ONLINE Video Tutorials and Interactive Examples

Apply the Perimeter Formula for Rectangles

- 1 Gwen is starting a dog-walking business after school. The route she walks forms a rectangle. If the length of the route is 4 blocks and the width of the route is 3 blocks, what is the total distance of the route?
- 2 Jeffrey wants to put extra tape around the outer edge of his rectangular kite to make sure it does not rip. His kite is 1 meter wide and 2 meters long. How many meters of tape does Jeffrey need?
- Reason The school wants to build a new trophy case. They know that the perimeter of the case will be 36 feet. They also know that the width can only be 3 feet. How would they find the length of their new trophy case?
- 4 STEM Energy can travel as electric currents through wiring made with conductive metals. If the electric company wants to install new wiring around the perimeter of a rectangular area that is 12 miles long and 8 miles wide, how many miles of wire does the electric company need?
- 5 Find the perimeter of a rectangle if the length is 10 yards and the width is 2 times as long as the length.
- Find the perimeter of a rectangle if the width is 3 meters and the length is 3 times as long as the width.

Test Prep

- 7 Find the perimeter of a rectangle if the width is 4 feet and the length is 3 times as long as the width.
 - A 14 feet

© 32 feet

B 22 feet

- D 48 feet
- 8 Joseph wants to string lights around the perimeter of the ceiling of his front porch. The ceiling is shaped like a rectangle. If the the ceiling of the porch is 9 meters long and 8 meters wide, how many meters of lights does he need?
 - A 16 meters

© 34 meters

(B) 17 meters

- D 43 meters
- 9 Find the perimeter.
- 5 in.

- (A) 40 inches
- B 26 inches
- © 22 inches
- D 13 inches

- 8 in.
- 10 Find the perimeter of a rectangle if the width is 7 feet and the length is 4 feet longer than the width.
 - A 22 feet

© 36 feet

B 28 feet

D 77 feet

Spiral Review

Add or subtract.