6.3 Proportionality Theorems

Pre-AP Geometry

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## EXPLORE/EXPLAIN

Using the figure to the right, label each of the vertices of the two triangles below and fill in the extended proportion.

$\frac{A D}{A C}=\frac{D E}{}$


1. Draw a point on $\overline{A B}$. Label the point $D$.
2. Draw a parallel line. Draw a line through $D$ that is parallel to $\overline{B C}$. Label the intersection of the line and $A C$ as point $E$.
3. Using a ruler or the edge of your formula chart, measure the following segments:
$A D=$ $\qquad$
DB= $\qquad$ $A E=$ $\qquad$ $E C=$ $\qquad$
4. Calculate the following ratios:

$$
\frac{A D}{D B}=\square \quad \text { and } \quad \frac{A E}{E C}=
$$

Conjecture: If a segment is parallel to one side of a triangle and intersects the other two sides, then


Complete the following ratios:

$$
\frac{a}{c}=\square \quad \text { or } \quad \frac{a}{b}=
$$



1. Draw a ray that bisects $\angle A B C$ and passes through $\overline{A C}$. Label the point of intersection $D$.
2. Using a ruler or protractor, measure the following segments:
$B A=$ $\qquad$ $B C=$ $\qquad$ $A D=$ $\qquad$ $C D=$ $\qquad$
3. Calculate the following ratios:

$$
\frac{B A}{A D}=\quad \text { and } \quad \frac{B C}{C D}=
$$

$\overline{B D}$ is a midsegment

## Conjectures:



