# Some special Parallelograms

## A. Choose the Correct Answer:

- 1. Which of the following quadrilaterals has all sides equal and all angles equal?
  - a) Rhombus
  - b) Square
  - c) Rectangle
  - d) Trapezium
- 2. Which special parallelogram has diagonals that are equal in length but do not intersect at 90°?
  - a) Rhombus
  - b) Square
  - c) Rectangle
  - d) Kite

#### 3. Which of the following properties is not true for a rhombus?

- a) All sides are equal
- b) All angles are 90°
- c) Diagonals bisect each other at right angles
- d) Opposite angles are equal

### **B.** Write the Missing Terms to Complete the Sentences:

- a) A \_\_\_\_\_ has all sides equal and all angles 90°.
- b) The diagonals of a rhombus bisect each other at \_\_\_\_\_ angles.
- c) A rectangle has opposite sides \_\_\_\_\_ and all angles \_\_\_\_\_.
- d) A square is a special type of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- e) The diagonals of a rectangle are \_\_\_\_\_ in length and bisect each other.

### C. Figure out the answers to these questions:

- 1. Draw a square, a rectangle, and a rhombus. Label sides, angles, and diagonals, and write one special property for each.
- 2. Compare the properties of a rectangle and a rhombus. Write any three similarities and two differences.
- 3. In a square PQRS, one diagonal measures 10 cm. Find the length of the other diagonal and explain why.
- 4. Explain why every square is a rectangle, but every rectangle is not a square.

5. A parallelogram has all sides equal and the diagonals intersect at 90°. What kind of special parallelogram is this? Justify.

#### D. Mark each sentence with a True (✔) or False (★):

- 1. All squares are rectangles, but all rectangles are not squares.
- 2. A rhombus has all angles equal to 90°.
- 3. The diagonals of a rectangle bisect each other but are not perpendicular.
- 4. A square is both a rhombus and a rectangle.
- 5. Diagonals of a rhombus are always equal.

### E. Challenge yourself with these questions:

- 1. Create a table showing the properties of parallelogram, rectangle, rhombus, and square with respect to sides, angles, and diagonals.
- 2. Look around your surroundings and find real-life objects that resemble squares, rectangles, and rhombuses. List them.
- 3. Draw a rhombus on graph paper and verify its diagonal properties using a ruler.
- 4. Design a quadrilateral with all sides equal and opposite angles equal but not 90°. What figure is it?
- 5. A square has diagonals measuring 12 cm. Find the length of one side using the Pythagoras theorem.