you think has the least perimeter? The greatest perimeter? Justify your choice.
 - c) Calculate the perimeter of each rectangle.Were you correct in part b? Explain.
- **6.** This diagram shows overlapping rectangles drawn on 1-cm grid paper. All of them share the same vertex.
 - a) Calculate the perimeter of each rectangle. What do you notice?
 - b) Which rectangle do you think has the least area? The greatest area? Justify your choice.
 - c) Calculate the area of each rectangle.Were you correct in part b? Explain.
- **7. Take It Further** Can two different rectangles have the same perimeter and the same area? Justify your answer.

In Your Own Words

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Explain how rectangles can have the same perimeter but different areas. Explain how rectangles can have the same area but different perimeters. Include diagrams in your explanations.









