# **TEACHING GUIDE**

## Module 8: Inequalities in Triangles

## A. Learning Outcomes

All activities and inputs in this module that you have to facilitate are aligned with the content and performance standards of the K to 12 Mathematics Curriculum for Grade 8. Ensuring that students undertake all the activities at the specified time with your maximum technical assistance lies under your care. The table below shows how the standards are unpacked.

# UNPACKING THE STANDARDS FOR UNDERSTANDING

SUBJECT:	LEARNING COMPETENC	IES	
Grade 8 Mathematics <b>QUARTER:</b> Third Quarter <b>STRAND:</b> Geometry	<ul> <li>(KNOWLEDGE) State and illustrate the theorems on triangle inequalities such as exterior angle inequality theorem, triangle inequality theorems, hinge theorem and its converse.</li> <li>(SKILL) Apply theorems on triangle inequalities to:         <ul> <li>a. determine possible measures for the angles and sides of triangles.</li> <li>b. justify claims about the unequal relationships between side and angle measures.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(SKILL) Use the theorems on inequalities in triangles to prove statements involving triangle inequalities.</li> </ul>		
TOPIC: Inequalities in Triangles LESSON: Inequalities in	<b>ESSENTIAL UNDERSTANDING:</b> Students will understand that inequalities in triangles can be justified deductively.	ESSENTIAL QUESTION: How can you justify inequalities in trian- gles?	
mangles	<b>TRANSFER GOAL:</b> Students will on their own justify inequalities in triangles that are artworks and designs.	evident in the things around us such as in	

## **B.** Planning for Assessment

To assess learning, students should perform a task to demonstrate their understanding of Inequalities in Triangles. It is expected that students, having been equipped with knowledge and skills on inequalities in triangles, would come up with a product—a design and a miniature model of a folding ladder that can reach as high as 10 feet. This task is found in Activity No. 23 of the module

## **Assessment Map**

To ensure understanding and learning, students should be engaged in different learning experiences with corresponding assessment. The table below shows the assessment at different stages of the learning process. Details of this assessment map will guide you which items in each stage of assessment are under specific domains—Knowledge, Process/Skills, Understanding or Performance. . Be sure to expose students to varied assessment in this module in order to develop their critical thinking and problem solving skills.

ТҮРЕ	KNOWLEDGE	PROCESS/SKILLS	UNDERSTANDING	PERFORMANCE
Pre – assessment/ Diagnostic	Pre-Test Items     No. 1,2 and 10	• Pretest Items No. 3, 4, 7, 12, and 13	• Pretest Items No. 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, and 14	Pretest Items     No. 14-20

	Revisiting an Answers in A	nd Modifying Activity No.	Revisiting a Modifying A	nd nswers in	Revisiting Modifying	and Answers	Answer the follo	ing Questions wing activities	of :
	1		Activity No.	3	in Activity	No. 2	Act.	Items	
	• Quiz		Completin	g the tables	Answeri	ng	8	1-2	
	Quiz	Items	of the follo	wing	Questio	ns of	9	8-9	
	1	A 1-3		4, 3, 0, 7,	activities	wing s:	10	5	
	2	A 1-3	Answering	Questions	Act	J. Items	21	1-11	
	3	A 1, 5	of the follo	wing	4	1-5			
	4	1	activities:		5	15.9	Answer	ing Quiz Items	;
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			5	6-7	9	1-8	2	С	
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			1	B	5	A 1-4,	✓ Mathe	matics for Eco	-
			2	В		B 1-5,	Archite	ecture	
			3	A 2-4		ע	🗸 Mathe	matics in the	
			5	C 1-4			Garde	n	

			<ul> <li>Answering the Questions about Watch- this problems in the following activities: 17, 18, 19, 20</li> <li>Solving It's-Your- Turn problems of the following activities: 17, 18, 19, 20</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ Mathematics in Geography</li> <li>✓ Mathematics in Architecture: The World's Thinnest House</li> <li>✓ Mathematics in Art: Color Triangle</li> <li>✓ Mathematics in Psychology</li> <li>✓ Mathematics in Fashion</li> <li>✓ Career in Mathematics: Air Traffic Controller</li> </ul>
TYPE	KNOWLEDGE	PROCESS/SKILLS	UNDERSTANDING	PERFORMANCE
	Post-Test Items     No. 1,2 & 10	• Pretest Items No. 3, 4, 7, 12, & 13	• Pretest Items No. 5, 6, 8, 9, 11, & 14	Pretest Items     No. 14-20
Summative	Finalizing Answers in Activity No. 1	Finalizing Answers in Activity No. 3	Finalizing Answers in Activity No. 2 All items in Activity No. 24	<ul> <li>Act 23: Creation of a design and a miniature model of a folding ladder that can reach as high as 10 feet—allowing its user to gain access to their ceilings/ roofs during floods caused by typhoons or monsoon rains.</li> <li>The standards are as follows:</li> <li>✓ Product must be efficient,</li> <li>✓ The design must be creative,</li> <li>✓ Measurements are accurate</li> <li>✓ Mathematical Justification of the design is logically clear, convincing, and professionally</li> </ul>

ТҮРЕ	KNOWLEDGE	PROCESS/SKILLS	UNDERSTANDING	PERFORMANCE
Self - assessment	Answering Activity No. 1	Answering Activity No. 3	Answering Activity No. 2	Answering questions in More Triangular Designs and Artworks

## Assessment Matrix (Summative Test)

	Post-Test Items by Levels of Assessment				
	Knowledge	Process/ Skills	Understanding	Product	
What will I assess?	3 items	5 items	6 items	6 items	
	15%	25%	30%	30%	
	Scoring: One po	int Each			
<b>Competency No. 1:</b> State and illustrate the theorems	1, 2				
theorem				20	
<b>Competency No. 2:</b> Apply theorems on triangle inequalities		4, 11, 13			
to determine possible measures for the angles and sides of			5, 10		
triangles.				15, 16	
	3				
<b>Competency No. 3:</b> Apply theorems on triangle inequalities		12, 14			
side and angle measures			6, 8		
				17	
Competency No. 4: Use the theorems on inequalities in			7, 9		
triangles to prove statements involving triangle inequalities				18, 19	
Competency Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 4	Activity: Creation of a Design or Product Scoring: By Rubrics				

## C. Planning for Teaching-Learning

## Introduction:

The unit lesson on Geometry for Grade 8 is to be delivered in the Third Quarter of the school year. Triangle Inequalities is the third chapter of Geometry for Grade 8. Since there are four chapters in this unit, you are expected to facilitate this lesson within 15 days, non-inclusive of extra time student spend for tasks that you may most likely assign for students to do in their independent/cooperative learning time, free time, or after school.

## INTRODUCTION AND FOCUS QUESTIONS:

Aside from arresting the attention and interest of the students, the introduction stresses the purpose of studying inequalities in triangles.

The introduction, through the essential question, serves as a steering mechanism of the lesson. All sections and activities in the lesson are geared towards the goal of answering it.

As the learning facilitator, your role is to emphasize the Essential Question in the introduction and to remind the students about it in every section of the module.

Your key role is to underscore that the process of answering the essential question on how inequalities in triangles can be justified will:

- · improve their attention to details;
- shape their deductive thinking;
- hone their reasoning skills; and
- polish their mathematical communication.

## LESSONS AND COVERAGE:

This section of the learning module cites the subtopics of Inequalities in Triangles and the competencies that will be covered in the module. Your task is to know these competencies so you can ensure that students shall have learned them at the end of the lesson.

## MODULE MAP:

Through the Module Map, you will be able to show to the students that

- inequalities exist in one triangle and in two triangles
- four theorems can be developed, verified, and proved regarding inequalities in one triangle
- · two theorems can be developed, verified, and proved regarding inequalities in two triangles

## **PRE-ASSESSMENT**:

This section features the test that diagnoses what students already know about the topic before the actual teaching of the lesson. This feedback information is valuable to you because it directs you on how to proceed as a facilitator of learning. As a result, you are able to provide the appropriate technical assistance students need as the lesson unfolds.

## **Answer Key to Pre-Test**

- 1. **C** The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is always greater than either remote interior angle. Basis: Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem.
- 2. **B** Angle 5 is an exterior angle of triangle *TYP* because segment *PR* is an extension of side *TP*. Basis: Definition of Exterior Angle.
- 3. **B** Marie was not able to form a triangle because the sum of the two shorter lengths 4 and 5 is not greater than the third side of 9 inches. Basis: Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$ .
- 4. **A** Working Inequality  $4x 3 < 42^{\circ}$ Basis: Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 ( $S_1 + S_2 > S_3$ )
- 5. **B** Basis: Converse of Hinge Theorem
- 6. **B** The included angle between two distances 3 km and 4 km covered by Oliver is 150°. This is larger than that of Ruel's--140°. Therefore, Oliver is father because his distance is opposite a larger angle. *Basis: Hinge Theorem.*
- 7. **B**
- 8. C Basis: Converse of Hinge Theorem.
- 9. B Conclusions must be based on complete facts.
- 10. A  $m \angle D$  = 180 (86 + 49) = 45. The shortest side is  $\angle D$ . Therefore the shortest side is opposite it. *Basis: Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 (Aa* $\rightarrow$ Ss)
- 11. **C** 
  - Considering the triangle with sides *p*, *q* and *s*: The angle opposite *p* is 61°. Hence, *s* < *q* < *p*.
  - Considering the triangle with sides *r*, *s* and *t*: The angle opposite *r* is 60°. Hence, *t* < *r* < *s*. Combining both results, *t* < *r* < *s* < *q* < *p* Basis: Triangle Inequality Theorem (Aa→Ss)

#### III. PRE - ASSESSMENT

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Find out how much you already know about this topic. On a separate sheet, write only the letter of the choice that you think best answers the question. Please answer all items. During the checking, take note of the items that you were not able to answer correctly and find out the right answers as you go through this module.

- 1. The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is always \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. greater than its adjacent interior angle.
  - b. less than its adjacent interior angle.
  - c. greater than either remote interior angle.
  - d. less than either remote interior angle.
- 2. Which of the following angles is an exterior angle of  $\Delta TYP$ ?



- 3. Each of Xylie, Marie, Angel and Chloe was given an 18-inch piece of stick. They were instructed to create a triangle. Each cut the stick in their own chosen lengths as follows: Xylie—6 in, 6 in, 6 in; Marie—4 in, 5 in, 9 in; Angle—7 in, 5 in, 6 in; and Chloe—3 in, 7 in, 5 in. Who among them was not able to make a triangle?
  - a. Xylie b. Marie c. Angel d. Chloe
- 4. What are the possible values for *x* in the figure?











Before engaging the students in the different activities you have to underscore the following to the students:

*Mathematical Connection* — learning new lessons requires the use of lessons previously learned;

*Cooperative Learning* — learning is much easier, faster, more meaningful and more fun when working with group mates;

*Engagement* — learning is maximized through active performance of students in all activities

#### Activity No.1: My Decisions Now and Then Later

Let them perform activity No. 1 in at most 5 minutes. Inform the students that there is no right or wrong answer because the activity is only intended to find out their background knowledge on Inequalities in Triangles. Tell them these: Your answers can be modified after tackling the module. Hence, there will be no checking of your responses. Hence, the answer key that follows is used to check their final answers after tackling the module.

Answer Key to Activity No.1
1. D
2. D (can be should be replaced with is always)
3. D
4. A
5. A



#### **Artistically Yours**

Your task is to get students interested in the new lesson. You may start by posing this task: What objects around us are triangular in shape? You and your students will find out that most objects are circular or rectangular.

After a 2-minute discussion, divide the class into groups and let them study the pictures and answer the questions in ponder time of Activity No. 2 Artistically Yours for at least three minutes. Let all group representatives report their answers to the questions. Give each representative at most one minute each to be able to maximize time. Process all their answers by unifying all their ideas or supplementing them so it would converge to the expected answers provided.

Invite also the students to discover more triangular designs and artworks by locating them in www.google.com under Images. Instruct them to type any of the following in the search bar: triangular designs, triangular artworks, triangular architecture, triangular art, and more.

## Answer Key to Activity No.2

- 1. Triangles
- Yes. Some sides are longer than the others and some corners are larger than the others.
- 3. Possible Answers: Interesting, Practical, creative, artful
- 4. Because they have not tackled the lesson yet, possible Answer: Inequalities in triangles in these artworks and designs are necessary in order to achieve beauty, artistry, creativity, and usefulness to the designs.





#### Activity No.3: Hello, Dear Concept Contractor!

Your task is to make students understand the activity. To do that, these are the things that you need to do:

- Check and strengthen their understanding of the definitions of contractor and museum;
- Explain that the finished concept museum will display all the concepts and skills about inequalities in triangles and seeing the tasks at this point provides them an overview of the lesson.
- Point out that building the concept museum takes time—that there's a
  possibility that they may not be able to do any of the tasks listed on the
  triangles yet but they know already what to expect to learn. Thus, at the end
  of the lesson, they will be able to encapsulate all the concepts and skills on
  inequalities in triangles using the concept museum.
- Let them see that in order for them to completely build the concept museum, they need to perform all the activities in the succeeding sections.

You need to master the concepts and skills of the whole module. To facilitate that, study the completely built concept museum. Note that the students must have built their concept museums at the end of this lesson.

In short, the students have the option not to perform any task yet. The activity is just for presentation in order to direct the students of one goal—to build the concept museum as the lesson unfolds.

The presentation of this activity must take at least five minutes.



Note that the triangles in this concept museum are not drawn to scale and all sides can be named using their endpoints. Consider using numbers to name the angles of these triangles.

Notice that markings are shown to show which angles are larger and which sides are longer. These markings serve as your hints and clues. Your responses to the tasks must be justified by naming all the theorems that helped you decide what to do.

How many tasks of the concept museum can you tackle now?



Replicate two (2) copies of the unfilled concept museum. Use the first one for your responses to the tasks and the second one for your justifications.





#### WHAT TO PROCESS:

The **PROCESS** section showcases investigatory activities designed to develop and verify the theorems to learn in the lesson. This is also where students are given the opportunities to practice the concepts and skills learned in the lesson and to write proofs of the theorems.

This section is characterized by student-centered activities as inspired by this saying of Kahlil Gibran:

The teacher who is indeed wise does not bid you to enter the house of his wisdom but rather leads you to the threshold of your mind.

Your task in this section is to make sure that all the group activities that are suggested in the learning module shall be completely delivered.

Your responsibilities involve the following:

- 1. Conduct a quick but comprehensive review of the pre-requisite skills needed to succeed in the new lesson; and
- 2. Manage group work.
  - 2.1 Grouping of students

Suggestion: Form at least two sets of groupings so students will learn to work with different group mates

2.2 Time allotment for each group work

Note: Activities in this section are simplified so that they can be performed in a short span of time. It can be done individually or as a group. Suggestion: For the students to finish the whole module on time (within two weeks), you may opt to let groups do the activity in their free time or after class. Let them write their answers to questions in Ponder Time on a piece of manila paper.

- 2.3 Do's and don'ts during group work
- 2.4 Monitor student behavior during group work to ensure time is spent on the task.
- 2.5 Give technical assistance during group work so that group responses to activities and process questions are accurate. In short provide subtle coaching.

<u>Suggestion</u>: If you let the groups answer the activity as an assignment, give them at least 3-5 minutes to review their answers so you may be able to give them technical assistance if their outputs have errors.

#### 2. Properties of Equality

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- 2.1 Addition Property of Equality
  - For all real numbers p, q, and r, if p = q, then p + r = q + r.
- 2.2 Multiplication Property of Equality
  - For all real numbers p, q, and r, if p = q, then pr = qr.

## Definitions, Postulates and Theorems on Points, Lines, Angles and Angle Pairs

- 3.1 Definition of a Midpoint
  - If points *P*, *Q*, and *R* are collinear (*P*–*Q*–*R*) and *Q* is the midpoint of  $\overline{PR}$ , then  $\overline{PQ} \cong \overline{QR}$ .
- 3.2 Definition of an Angle Bisector
  - If  $\overrightarrow{QS}$  bisects  $\angle PQR$ , then  $\angle PQS \cong \angle SQR$ .
- 3.3 Segment Addition Postulate
  - If points *P*, *Q*, and *R* are collinear (*P*–*Q*–*R*) and *Q* is between points *P* and *R*, then  $\overline{PQ} + \overline{QR} \cong \overline{PR}$ .
- 3.4 Angle Addition Postulate
  - If point *S* lies in the interior of  $\angle PQR$ , then  $\angle PQS + \angle SQR \cong \angle PQR$ .
- 3.5 Definition of Supplementary Angles
  - Two angles are supplementary if the sum of their measures is 180°.
- 3.6 Definition of Complementary Angles
  - Two angles are complementary if the sum of their measures is 90°.
- 3.7 Definition of Linear Pair
  - Linear pair is a pair of adjacent angles formed by two intersecting lines
- 3.8 Linear Pair Theorem
  - If two angles form a linear pair, then they are supplementary.
- 3.9 Definition of Vertical Angles
  - Vertical angles refer to two non-adjacent angles formed by two intersecting lines
- 3.10 Vertical Angles Theorem
  - Vertical angles are congruent.

#### How to Measure Angles using a Protractor





- Mastering the Skill in Estimating Measures of Angles
- Interactive: • http://www.mathplayground.com/measuringangles.html • http://www.teacherled.com/resources/anglemeasur anglemeasureload.html
- angiemeasureioad.ntmi Games: http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/teachers/ks2 activities
- http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/teachers/ks2\_activities/ maths/angles.shtml http://www.innovationslearning.co.uk/subjects/maths/
- activities/year6/angles/game.asp http://www.bbc.co.uk/keyskills/flash/kfa/kfa.shtml
- http://www.fruitpicker.co.uk/activity/
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#### 2.6 Processing of outputs in group work

<u>Suggestion</u>: Let them post their work for everyone to see. If groups have similar answers, you may decide (or let the class decide) only one or two groups to discuss their answers to questions in Ponder Time. If there are groups with different answers, let the class discuss these answers. Note that a good teacher facilitator minimizes unexpected answers by giving technical assistance to every group before posting outputs.

Your facilitating role is crucial so that students are able to achieve the goal in this section to develop, verify, and prove all six theorems of inequalities in triangles and to continue to unlock triangles in their concept museum.

# What to Process

Your first goal in this section is to develop and verify the theorems on inequalities in triangles. To succeed, you need to perform all the activities that require investigation.

When you make *mathematical generalizations* from your observations, you are actually making *conjectures* just like what mathematicians do. Hence, consider yourself *little mathematicians* as you perform the activities.

Once you have developed these theorems, your third goal is to prove these theorems. You have to provide statements and/or reasons behind statements used to deductively prove the theorems.

The competence you gain in writing proofs enables you to justify inequalities in triangles and in triangular features evident in the things around us.

Before you go through the process, take a few minutes to review and master again the knowledge and skills learned in previous geometry lessons. The concepts and skills on the following topics will help you succeed in the investigatory and proof-writing



#### Notes to the Teacher

For the review of all the pre-requisite concepts of the lesson on inequality of triangles, you may decide to present it in a creative manner like making sets of flashcards for each of the following:

- Set 1: Axioms of Equality
- Set 2: Properties of Equality
- Set 3: Definitions, Postulates, and Theorems on Points, Lines, Angles, and Angle Pairs
- Set 4: Definitions and Theorems on Triangles
- Set 5: Definitions and Postulates on Triangle Congruence
- Set 6: Properties of Inequality

#### Sample Flash Card (Front and Back):



You may also assign each group of students to prepare a specific set of flash cards using used folders. You may then have a quiz bee for six representatives of a group using the flash cards. If a competitor is the first one to name the axiom, property, definition, theorem or postulate flashed, he then can make a step forward until he/she who reaches the front of the classroom is declared as winner. Another set of representatives is called until everyone has mastered all the axioms, properties, definitions, theorems, and postulates.

Include in your discussion Capt. Joseph Huddard—the inventor of the first advanced protractor. In that connection, invite them to visit presented website links about protractors and those that have interactive activities and games that enable them to master the skill in estimating measures of angles and knowledge of triangle congruence postulates. In this manner, their internet visits would be more educational. Follow up on their Internet activity by asking them to share their insights about learning mathematics online.

#### **Definition and Postulates on Triangle Congruence** 6. Internet Learning Mastering the Triangle Congruence 6.1 Definition of Congruent Triangles: Corresponding parts of Postulates congruent triangles are congruent (CPCTC). http://www.onlinemathlearn-ing.com/geometry-congru-ent-triangles.html 6.2 Included Angle eractive http://www.mrperezonlin Included angle is the angle formed by two distinct sides of emathtutor.com/G/1 5 Prov a triangle. ing\_Congruent\_SSS\_SAS\_ ASA\_AAS.html ASA\_AAS.html http://nlvm.usu.edu. e n / n a v / f r a m e s a sid \_ 165 \_ g \_ 1 \_ t \_ 3. • $\angle YES$ is the included angle of $\overline{EY}$ and $\overline{ES}$ html?open=instructions http://www.mangahigh.con • $\angle EYS$ is the included angle of $\overline{YE}$ and $\overline{YS} \in$ en/maths\_games/shape congruence/congruent\_ triangles?localeset=en • $\angle S$ is the included angle of $\overline{SE}$ and $\overline{SY}$ 6.3 Included Side w · Included side is the side common to two angles of a triangle. • $\overline{AW}$ is the included side of $\angle WAE$ and $\angle EWA$ • $\overline{EW}$ is the included side of $\angle AEW$ and $\angle AWE$ • $\overline{AE}$ is the included side of $\angle WAE$ and $\angle AEW$ 6.4 SSS Triangle Congruence Postulate 6.5 SAS Triangle Congruence Postulate 6.6 ASA Triangle Congruence Postulate 7. Properties of Inequality 7.1 For all real numbers p and q where p > 0, q > 0: • If p > q, then q < p. • If p < q, then q > p. 7.2 For all real numbers p, q, r and s, if p > q and $r \ge s$ , then p + r > q + s. 7.3 For all real numbers v, a and r, if v > a and r > 0, then vr > ar. 7.4 For all real numbers p, q and r, if p > q and q > r, then p > r. 7.5 For all real numbers p, q and r, if p = q + r, and r > 0, then p > q. The last property of inequality is used in geometry such as follows: 0 0 R Q is between P and R. $\angle 1$ and $\angle 2$ are adjacent angles. $\overline{PR} \cong \overline{PO} + \overline{OR}$ $\angle POR \cong \angle 1 + \angle 2$ Then $\overline{PR} > \overline{PO}$ and $\overline{PR} > \overline{OR}$ . Then $\angle PQR > \angle 1$ and $\angle PQR > \angle 2$



## Activity No.4: What if It's Longer?

For Activity No. 4, make sure that each student has his/her own protractor. Ask them to define precision, accuracy, and tolerance using their own words. Discuss the meaning of these words related to making measurements by giving Donna Roberts's definitions:

The **precision** of a measuring instrument is determined by the smallest unit to which it can measure. The precision is said to be the same as the smallest fractional or decimal division on the scale of the measuring instrument.

Ask the students: What is the precise unit of a ruler? Answer should be millimeter.

**Accuracy** is a measure of how close the result of the measurement comes to the "true", "actual", or "accepted" value. Accuracy answers this question: How close is your answer to the accepted value?

**Tolerance** is the greatest range of variations in measurements that can be allowed.

Tolerance addresses this question: How much error in the answer is acceptable?

Proceed by discussing that it is expected that the measurements they get from measuring the same lengths vary. Explain that their answers are not wrong. Their answers vary because a **measurement made with a measuring device is approximate, not exact**. Discussion of the Greatest Possible Error and Tolerance Interval should follow.

Note that you and your class may decide on a tolerance interval. For the example given in the learning guide, you may decide to The following steps have to be observed in writing proofs:

- Draw the figure described in the problem. The figure may already be drawn for you, or you may have to draw it yourself.
- · Label your drawn figure with the information from the given by
  - ✓ marking congruent or unequal angles or sides,
  - ✓ marking perpendicular, parallel or intersecting lines or
  - $\checkmark\,$  indicating measures of angles and/or sides

The markings and the measures guide you on how to proceed with the proof and it also directs you whether your plan for proof requires you to make additional constructions in the figure.

• Write down the steps carefully, without skipping even the simplest one. Some of the first steps are often the given statements (but not always), and the last step is the statement that you set out to prove.

#### 11. How to Write an Indirect Proof

- 11.1 Assume that the statement to be proven is not true by negating it.
- 11.2 Reason out logically until you reach a contradiction of a known fact.
- 11.3 Point out that your assumption must be false, thus, the statement to be proven must be true.

#### 12. Greatest Possible Error and Tolerance Interval in Measurements

You may be surprised why two people measuring the same angle or length may give different measurements. Variations in measurements happen because measurement with a measuring device, according to Donna Roberts (2012), is approximate. This variation is called uncertainty or error in measurement, but not a mistake. She added that there are ways of expressing error of measurement. Two are the following:

#### **Greatest Possible Error (GPE)**

One half of the measuring unit used is the greatest possible error. For example, you measure a length to be 5.3 cm. This measurement is to the nearest tenth. Hence, the GPE should be one half of 0.1 which is equal to 0.05. This means that your measurement may have an error of 0.05 cm, that is, it could be 0.05 longer or shorter.

#### **Tolerance Intervals**

Tolerance interval (margin of error) may represent error in measurement. This interval is a range of measurements that will be tolerated or accepted before they are considered flawed.

Supposing that a teacher measures a certain angle *x* as 36 degrees. The measurement is to the nearest degree, that is, 1. The GPE is one half of 1, that is, 0.5. Your answer should be within this range:  $36-0.5 \le x \le 36 + 0.5$ . Therefore, the tolerance interval or margin of error is  $35.5 \le x \le 36.5$  or 35.5 to 36.5.

have this margin of error:  $36 - 1 \le x \le 36 + 1$  or  $35 \le x \le 37$ . Thus, a student's measure maybe 35 or 37 degrees. Still the answer is accepted because you set which range of measurements has to be tolerated.

In the discussion of errors in measurement, let the groups do the activity. Let them post their outputs. Process them and answers to numbers 3, 4, and 5 should be written on cartolina and posted on the display board for math concepts developed.

Once all questions are answered, let the students answer Quiz No. 1. Be sure to explain fully and carefully answers to each item in order to strengthen their understanding of the topic. For the questions under each item in Enrichment, you may let them answer by group. Give it as an assignment to give the students time to think. Follow this procedure in unlocking the answers to all quizzes in this module.

## **Answer Key to Activity No.4**

- 1. Yes. there is.
- 2. When one side of a triangle is longer than a second side, the angle opposite the first side is larger than the angle opposite the second side.
- 3. If one side of a triangle is longer than a second side, then the angle opposite the first side is larger than the angle opposite the second side.
- 4. If one side of a triangle is the longest, then the angle opposite it is the largest.
- 5. If one side of a triangle is the shortest, then the angle opposite it is the smallest.
- 6. Note: Because of GPE and Tolerance Interval, it is your task to give the measure of the sides as accurately as you can.

Now that you have already reviewed concepts and skills previously learned that are useful in this module, let us proceed to the main focus of this section-develop, verify, and prove the theorems on inequalities in triangles.

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#### Materials Needed: protractor, manila paper, ruler Procedures:

- 1. Replicate the activity table on a piece of manila paper.
- Measure using a protractor the angles opposite the sides with given lengths. Indicate 2. the measure in your table.
- 3. Discover the relationship that exists between the lengths of the sides of triangles and the angles opposite them and write them on your piece of manila paper.



Triangle	Length of Sides		Measures Opposite	of Angles the Sides
ΔFUN	FN	3.5	m∠U	
	NU	4.5	m∠F	
ΔΡΤΥ	TP	5	m∠Y	
	PY	6	<b>m</b> ∠T	
	RY	5	m∠T	
	TY	10	m∠R	



## Mathematics in Art: Geometric Shapes for Foundation Piecing

1. Possible Answer: The figures started from the largest regular polygons.

#### 1.1 Hexagon

- 1.1.1 The next larger hexagon is determined by doing the following:
  - getting the midpoints of the sides of the original hexagon
  - connecting adjacent midpoints to form segments that serve as • sides of the next hexagon.
- 1.1.2 Repeat steps in 1.1 until the desired smallest hexagon is formed

#### 1.2 Heptagon

- 1.2.1 The next larger heptagon is determined by doing the following:
  - placing a point of desired distance from the left endpoint of the sides of the original heptagon
  - connecting adjacent points to form segments that serve as sides of the next heptagon.
- 1.2.2 Repeat steps in 1.1 until the desired smallest heptagon is formed

2. Possible Answer:



# **Teacher's Note and Reminders**

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The diagrams in the exercises are not drawn to scale. If each diagram were drawn Β. to scale, list down the sides and the angles in order from the least to the greatest measure.



C. Your parents support you in your studies. One day, they find out that your topic in Grade 8 Math is on Inequalities in Triangles. To assist you, they attach a triangular dart board on the wall with lengths of the sides given.

They say they will grant you three wishes if you can hit with an arrow the corner with the smallest region and two wishes if you can hit the corner with the largest region.

- Which region should you hit so your parents will grant you three wishes?
- · Which region should you hit so your parents will grant you two wishes?



Mathematics in Art Geometric Shapes for Foundation Piecing by Dianna Jesse



Challenge: 1. Which figure is draw first in the artworks--the smallest polygon or th

changing the positions o the lengths of the sides of the triangles involved in constructing the figure. . Would you like to tr using the hexagon? /isit this web link to see the artworks shown: http:// diannajessie.wordpress. om/tag/triangular-design/~

	Grant: 3 wishes	Grant: 2 wishes	first in the artworksth smallest polygon or th largest polygon? 2. Make your own design b changing the positions of
Region to Hit with an Arrow			the lengths of the sides of the triangles involved in constructing the figure. 3. Would you like to the

#### Activity No.5: What if It's Larger?

For Activity No. 5, start up the class by having a review of the different kinds of triangles according to sides and angles. Proceed by asking what triangles are shown in the activity What if it's Larger.

Discuss the GPE and the tolerance interval of measurements. Once these are established, let the groups proceed with the activity. Let them post their outputs, process their outputs; and their answers to the questions in ponder time. The answers to numbers 3, 4, and 5 should be written on cartolina and posted in a display board for math concepts.

After discussion, let them answer Quiz No. 1.

## Answer Key to Activity No.5

- 1. Yes, there is.
- 2. When one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, the side opposite the first angle is longer than the side opposite the second angle.
- 3. If one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, then the side opposite the first angle is longer than the side opposite the second angle.
- 4. If one angle of a triangle is the largest, then the side opposite it is the longest.
- 5. If one angle of a triangle is the smallest, then the side opposite it is the shortest.
- 6.

Smallest Angle	Smaller Angle	Largest Angle
∠Y	∠L	∠F
∠T	∠U	∠Q
$\angle M$	∠0	LG
	Smallest Angle ∠Y ∠T ∠M	Smallest AngleSmaller Angle $\angle Y$ $\angle L$ $\angle T$ $\angle U$ $\angle M$ $\angle O$

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Name of Triangle	Shortest Side	Shorter Side	Longest Side
$\Delta LYF$	$\overline{LY}$	$\overline{FY}$	$\overline{LY}$
ΔQUT	TU	$\overline{QT}$	QU
$\Delta OMG$	$\overline{MO}$	$\overline{GM}$	GO

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# Materials Needed: ruler, manila paper Procedures:

- 1. Replicate the activity table on a piece of manila paper.
- 2. Measure using ruler the sides opposite the angles with given sizes. Indicate the lengths (in mm) on your table.
- 3. Develop the relationship of angles of a triangle and the lengths of the sides opposite them by answering the ponder questions on a piece of manila paper.



ΔLYF	m∠L		Lengths of Sides Opposite the Angles				
$\Delta LYF$		FY					
	$m \angle Y$	LF					
	m∠F	LY					
	$m \angle Q$	TU					
$\Delta QUT$	m∠U	QT	LY           TU           QT           QU           MG				
	$m \angle T$	QU					
	m∠O	MG					
$\Delta OMG$	m∠M	GO					
	m∠G	МО					

 Is there a relationship between the size of an angle and the length of the side opposite it?

Yes, there is. No, there isn't.

- 2. Making Conjecture: What is the relationship between the angles of a triangle and the sides opposite them?
  - When one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, the side opposite the \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- Your findings in no. 2 describe Triangle Inequality Theorem 2. Write it in *if-then* form.
- 4. What is the relationship between the largest angle of a triangle and the side opposite it?
- 5. What is the relationship between the smallest angle of a triangle and the side opposite it?

8.		
	Kind of Triangle	How do you know that a certain side is the longest side?
	Acute $\Delta$	The longest side is opposite the largest acute angle.
	Right ∆	The longest side is opposite the right angle.
	Obtuse $\Delta$	The longest side is opposite the obtuse angle.

# Answer Key to Quiz No. 2

	Triangle	Longest Side	Shortest Side
1.	ΔTRY	$\overline{TY}$	$\overline{RY}$
2.	∆APT	$\overline{AT}$	$\overline{AP}$
3.	ΔLUV	$\overline{LV}$	LU

В.

List of	$\Delta TRP$	$\Delta ZIP$	$\Delta FRE$	
Sides in				
Decreasing	$\overline{PT}$ , $\overline{PR}$ and $\overline{RT}$	$\overline{PZ}, \overline{IZ}, \overline{IP}$	$\overline{EF}, \overline{FR}, \overline{ER}$	
Lengths				
NZ				
· INZ	1			
Sides in Decreasing Order of Lengths	$\overline{PT}, \overline{PR} \text{ and } \overline{RT}$	$\overline{PZ}, \overline{IZ}, \overline{IP}$	ĒF, FR , ĒR	

## Mathematics in Eco-Architecture: Triangular Skyscraper

- 1. Answers vary
- 2. Possible Answers:
  - When the lot to build on is triangular in shape.
  - When the owner would like to have a triangular design.

6. Arrange in increasing order the angles of the triangles in this activity according to measurement. Name of Smallest Smaller Largest Triangle Angle Angle Angle ΔLYF





 Arrange in decreasing order the sides of the triangles in this activity according to their lengths.

 $\Delta QUT$  $\Delta OMG$ 

Name of Triangle	Shortest Side	Shorter Side	Longest Side
$\Delta LYF$			
$\Delta QUT$			
$\Delta OMG$			

8. Having learned Triangle Inequality 2, answer the question in the table.

Kind of Triangle	How do you th	How do you know that a certain side is the longest side?						
Acute $\Delta$								
Right ∆								
Obtuse $\Delta$								

The triangular form, which in China is symbolic with balance and stability, also allows the building to shade isseff, which lowers the amount of energy required to cool the interiors. The signature feature of the entire design is the athum, which runs the entire height of the building and also allows each level to be illuminated by natural light.

Questions:

 Have you seen triangular buildings or structures in your area?

 When do you think it is best to use a triangular design like the one shown in building a structure?

To find out the reasons why the triangular design is ecofriendly, visit this website link: http://www.ecofriend. com/eco-architecturetriangular-skyscraperdesigned-with-vegetatedmini-atriums.html

#### QUIZ No. 2

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- **Directions:** Write your answer on a separate answer sheet. Note that the diagrams in the exercises are not drawn to scale.
- A. Name the shortest side and the longest side of the following triangles:

Γγ	A
55° 64°	250
	33
61°	115° 30° T
$\sim$	P

<u>38°</u> v

	Triangle	Longest Side	Shortest Side
1.	ΔTRY		
2.	∆APT		
3.	ΔLUV		

## **Triangular Design and Artworks**

- 1. Answers Vary
- 2. Possible Answers:
  - Triangular Petal Card because it is easy to perform
  - Triangular Card Stand for those who likes wood working
  - Triangular Girl for those who love sketching and drawing .
  - Diminishing Triangles for those who love tiling works.

#### Activity No.6: When Can You Say "ENOUGH"?

Two days before Activity No. 6 will be tackled, assign the groups to prepare pieces of straws with the following lengths in inches: 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12. Let them duplicate the 3- and 5-inch straws. Note: If straws are not available, they may use other objects like broom sticks. Make sure that all groups have the materials on the day the activity is scheduled.

Let the group do the activity and record their findings in the table they transferred on the manila paper. Process their outputs and their answers to the questions.



Β.

С

length.

62°

 $\Delta TRP$ 

Mathematics in the Garden

How to Space Sprinklers?

irrigationrepair.com

Square spacing easiest to plot; the downfa

is that there will be areas that are going to be covere

by all four sprinkler heads causing some over watering

Sprinklers are spaced relatively close when using a square pattern (on average around 50% of the diameter

of the throw). This means you will also need mon

sprinkler heads to cover given area

B Triangular Spacing

Triangular spacing is plotte

List down the sides in order from the longest to the shortest

 $\Delta ZIP$ 

Skye buys a triangular scarf with angle measures as described

in the figure shown. She wishes to put a lace around the

edges. Which edge requires the longest length of lace?

 $\Delta FRE$ 

Ans	Answer Key to Activity No.6														
	Sets of Straw Pieces			Do stra forn triang no	the ws n a le or t?	Cor su le shor ( <i>a</i> + of th	mpare the m of the ngths of rter straw b) with t ne longe ength c	ne ws hat	Co (b +	ompare c) and a	ı	(a	Compare + c) and	e   b	
		l	т	п	YES	NO	l+m	<,>,=	п	m+n	<,>,=	l	l + n	<,>,=	т
	1.	3	3	7		$\checkmark$	6	<	7	10	>	3	10	>	3
	2.	3	3	5	$\checkmark$		6	>	5	8	>	3	8	>	3
	3.	4	6	10		$\checkmark$	10	=	10	16	>	4	14	>	6
	4.	4	6	9	$\checkmark$		10	>	9	15	>	4	13	>	6
	5.	5	5	10		$\checkmark$	10	=	10	15	>	5	15	>	5
	6.	5	5	8	$\checkmark$		10	>	8	13	>	5	13	>	5
	7.	6	7	11	$\checkmark$		13	>	11	18	>	6	17	>	7
	8.	6	7	9	$\checkmark$		13	>	9	16	>	6	15	>	7
	9.	4	7	12		$\checkmark$	11	<	12	19	>	4	16	>	7
	10.	4	7	10			11	>	10	17	>	4	14	>	7

#### 1. Making Conjectures:

- 1.1
- If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is EQUAL to the length of the longest side, a triangle cannot be formed.
- If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is LESS THAN the length of the longest side, a triangle CANNOT be formed.
- If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is GREATER THAN the length of the longest side, a triangle CAN be formed.
- 1.2
- When the straws form a triangle, the sum of the lengths of any two straws is greater than the third straw.
- When the straws do not form a triangle, the sum of the lengths of any two straws is less than or equal to the third straw.
- 2. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3
  - The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the third side.

	Sets of Straw Pieces Do the straws form a triangle or not?						Cor su le shor ( <i>l</i> + <i>n</i> of th	npare the m of the ngths of ter stray m) with the longe ength c	ne e f ws hat est	Compare Compare $(m + n)$ and $l$ $(l + n)$ and $m$				e m	
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	1.	3	3	7											
	2.	3	3	5											
	3.	4	6	10											
	4.	4	6	9											
	5.	5	5	10											
	6.	5	5	8											
	7.	6	7	11											
	8.	6	7	9											
	9.	4	7	12											
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LON 25	10.       4       7       10         1.       Making Conjectures:       1.         1.1       What pattern did you observe when you compared the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws with the length of the longest straw? Write your findings by completing the phrases below:         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is equal to the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is less than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       If the sum of the lengths of the two shorter straws is greater than the length of the longest straw         •       What pattern did you observe with the sets of straws that form and do not form a triangle? Complete the phrases below to explain your findings:         •       When the straws form a triangle								: er st	Ma C Fea (M Ge Suppose Suppose Suppose Suppose Suppose Cadiz tr Cadiz tr Ca	thematics sograph sible Poss Dougal Li cometry, 20 metry, 20 metry	s in y ible title 01) Guard w the about clies in c c s form a sheet r range is form			

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An	SV	ver Key to Qu	ıiz	No. 3				
1.	De •	$\frac{\text{scription:}}{AW + FW > AF}$						
	•	$\frac{AW}{AW} + \frac{EW}{AE} > \frac{AE}{EW}$						
	•	$\overline{AE} + \overline{EW} > \overline{AW}$						
2.								
		Hints		In Symbols	Simplified Form	si fo	Is the mplified rm true?	Can a triangle be formed? Justify
	1	Is the sum of and 10 greate than 14?	3	ls 8 + 10 > 14	ls 18 > 14		YES	YES because
	2	Is the sum of 8 and 14 greate than 10?	-	ls 8 + 14 > 10	ls 22 > 10		YES	of any two sides
	3	Is the sum of 1 and 14 greate than 8?	0	ls 10 + 14 > 8	ls 24 > 8		YES	than the third side.
	•	hich question sho The question as if triangle is for sides.	oulo skir neo	d be enough og whether 8 d from the s	to find out if a 3 +1 0 > 14 sho sides because	a tria ould 8 a	angle can b be enough nd 10 are	be formed? In to find out the shorter
3.								
		Find out if:		Simplified Forms	Is the simplified fo true?	orm	Can a tr formed	iangle be ? Justify
	1	5 + 8 > 13		13 > 13	NO		YES be	cause the
	2	5 + 13 > 8		18 > 8	YES		sum of	any two
	3	8 + 13 > 5		21 > 5	YES		the thi	rd side.
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- When the straws do not form a triangle, the sum of the lengths of any two straws\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. Your findings in this activity describe Triangle Inequality Theorem 3. State the theorem by describing the relationship that exists between the lengths of any two sides and the third side of a triangle.
  - The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a triangle is

#### QUIZ No. 3

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**Directions:** Write your answer on a separate answer sheet.

- 1. Describe sides  $\overline{AW}$ ,  $\overline{EW}$  and  $\overline{AE}$  of  $\triangle AWE$  using Triangle Inequality Theorem 3.
- 2. Your task is to check whether it is possible to form a triangle with lengths 8, 10, and 14. Perform the task by accomplishing the table shown. Let the hints guide you.

	Hints	In Symbols	Simplified Form	Is the simplified form true?	Can a triangle be formed? Justify
1	Is the sum of 8 and 10 greater than 14?				
2	Is the sum of 8 and 14 greater than 10?				
3	Is the sum of 10 and 14 greater than 8?				
	Which question should	be enough to	o find out if a t	riangle can be	e formed?

3. Is it possible to form a triangle with sides of lengths 5, 8, and 13? Complete the table to find out the answer.

	Find out if:	Simplified Forms	Is the simplified form true?	Can a triangle be formed? Justify
1				
2				
3				
	Which question sho	ould be enough to fi	nd out if a triangle of	can be formed?

4.				
	Find out if:	Simplified Forms	Is the simplified form true?	Can a triangle be formed? Justify
	1 7 + 9 > 20	16 > 20	7 + 9 > 20	16 > 20
	2 7 + 20 > 9	27 > 9	7 + 20 > 9	27 > 9
	3 9 + 20 > 7	29 > 7	9 + 20 > 7	29 > 7
	Which question <ul> <li>The question         <ul> <li>if triangle is                 sides.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	n should be e on asking w s formed froi	enough to fin hether 7+9>. m the sides	d out if a triangle can be formed? 20 should be enough to find out because 7 and 9 are the shorter
5.				
	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	$     \overline{CR} \\     \overline{AE} \\     \overline{RE} + \overline{AE} \\     \overline{CE} \\     \overline{AE} + \overline{CE} $	-	
6.	$s_1 + s_2 > s_3$	1	_	
7.	If t is the third s 7 + 10 > t t < 7+10 t < 17	ide then, the 7 + t > 10 t < 10 - t < 3	e following sł t + - 7 But The	hould be satisfied: 10 > 7 t < 7 - 10 t < -3 length should be greater than zero. e values described must be excluded.
	<ul> <li>Therefore, s</li> <li>6,14, 15,</li> <li>Side t has less</li> </ul>	side t may h 16} engths betwo	ave the follo	owing measurements in ft.: {4, 5, 17 ft.
8. 9. 10. 11.	Xylie's estimation the range of (12 Because S <sub>1</sub> < 8 Path No. 2: Sch Errors: • With two m must also b angle—angle	on, 180 met 20 - 80 = 40 0 < 120 and ool to Churc arks on $\overline{EF}$ , be the large le D	ers, is feasil ) and (120 + $40 < S_1 < 20$ th. Justification it is the long r angle. How	ble. The distance of 180 is within 80 = 200). 10, then $40 < S_1 < 80$ con: Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 ger side so the angle opposite it vever, it is opposite the shortest



- 7. integral lengths of the third side? Between what two numbers is the third side?
- 8. The distance Klark walks from home to school is School 120 meters and 80 meters when he goes to church from home. Xylie estimates that the distance Klark walks when he goes directly to Church, coming from school, is 180 meters. Realee's estimation is 210 meters. Which estimation is feasible? Justify your answer.



9. Supposing that the shortest distance among the three locations is the schoolchurch distance, what are its possible distances?

## Mathematics in Geography: Feasible Possible Distance

From the map, it is clear that the distance d of Guiuan to Masbate is the longest. Hence, the distance of Guiuan to Masbate must be greater than 265 m but less than the sum of 159 and 265 m, which is 424 m. Therefore, 265 < d < 424.

- 1. Architect Szczesny used a triangular design because it is enough for him to provide a bedroom, a bathroom, and a kitchen.
- 2. Possible reasons:
  - Unlike a rectangular design, a triangular design has the roof already steep so rainwater or snow will just slide easily.
  - With a rectangular design, it needs two stands as foundations to achieve balance. In that case, where will he place the ladder to the house?

## Mathematics in Art: Color Triangle

- 1. Color combinations
  - Yellow and Blue = Green
  - Red and Yellow = Orange
  - Blue and Red = Violet
- 2. Possible number of exterior angles
  - Two (2)
  - Four (4)
  - Two (2)

#### Notes to the Teacher

After reviewing their knowledge on exterior angles of triangles, direct their attention to one of the artworks in the activity Artistically Yours. Let them determine the exterior angles and their corresponding remote interior angles.



Once done, invite them to go to the internet and perform the interactive activity from http://www.mathwarehouse.com/geometry/triangles/angles/remote-exterior-and-interior-angles-of-a-triangle.php.

- 10. Which of the following paths to church is the shortest if you are from school? Justify your answer.
  - Path No. 1: School to Home then to Church
  - Path No. 2: School to Church
- 11. Some things are wrong with the measurements on the sides and angles of the triangle shown. What are they? Justify your answer.



The next activity is about discovering the triangle inequality theorem involving an exterior angle of a triangle. Before doing it, let us first recall the definition of an exterior angle of a triangle.



By extending  $\overline{MN}$  of  $\Delta LMN$  to a point P,  $\overline{MP}$  is formed. As a result,  $\angle LNP$  forms a linear pair with  $\angle LNM$ . Because it forms a linear pair with one of the angles of  $\Delta LMN$ ,  $\angle LNP$  is referred to as an exterior angle of  $\Delta LMN$ . The angles non-adjacent to  $\angle LNP$ ,  $\angle L$  and  $\angle M$ , are called remote interior angles of exterior  $\angle LNP$ .

In the triangle shown,  $\angle 4$ ,  $\angle 5$  and  $\angle 6$  are exterior angles. The remote interior angles of  $\angle 4$  are  $\angle 2$  and  $\angle 3$ ; of  $\angle 5$ ,  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 3$ ; of  $\angle 6$ ,  $\angle 1$  and  $\angle 2$ .





#### Activity No. 7: MEASURE Mania: Exterior or Remote Interior?

For Activity no. 7, explain to them that Grade 8 students should have the passion for getting measurements; hence, the title has mania in it (mania for passion). And one has to be sure of his/her measure, hence, MEaSURE.

Tell the students that in this activity, they will find out the inequality that exists between an exterior angle of a triangle and each of its remote interior angles. But before you proceed, decide on the GPE and Tolerance Interval of your measurements.

Let them get the measurement of the exterior and interior angles of the triangles, compare them and write their findings and answers to ponder questions on a piece of manila paper. Process their outputs. You have to consider the GPE and the Tolerance Interval. Their answer to activity question no. 4 should be written on a piece of cartolina and posted on a display board of math concepts.

End the activity with the students answering Quiz No. 4.

## Answer key to Activity No. 7 Questions

- 1. The answer to each item is: >.
- 2. The answer to each item is: >.
- 3. The answer to each item is: >.
- 4. Conjecture: The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is greater than the measure of either interior angle.

## Answer key of Quiz No. 4

1. Inequalities:

Considering $\triangle REA$	Considering ∆HAM
$m \angle CAR > m \angle E$	$m \angle HAT > m \angle M$
$m \angle CAR > m \angle R$	$m \angle HAT > m \angle H$



2.	
$m \angle AED$ > $m \angle AED$ $m \angle DEB$ > $m \angle DCE$ $m \angle DEB$ = $m \angle DBE$ $m \angle CDE$ < $m \angle DEB$ $m \angle DEB$ < $m \angle ACD$ 3.	1. Compare the measure of exterior $\angle 1$ with either remote interior $\angle 4$ or $\angle 6$ using the relation symbols >, <, or =. • In $\triangle HEY$ , $m \angle 1$ is $m \angle 4$ . • In $\triangle HEY$ , $m \angle 1$ is $m \angle 6$ . • In $\triangle DAY$ , $m \angle 1$ is $m \angle 6$ . • In $\triangle JAY$ , $m \angle 1$ is $m \angle 6$ . • In $\triangle JOY$ , $m \angle 1$ is $m \angle 6$ .
ADEB       ∠AED, ∠BDF or ∠CDF         ACDG       ∠AGD, ∠CGE, ∠CDF, ∠BCG         AAGE       ∠CGE, ∠BEG, ∠AGD         ABAC       ∠ACD or ∠GCD             Teacher's Note and Reminders	2.       Compare the measure of exterior ∠2 with either remote interior ∠5 or ∠6 using the relation symbols >, <, or =.         •       In ΔHEY, m∠2 is m∠5.         •       In ΔHEY, m∠2 is m∠6.         •       In ΔDAY, m∠2 is m∠6.         •       In ΔJOY, m∠2 is m∠6.         •       In ΔJOY, m∠2 is m∠6.         •       In ΔJOY, m∠2 is m∠6.
	<ul> <li>3. Compare the measure of exterior ∠3 with either remote interior ∠4 or ∠5 using the relation symbols &gt;, &lt;, or =.</li> <li>In ΔHEY, m∠3 ism∠4.</li> <li>In ΔDAY, m∠3 ism∠5.</li> <li>In ΔDAY, m∠3 ism∠5.</li> <li>In ΔJOY, m∠3 ism∠4.</li> <li>In ΔJOY, m∠3 ism∠5.</li> <li>4. <i>Making Conjecture:</i> Your comparison between the measure of an exterior angle of a triangle and either interior angle in this activity describes the Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem. With the pattern that you observed, state the exterior angle of a triangle of a triangle is</li> </ul>
	QUIZ No. 4
EO <sup>E</sup> ELX DOLLA	Directions: Write your answer on a separate answer sheet.
	1. Use the Exterior Angle Inequality theorem to write inequalities observable in the figures shown. $R \xrightarrow{E} C M \xrightarrow{A} B3^{\circ} H$
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Mathematics in Psychology: Robert Sternberg's	Considering <i>\(\Delta REA\)</i> Considering <i>\(\Delta HAM\)</i>
<ol> <li>Possible Answer:         <ul> <li>At the angles of the triangles are the Liking (intimacy), Infatuation (passion), and Empty Love (Commitment).</li> <li>The sides are made up of Romantic Love, Companionate Love, and Fatuous Love. Romantic love is a result of passion and intimacy. Companionate love is a result of intimacy and commitment. Fatuous Love is a result of passion and commitment.</li> <li>Consummate Love is at the interior of the triangle and it is a result of passion, intimacy, and commitment.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Possible Answer: All are important. However, the most important is commitment because love based on commitment will survive amidst</li> </ol>	2. Use >, <, or = to compare the measure of angles. $ \frac{m\angle AED}{m\angle DEB} \qquad m\angle CED \\ \underline{m\angle DEB} \qquad \underline{m\angle DEE} \\ \underline{m\angle CED} \qquad \underline{m\angle DEB} $ 3. Name the exterior angle/s of the triangles shown in the figure. $ \frac{\Delta DEB}{\Delta CDG} \qquad \qquad$
<ol> <li>Possible Answer: Consummate love because it has all the elements that every human being dreams of.</li> </ol>	ABAC GC A E B
4. Possible Answers:	You have successfully developed all the theorems on inequalities in one triangle. Activity No. 8 can be performed using them. Good luck!
<ul> <li>Consummate love &gt; companionate love &gt; fatuous love &gt; romantic love</li> <li>Commitment &gt; intimacy &gt; passion</li> </ul>	Activity 3 My Crandpa, My Model of Teality Lifestyle
<b>Ny Grandpa, My Model of a Healthy Lifestyle</b> A day before the Activity No. 8 is scheduled to be performed, reproduce the desired number of copies of the Grandpa pictures and the pictures of the suggested outputs of the activity. Note that answers may vary so analyze the merit of students' outputs carefully.	Leruana has a triangular picture frame that her grandpa gave her on her 13 <sup>th</sup> birthday. Like her, his grandpa loves triangular shapes. Since it is going to be his grandpa's 65 <sup>th</sup> birthday soon, her birthday gift idea is to have two triangular frames made so she can place in them photos of his grandpa as health exercise instructor. As her woodworker friend, she asks you to do the triangular frames for her. To determine the shapes of the picture frames, how should the photos be cropped?
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 For the standing grandpa, the line on his back, and for the sitting one, his outstretched legs or the line from the tip of his foot to his head

#### Activity No. 9: Clock Wisdom: Pretty One!

For Activity no. 9, it is advisable for you to bring a real clock. You have to show to them the angles formed by the short and long hands at 1PM, 2 PM, 3PM and 4PM.

You have to elicit from the class the measures of the angles formed by the hands of the clock at the aforementioned times. Let the students determine the angle by giving them these clues:

- One complete revolution is 360 degrees
- The whole revolution is subdivided into 12 hours

They must realize that each subdivision is (360/12) degrees or 30 degrees. Once the measures of the angles of clock faces *A*, *B*, *C*, and *D* are determined, let the groups do the activity and answer questions in Ponder Time. Let them post their outputs written on manila paper. Process their outputs. Answers to question no. 6 and 7 (including the drawings of  $\Delta CAT$  and  $\Delta DOG$ ) of ponder time must be written on a piece of cartolina and posted on a display board of math concepts.



- 1. Replicate the activity table on a piece of manila paper.
- Study the faces of the clock shown at different hours one afternoon and complete your copy of the activity table.

## Answer Key to Questions in Activity 9

- 1. The short hands of the clock in clock faces *A*, *B*, *C*, and *D* are equal (=).
- 2. The short hands of the clock in clock faces *A*, *B*, *C*, and *D* are equal (=).
- 3. The angles formed by the hands of the clock are called as included angles.
- 4. The later in the afternoon the hour is, the larger is the angle.
- 5. The measure of the distance between the tips of the hands of the clock is influenced by the measure of the included angle at a certain time.
- 6. If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the included angle of the first triangle is greater than the included angle of the second, then the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second triangle.
- 7. If  $\overline{AC} \cong \overline{OD}$ ,  $\overline{AT} \cong \overline{OG}$ , and  $m \angle A > m \angle O$ ; then CT > DG
- 8. Note: Answers may vary.
- 9. Some examples: Ladies' fan, door hinge, tail of a peacock, geometric compass, puller, nipper, pliers, pages of a book, arms with the elbow joint as the hinge, legs with knee joint as the hinge, etc.

#### Activity No. 10: Roof-y Facts, Yeah!

Before starting group Activity 10, decide for the GPE and Tolerance Interval of the measurements. Proceed to the following: groups working on the activity and answering activity questions while you roam around to give technical assistance; posting of outputs; processing outputs; and writing answers of nos. 3 and 4 (including the drawings  $\Delta RAP$  and  $\Delta YES$ ) on a piece of cartolina to be posted on the display board in mathematics.

Let the class answer Quiz No. 5 and discuss the solutions and answers for each item.

- 3. Write also your answers to the ponder questions on a piece of manila paper.
- 4. Compute for the measure of the angle formed by the hands of the clock given that one revolution for each hand is equivalent to 360°.

Clock Face	Time (Exact PM Hours )	Measure of angle formed by the hour hand and minute hand	Distance between the tips of the hour hand and minute hands (in mm)
A			
В			
С			
D			



Write your observations on the following:

- The lengths of the roofs at the left part of both houses \_\_\_\_.
- The Lengths of the roof at the right part of both houses \_\_\_\_.
- The lengths of the roof bases of both houses \_\_\_\_.
- The Roof angles of both houses \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. What influences the measures of the roof angles of both houses? Justify.
- 3. Making a Conjecture: Your findings describe the Converse of Hinge Theorem (This is otherwise known as SSS Triangle Inequality Theorem). How will you state this theorem if you consider the two corresponding roof lengths as two sides of two triangles, the roof bases as their third sides, and the roof angles as included angles? State it in *if-then* form.

If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is greater than the third side of the second, then

4. Using the Converse of Hinge Theorem, write an if-then statement to describe the appropriate sides and angles of  $\Delta RAP$  and  $\Delta YES$ .



With both houses having equal roof lengths, what conclusion can you make about their roof costs?

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## Answer Key to Questions in Activity 10

- 1. Observations:
  - The lengths of the roofs at the left part of both houses are equal.
  - The lengths of the roofs at the right part of both houses are equal.
  - The lengths of the roof bases of both houses differ in lengths. Roof base of house A is shorter than the roof base of House B.
- 2. The measures of roof angles are affected by the length of the roof bases. If the roof base is longer, the roof angle is also larger.
- 3. If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second, then the included angle of the first triangle is larger than the included angle of the second triangle.
- 4. If  $\overline{AR} \cong \overline{EY}$ ,  $\overline{\overline{AP}} \cong \overline{ES}$ , and PR > SY; then  $m \angle A > m \angle E$ .
- 5. Roof costs for House A is the same as roof costs for House B.

# Teacher's Note and Reminders

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E. Mathematics in Fashion: Ladies' Fan	C. Using Hinge Theorem and its converse, write a conclusion about each figure.
<ol> <li>It is important when it is hot and there is no air conditioning unit like in churches.</li> <li>When the fan is not opened completely, the distance between the tips of the side frame of the fan is shorter than when the fan is opened completely.</li> </ol>	
Completely. From the prior investigations, we have discovered the following theorems on triangle inequalities: Inequalities in One Triangle: <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 (Ss <math>\rightarrow</math> Aa)</u> If one side of a triangle is longer than a second side, then the angle opposite the first side is larger than the angle opposite the second side. <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 (Aa <math>\rightarrow</math> Ss)</u> If one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, then the side opposite the first angle is longer than the side opposite the second angle. <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 (Aa <math>\rightarrow</math> Ss)</u> If one angle of a triangle is longer than the side opposite the second angle. <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 (S1 + S2 S3)</u> The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the length of the third side. <u>Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem</u> The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is greater than the measure of either remote interior angle of a triangle is greater than the measure of either remote interior angle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the included angle of the first triangle is greater than the included angle of the second. <u>Converse of Hinge Theorem or SSS Inequality Theorem</u> . If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second. <u>Converse of Hinge Theorem or SSS Inequality Theorem</u> . If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second, then the included angle of the first triangle is larger than the included angle of the second.	<ul> <li>2.</li> <li>2.</li> <li>3.</li> <li>4.</li> <li>4.</li> <li>5.</li> <li>5.</li> <li>D. Using Hinge Theorem and its converse, solve for the possible values of m.</li> <li>7.</li> <li>7.</li></ul>
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Explain to the students that the next activities of the PROCESS section are on writing proofs of the theorems on inequalities in triangles.

Inspire the students to think clearly and systematically together as a group. Explain to them that in writing the proofs of theorems, focus and collaboration are the instruments for their success.

#### How can we prove these theorems?

Writing proofs is an important skill that you will learn in geometry. It will develop your observation skills, deductive thinking, logical reasoning, and mathematical communication. Guide questions are provided to help you succeed in the next activities.

In writing proofs, you have to determine the appropriate statements and give reasons behind these statements. There are cases when you only have to complete a statement or a reason. Make use of hints to aid you in your thinking.

Be reminded that theorems may be proven in different ways. The proofs that follow are some examples of how these theorems are to be proven.

For activity 11-16, you are required to use a piece of manila paper for each proof.

Make sure that a day before the activities in writing proofs are scheduled, groups already have enough number of pieces of manila paper for the activity where tables for statements and reasons are already prepared.

You may opt to let the students prepare metastrips (each piece is 1/3 of bond paper cut lengthwise) and pentel pen or ball pen so that they only have to write each statement or reason on a metastrip and attach it on the appropriate row and column.

Your technical assistance is crucial in the proof-writing activities so roam around purposely. Most of your assistance involves your directing them to refer the review points in this module.

2. Mathematics in Fashion: Ladies' Fan From the sixteenth century up to the late 1800s throughout the whole of Europe, each fashionable lady had a fan and because of its prominence, it was considered as a "woman's scepter"—tool for communicating her thoughts.



#### Questions:

- 1. Do you think that fan is an important fashion item?
- Describe the concept of inequality in triangles that is evident about a ladies' fan.

From the prior investigations, we have discovered the following theorems on triangle inequalities:

#### Inequalities in One Triangle:

#### <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )</u>

If one side of a triangle is longer than a second side, then the angle opposite the first side is larger than the angle opposite the second side.

#### <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 ( $Aa \rightarrow Ss$ )</u>

If one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, then the side opposite the first angle is longer than the side opposite the second angle.

#### <u>Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 ( $S_1 + S_2 > S_3$ )</u>

The sum of the lengths of any two sides of a triangle is greater than the length of the third side.

#### Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem

The measure of an exterior angle of a triangle is greater than the measure of either remote interior angle

#### Inequalities in Two Triangles:

#### Hinge Theorem or SAS Inequality Theorem

If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the included angle of the first triangle is greater than the included angle of the second, then the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second.

#### Converse of Hinge Theorem or SSS Inequality Theorem:

If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second, then the included angle of the first triangle is larger than the included angle of the second.

	Answer Key to Proving Triangle Ine	Activity 11: quality Theorem 1	How can we prove these theorems? Writing proofs is an important skill that you will learn in geometry. It will develop your observation skills, deductive thinking, logical reasoning, and mathematical communication
A.	Statements1. $\overline{LM} \cong \overline{LP}$ 2. $\Delta LMP$ is isosceles3. $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$ 4. $\angle LMN \cong \angle 1 + \angle 3$ 5. $\angle LMN > \angle 1$ 6. $\angle LMN > \angle 2$ 7. $\angle 2 + \angle MPN = 180$ 8. $\angle MPN + \angle N + \angle 3 = 180$ 9. $\angle 2 + \angle MPN = \angle MPN + \angle N + \angle 3$ 10. $\angle 2 = \angle N + \angle 3$ 11. $\angle 2 > \angle N$ 12. $\angle LMN > \angle N$	Reasons         By construction         Definition of Isosceles Triangle         Base angles of isosceles triangles         are congruent.         Angle Addition Postulate         Property of Inequality         Substitution Property         Linear Pair Postulate         The sum of the interior angles of a triangle is 180.         Substitution/Transitive Property         Subtraction Property         Property of Inequality         Transitive Property         Property of Inequality         Transitive Property	Writing proofs is an important skill that you will learn in geometry. It will develop your observation skills, deductive thinking, logical reasoning, and mathematical communication. Guide questions are provided to help you succeed in the next activities.         In writing proofs, you have to determine the appropriate statements and give reasons behind these statements. There are cases when you only have to complete a statement or a reason. Make use of hints to aid you in your thinking.         Be reminded that theorems may be proven in different ways. The proofs that follow are some examples of how these theorems are to be proven.         For activity 11-16, you are required to use a piece of manila paper for each proof. <b>AGENTINY INFORMATION DIFFENDING DIFF</b>
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Teacher's Note and Reminders	4.	Study the illustration and write a statement about $\angle LMN$ if the reason is the one given.	Angle Addition Postulate
	5.	Basing on statement 4, write an inequality statement focusing on ∠1.	Property of Inequality
	6.	Using statement 3 in statement 5: $\angle LMN > \angle 2$	Substitution Property
	7.	Study the illustration and write an operation statement involving $\angle MPN$ , $\angle N$ , and $\angle 3$	Sum of the interior angles of a triangle is 180º.
	8.	Study the illustration and write an operation statement involving $\angle 2$ and $\angle MPN$	Linear Pair Theorem
	9.	$\angle 2 + \angle MPN \cong \angle MPN + \angle N + \angle 3$	What property supports the step wherein we replace the right side of statement 8 with its equivalent in statement 7?
	10.	What will be the result if ∠MPN is deducted away from both sides of statement 9?	
	11.	Basing on statement 10, write an inequality statement focusing on $2N$ .	Property of Inequality
LOULL LOULL	12	Based on statement 6 and 11: If $\angle LMN > \angle 2$ and $\angle 2 > \angle N$ , then	Property of Inequality
	Co 1. In the Triangle	ngratulations! You have contributed mo e next activity, you will see that Triangl Inequality Theorem 2.	uch in proving Triangle Inequality Theorem e Inequality Theorem 1 is used in proving
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	Answer Key to Indirect Proof of Triangle	Activity 12: Inequality Theorem 2	Ven	k/Dy Z	12 INDIALOF PROOF OF TRIVANCE INTEQUALITY THEOREM 2			
A.	Statements 1. $MN \ge LM$ such that	Reasons		<b>Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 (</b> $Aa \rightarrow Ss$ <b>)</b> If one angle of a triangle is larger than a second angle, then the side $o_i$ angle is longer than the side opposite the second angle.				
	$\frac{MN = LM \text{ or } MN < LM}{2. \text{ Considering } MN = LM:}$ If $MN = LM$ , then $\Delta LMN$ is an isosceles triangle.	2. Definition of isosceles triangles	Given: $\Delta LMN$ ; $m \angle L > m \angle N$ Prove: $MN > LM$					
	Consequently, $\angle L = \angle N$ .	Base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent.		Assu	me: MN ≯ LM		• N	
	The assumption that $MN = LM$ is false.	The conclusion that $\angle L \cong \angle N$ contradicts the given that $m \angle L > m \angle N$ .		1.	Statements           MN = LM or MN < LM	1.	<b>Reasons</b> Assumption that $MN \Rightarrow LM$	
	3. Considering $MN < LM$ : If $MN < LM$ , then $m \angle L < m \angle N$ .	3. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )			2.	Considering $MN \cong LM$ : If $MN \cong LM$ , then	≝ 2.	Definition of
	The Assumption that $MN < LM$ is False	The conclusion that $m \angle L < m \angle N$ contradicts the given that $m \angle L > m \angle N$				Consequently, what can you say about ∠L and ∠N?	/	of isosceles
	4. Therefore, <i>MN</i> > <i>LM</i> must be True	<ol> <li>The assumption that MN ≯ LM contradicts the known fact that m∠L ≥ m∠N.</li> </ol>			The Assumption that $\overline{MN} \cong \overline{LM}$ is	]	triangles are congruent. The conclusion that $\angle L \cong \angle N$	
	Teacher's Note a	nd Reminders		3.	Considering <i>MN</i> < <i>LM</i> : If <i>MN</i> < <i>LM</i> , then	3.	Base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent.	
					The Assumption that $MN < LM$ is		The conclusion that $m \angle L < m \angle N$ contradicts the given that	

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Amazing! You have helped in proving Triangle Inequality Theorem 2. Let us proceed to prove Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 using a combination of paragraph and two-column form. You will notice that Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 is used as reason in proving the next theorem.

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 $MN \ge LM$  contradicts the known

fact that  $m \angle L > m \angle N$ .

True

True

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Therefore, *MN* > *LM* must be

False

False

Proving Triangle In	equality Theorem 3					
Statements	Reasons					
1. $LP = LN$	By construction	Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$				
<b>2</b> . $\Delta LNP$ is an isosceles triangle.	Definition of isosceles triangle	side.				
3. $\angle LNP \cong \angle LPN$	Base angles of isosceles triangle are congruent.	ngle Given: ΔLMN where $\overline{LM} < \overline{LN} < \overline{MN}$				
4. $\angle LPN \cong \angle MPN$	Reflexive Property					
5. $\angle LNP \cong \angle MPN$	Transitive Property					
6. ∠MNP $\cong$ ∠LNM + ∠LNP	Angle Addition Postulate	$\frac{1}{MN} + \frac{1}{MN} + \frac{1}{MN} + \frac{1}{MN} = \frac{1}{MN}$				
7. ∠MNP $\cong$ ∠LNM + ∠MPN	Substitution Property	$\overline{LM} + \overline{LN} > \overline{MN}$				
8. ∠MNP > ∠MPN	Property of Inequality					
9. <i>MP</i> > <i>MN</i>	Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 ( $Aa \rightarrow Sa$ )	• Notice that since $\overline{MN} > \overline{LN}$ and that $\overline{MN} > \overline{LM}$ , then it's obvious that $\overline{MN} + \overline{LM} > \overline{LN}$ and $\overline{MN} + \overline{LN} > \overline{LM}$				
<b>10</b> . <i>LM</i> <b>+</b> <i>LP</i> <b>=</b> <i>MP</i>	Segment Addition Postulate	are true.				
11. $LM + LP > MN$	Substitution Property	• Hence, what remains to be proved is the third statement: $\overline{LM} + \overline{LN} > \overline{MN}$				
12. <i>LM</i> + <i>LN</i> > <i>MN</i>	Substitution Property					
<b>Teacher's Note</b> a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{LR}$ $\overline{LN}$ and $\Delta LNP$ is formed.				
Teacher's Note a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{LL}$ Statements       Reasons         Note: Statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .         1.       Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ 1.       By construction				
✓ Teacher's Note a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{LL}$ Statements       Reasons         1. Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .       1. By construction         2.       Describe $\Delta LNP$ .       2.				
✓ Teacher's Note a	nd Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{L}$ , $\overline{LN}$ and $\Delta LNP$ is formed.         Statements       Reasons         1.       Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .       1.       By construction         2.				
Teacher's Note a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{L}$ $\overline{LN}$ and $\Delta LNP$ is formed.Reasons1.Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .1.By construction2.2.3.Describe $\Delta LNP$ . C2.3.Describe $\Delta LNP$ and $\angle LPN$ C3.Bases of isosceles triangles a congruent.4.The illustration shows that $\angle LPN \cong \angle MPN$ 4.Reflexive Property of Equality				
Teacher's Note a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{LL}$ Statements       Reasons         1.       Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .       1.       By construction         2.				
Teacher's Note a	and Reminders	Let us construct LP as an extension of $\overline{LM}$ such that L is between M and P, $\overline{L}$ Image: Non-Section of $\overline{LN}$ and $\Delta LNP$ is formed.       Reasons         Statements       Reasons         1.       Write a statement to describe $\overline{LP}$ and $\overline{LN}$ .       1.         and $\overline{LN}$ .       2.       1.         2.       2.       2.         3.       Describe $\Delta LNP$ .       2.         3.       Describe $\Delta LNP$ and $\angle LPN$ 3.         Bases of isosceles triangles a congruent.       4.         4.       The illustration shows that $\angle LPN \cong \angle MPN$ 4.         5.       If $\angle LNP \cong \angle LPN$ (statement 3) and $\angle LPN \cong \angle MPN$ (statement 4), then $\Box$ 5.         6.       From the illustration, $\angle MNP \cong \angle LNM + \angle LNP$ 6.				

Answer Key Proving the Exterior A	to Activity 14: ngle Inequality Theorem		7.	Using statement 5 in statement 6, $\angle MNP \cong \angle LNM + \angle MPN$	7.	Dronorty of longuality
			8.	From statement 7, $\angle MNP > \angle MPN$	8.	Property of Inequality
Statements         1. $\overline{LQ} \cong \overline{NQ}; \overline{MQ} \cong \overline{QR}$ 2. $\angle 3 \cong \angle 4$	Reasons         1. By construction         2. Vertical Angles are congruent.		9.	Using statement 8 and the illustration, write a statement with the reason given.	9.	Triangle Inequality Theorem 2
<b>3</b> . $\Delta LQM \cong \Delta NQR$	3. SAS Triangle Congruence Postulate		10.	From the illustration, what operation involving $\overline{LM}$ and $\overline{LP}$ can you write?	10.	Segment Addition Postulate
4. $\angle MLN \cong \angle 1$	4. Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent		11.	Write a statement using statement 10 in statement 9	11.	Substitution Property of Inequality
5. $\angle LNP \cong \angle 1 + \angle 2$	5. Angle Addition Postulate 6. Property of Inequality		12.	Write a statement using statement 1 in statement 11	12.	Substitution Property of Equality
$7 \times I ND > MIN$	7 Substitution Property of Equality					
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	DON'T FORETH	Giver Prove	: ∆ <i>LN</i> : ∠ <i>L</i> ? Let u ing th 1. 2.	MN with exterior angle $\angle LNP$ $NP > \angle MLN$ is prove that $\angle LNP > \angle MLN$ by constru- te following: midpoint Q on $\overline{LN}$ such that $\overline{LQ} \cong \overline{QR}$	uct-	P N N N N
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Answer Key to Activity 16: Indirect Proof of the Converse of Hinge Theorem					
Statements	Reasons				
1. $\angle D \cong \angle U$ or $\angle D < \angle U$	1. Assumption that $\angle D \ge \angle U$				
2. Considering $\angle D \cong \angle U$ : It's given that $\overline{OD} \cong \overline{LU}, \ \overline{DG} \cong \overline{UV}$ . If $\angle D \cong \angle U$ , then $\triangle ODG \cong \triangle LUV$ .	2. SAS Triangle Congruence Postulate				
From the congruence, $\overline{OG} \cong \overline{LV}$	Corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent				
The Assumption that $\angle D \cong \angle U$ is false.	$\frac{OG}{OG} \cong \frac{LV}{LV}$ contradicts the given that				
3. Considering $\angle D < \angle U$ : If $\angle D < \angle U$ , then $\overline{OG} < \overline{LV}$ .	3. SAS Inequality Theorem or Hinge Theorem				
The assumption that $\angle D < \angle U$ is false.	$\frac{\overline{OG}}{\overline{OG}} < \frac{\overline{LV}}{\overline{LV}}$ contradicts the given that				
4. Therefore, $\angle D > \angle U$ must be true.	4. Assumption that $\angle D \neq \angle U$ is proven to be false.				

After proving the theorems on inequalities in triangles, you are now highly equipped with skills in writing both direct and indirect proofs. Moreover, you now have a good grasp on how to write proofs in paragraph and/or two-column form.

You will be undergoing more complex application problems involving inequalities in triangles in the next section.

Dear Concept Contractor, your task is to revisit your concept museum. How many more tasks can you tackle? Which concepts you have built previously need revision? Check also your decisions in Activity No.1. Would you like to change any decision?

How can you justify inequalities in triangles? Do you have a new insight on how to address this essential question raised in the activity Artistically Yours?

Now that you know the important ideas about this topic, let's go deeper by moving on to the next section.

#### Proof:

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- 1. Construct AW such that :
  - $\overline{AW} \cong \overline{AN} \cong \overline{YT}$
  - $\overline{AW}$  is between  $\overline{AC}$  and  $\overline{AN}$ , and
  - $\angle CAW \cong \angle LYT$ .



Consequently,  $\Delta CAW \cong \Delta LYT$  by SAS Triangle Congruence Postulate. So,  $\overline{CW} \cong \overline{LT}$  because corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.

2. Construct the bisector  $\overline{AH}$  of  $\angle NAW$  such that:

- H is on  $\overline{CN}$
- $\angle NAH \cong \angle WAH$

Consequently,  $\Delta NAH \cong \Delta WAH$  by SAS Triangle Congruence Postulate because  $\overline{AH} \cong \overline{AH}$  by reflexive property of equality and  $\overline{AW} \cong \overline{AN}$  from construction no. 1. So,  $\overline{WH} \cong \overline{HN}$  because corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent.

	Statements		Reasons
1.	From the illustration: $\overline{CN} \cong \overline{CH} + \overline{HN}$	1.	
2.	$\overline{CN} \cong \overline{CH} + \overline{WH}$	2.	
3.	In $\triangle CHW$ , $\overline{CH} + \overline{WH} > \overline{CW}$	3.	
4.	Using statement 2 in 3: $\overline{CN} > \overline{CW}$	4.	
5.	Using statement in construction 1 in statement 4: $\overline{CN} > \overline{LT}$	5.	

Bravo! The Hinge Theorem is already proven. Notice that the use of paragraph form on the first part of the proof of the Hinge Theorem shortens the proof process.

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**Converse of Hinge Theorem or SSS Triangle Inequality Theorem** If two sides of one triangle are congruent to two sides of another triangle, but the third side of the first triangle is longer than the third side of the second, then the included angle of the first triangle is larger than the included angle of the second. Appreciate the students' interest and diligence in tackling the proof-writing activities. Praise is a great form of motivation.

At this point, let them revisit their answers in Activities No. 1, 2, and 3.

#### WHAT TO REFLECT AND UNDERSTAND:

The **REFLECT AND UNDERSTAND** section exhibits activities designed to intensify the students' understanding of the lesson. These activities are mostly on solving non-routine problems, writing proofs, and wrapping up of all the concepts and skills learned in the lesson.

Like in the Process/Do section, your task in this section is to manage group work in the problem-solving activities. It is suggested that you have to play an active role in the discussion of the solutions of the model problems so that students will have an extensive grasp on the thinking processes undertaken in solving the problems.

Your guidance and supervision of the students in the It's-Your-Turn problem solving activities of this section lead to the attainment of the following goals:

- solve problems that require application of the knowledge and skills in inequalities in triangles;
- · solve problems that require writing proofs; and
- unlock all the triangles in their concept museum.

Discuss comprehensively the solutions and answers to It's-Your-Turn problems enhance their understanding and reinforce their learning.

For Activity No. 19, invite them to make a research on the task under Career in Mathematics—Air Traffic Controller.

Siven: $\Delta ODG$ and $\Delta LUV$ ; $OD \cong \overline{LU}$ , $\overline{DG} \cong \overline{UV}$ , Prove: $\Delta D > \Delta U$ mdirect Proof: $\Delta esume: \langle D \rangle \geq \langle U \rangle$					
í	133011	Statements		Reasons	
	1.	$\angle D \cong \angle U$ and $\angle D < \angle U$	1.	Assumption that	
	2.	Considering $\angle D \cong \angle U$ : It's given that $\overrightarrow{OD} \cong \overrightarrow{LU}, \ \overrightarrow{DG} \cong \overrightarrow{UV}$ . If $\angle D \cong \angle U$ , then $\triangle ODG \cong \triangle LUV$ .	2.	Triangle Congruence	
Γ		$\overline{OG} \cong \overline{LV}$			
		The Assumption that $\angle D \cong \angle U$ is false.			
	3.	Considering $\angle D < \angle U$ : If $\angle D < \angle U$ , then	3.	Hinge Theorem	
				$\frac{\overline{OG}}{\overline{OG}} < \frac{\overline{LV}}{\overline{LV}} \text{ contradicts the given that}$	
	4.		4.	Assumption that $\angle D \ge \angle U$ is proven to be false.	
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After proving the theorems on inequalities in triangles, you are now highly equipped with skills in writing both direct and indirect proofs. Moreover, you now have a good grasp on how to write proofs in paragraph and/or two-column form.

You will be undergoing more complex application problems involving inequalities in triangles in the next section.

Dear Concept Contractor, your task is to revisit your concept museum. How many more tasks can you tackle? Which concepts you have built previously need revision? Check also your decisions in Activity No.1. Would you like to change any decision?

*How can you justify inequalities in triangles?* Do you have a new insight on how to address this essential question raised in the activity *Artistically Yours?* 

Now that you know the important ideas about this topic, let's go deeper by moving on to the next section.

#### Answer Key to Activity 17: WhattoUnderstand Show Me the Angles!!! Answer key to Activity No. 17 Watch-This Questions! Having developed, verified, and proved all the theorems on triangle inequalities 1. The value of x is solved first because knowing its value leads to in the previous section, your goal now in this section is to take a closer look at some aspects of the topic. This entails you to tackle on more applications of the theorems on determining the values of the angles of the triangular frame. triangle inequalities. 2. The sum of the angles is equated to 180 because the sum of the angles of a triangle is always 180 degrees. Your goal in this section is to use the theorems in identifying unknown inequalities 3. Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 ( $Aa \rightarrow Ss$ ) in triangles and in justifying them. 4. Even without the actual measurements, we are sure that our answer is correct because we have used the theorems we developed, verified and The first set of activities showcases model examples that will equip you with ideas and hints on how to conquer problems of the same kind but already have twists. proved. When it is your turn to answer, you have to provide justifications to every step you take as you solve the problem. The model examples provide questions for you to **Note:** Explain to the students that when we justify our answer using theorems answer. Your answers are the justifications. or postulates, we are justifying deductively. So, deductively, it is sure that the answer is correct. The second set of activities requires you to use the theorems on inequalities in triangles in solving problems that require you to write proofs. It's Your Turn! There are no limits to what the human imagination can fathom and marvel. Fun and thrill characterize this section. It is also where you will wrap up all the concepts you $m \angle S + m \angle E + m \angle A = 180$ $m \angle E = 2x - 1$ $m \angle A = 4x - 3$ learned on Triangle Inequalities. 58 + (2x - 1) + (4x - 3) = 180= 2(21) - 1 = 4(21) - 358 + 2x + 4x - 1 - 3 = 180= 42 - 1 Activity 17 SIOW METHE ANGLESH = 84 - 3 6x + 54 = 180= 41 = 81 6x = 180 - 546x = 126Watch this! x = 21For extra fun, groups of students in a class are tasked to create algebraic expressions to satisfy the measures of the angles of their triangular picture frame project. If the measure of the angles are as follows: $m \angle A = 5x - 3$ , $m \angle C = 2x + 5$ , $m \angle E = 3x - 2$ , arrange the sides of Since $\angle A > m \angle E > m \angle S$ , then the longest side is opposite $\angle A$ , $\overline{ES}$ , and the the frame in increasing order. shortest side is opposite $\angle S$ , $\overline{AE}$ . Solution: Solving for Solving for Solving for To solve for x: m∠C m∠A m∠E $m \angle E = 3x - 2$

 $\begin{array}{c} (5x-3) + (2x+5) + (3x-2) = 180 \\ 5x+2x+3x-3+5-2 = 180 \\ 10x-5+5 = 180 \\ x = 18 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} m \angle A = 5x-3 \\ = 5(18)-3 \\ = 90-3 \\ = 87 \\ = 87 \\ = 41 \\ \end{array}$ 

Therefore, listing the sides in increasing order should follow this order: Sides opposite  $\angle C$ ,  $\angle E$ , and  $\angle A$ . That is,  $\overline{AE}$ ,  $\overline{AC}$ , and  $\overline{CE}$ .

= 3(18) - 2

= 54 – 2

= 52

## Answer Key to Activity 18: Believe Me, There are Lots of Possibilities!

- 1. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3(S1 + S2 > S3)
- 2. Even without actually drawing all the possible lengths of the third side to form a triangle with known sides 11 and 17, we are convinced that our answer is correct because its basis, Triangle Inequality Theorem 3, is a theorem that we have developed, verified and proved. Deductively, we are convinced that our answer is correct.
- 3. Relationship: 6 is the difference when 17 is subtracted from 11.
- 4. Relationship: 28 is the sum of 11 and 17.
- 5. l s < t < l + s

6. There is an infinite number of possible lengths for the third side t.

**Note**: Remind them of their lesson on the set of rational numbers or fractions between 0 and 1 in Grade 7. Because a fraction between 0 and 1 can be in the form 1/M, M can be any value greater than 1. Hence, M can be 1, 000, 000 or more. Thus, there are infinite fractions between 0 and 1. Notice that this concept is also applicable to lengths between 6 and 28.

### It's Your Turn!

The lengths of the sides of a triangle are 16 - k, 16 and 16 + k. What is the possible range of values of *k*?

Using the Triangle Inequality Theorem 3, let us find the range of values for *k*:

16 + (16+ <i>k</i> ) > 16	(16 - k) + 16 > 16 + k
16 + 16 + <i>k</i> > 16	16 – <i>k</i> + 16 > 16 + <i>k</i>
32 + <i>k</i> > 16	32 - k > 16 + k
<i>k</i> > 16 – 32	32 - 16 > k + k
<i>k</i> > -16	16 > 2 <i>k</i>
-16 < <i>k</i>	8 > <i>k</i>
	<i>k</i> < 8
Writing them as a combin	ned inequality, the answer is $-16 < k < 8$ .



- 1. Why is the value *x* being solved first?
- 2. Why is the sum of the angles being equated to 180°?
- 3. What theorem justifies the conclusion that the increasing order of the sides is  $\overline{AE}$ ,  $\overline{AC}$ , and  $\overline{CE}$ ?
- 4. What makes us sure that our answer is correct considering that we have not exactly seen the actual triangle and have not used tools to measure the lengths of its sides and the measures of its angles?

#### It's Your Turn!

Angle *S* of the triangular picture frame of another group is 58°. The rest of the angles have the following measures:  $m \angle E = 2x - 1$ ,  $m \angle A = 4x - 3$ . Determine the longest and the shortest side. Give justifications.

## Activity 18

DEPUTYE ME, THERE ARE LODS OF POSSIBILITIES.

## Watch this!

Problem:

You are tasked to draw a triangle wherein the lengths of two sides are specified. What are the possible lengths for the third side of the triangle you will draw if two sides should be 11 and 17, respectively? How many possible integer lengths has the third side?

#### Solution:

Since the third side is unknown, let's represent its length by t.

Inequality 1	Inequality 2	Inequality 3
11 + 17 > t 28 > t t < 28	11 + <i>t</i> >17 <i>t</i> > 17 – 11 <i>t</i> > 6	17 + t >11 t > 11 - 17 t > -6
t must be less than 28	<i>t</i> must be greater than <b>6</b>	Values of <i>t</i> to be disregarded

The resulting inequalities show that t must be between 6 and 28, that is, 6 as the lower boundary and 28 as the higher boundary. Using combined inequality, the order by which they will be written should be 6, t, then 28.

#### Therefore,

- the possible lengths for the third side is 6 < t < 28.
- the set of possible integer lengths for the third side of the triangle is described as follows: {7, 8, 9, ...,27}. Hence, there are 27 6 = 21 possible integer lengths for the third side.



#### 2. Enrichment Activity

#### **Career in Mathematics: Air Traffic Controller**

#### Sample Research:

http://www.nexuslearning.net/books/ml-geometry/Chapter5/ML%20 Geometry%205-6%20Indirect%20Proof%20and%20Inequalities%20 in%20Two%20Triangles.pdf

You and a friend are flying separate planes. You leave the airport and fly 120 miles due west. You then change direction and fly W  $30^{\circ}$  N for 70 miles. (W  $30^{\circ}$  N indicates a north-west direction that is  $30^{\circ}$  north of due west.) Your friend leaves the airport and flies 120 miles due east. She then changes direction and flies E  $40^{\circ}$  S for 70 miles. Each of you has flown 190 miles, but which plane is farther from the airport?

#### SOLUTION

Begin by drawing a diagram, as shown below. Your flight is represented by  $\Delta PQR$  and your friend's flight is represented by  $\Delta PST$ .



Because these two triangles have two sides that are congruent, you can apply the Hinge Theorem to conclude that  $\overline{RP}$  is longer than  $\overline{TP}$ .

Therefore, your plane is farther from the airport than your friend's plane.



#### 1. How are 110° and 90° produced?

- 2. What theorem justifies the conclusion that Kyle is farther than Kerl from the center of the oval?
- 3. Would this problem be answered without a detailed illustration of the problem situation? Explain.
- 4. Had the illustration of the problem not drawn, what would have been your initial answer to what is asked? Explain.
- 5. We have not actually known Kerl and Kyle's distances from the center of the oval but it is concluded that Kyle is farther than Kerl. Are you convinced that the conclusion is true? Explain.

#### It's Your Turn!

#### 1. Problem:

From a boulevard rotunda, bikers Shielou and Chloe who have uniform biking speed, bike 85 meters each in opposite directions— Shielou, to the north and Chloe, to the south. Shielou took a right turn at an angle of 50° and Chloe, a left turn at 35°. Both continue biking and cover another 60 meters each before taking a rest. Which biker is farther from the rotunda? Provide justifications.

2. Enrichment Activity Career in Mathematics: Air Traffic Controller

> Air traffic controllers coordinate the movement of air traffic to make certain that planes stay a safe distance apart. Their immediate concern is safety, but controllers also must direct planes efficiently to minimize delays.



They must be able to do mental math quickly and accurately. Part of their job is directing aircraft at what altitude and speed to fly.

Task:

Make a research of problems related to the work of air traffic controllers. Solve it and present it in class



## Answer Key to Activity 21: I Believe I can Fly

- 1. Sides: coco trunk, distance of the kid from the bottom of the coco trunk, length of the coco leaf stalk.
- 2. The inequalities that exist are the following:
  - The distance of the kid from the bottom of the coco trunk at different speeds.
  - The angle determined by the coco trunk and the coco leaf stalk at different speeds
- 3. Comparison:
  - The distance of the kid from the bottom of the coco trunk is longer when he swings at full speed and shorter when he swings at low speed.
  - The angle determined by the coco trunk and the coco leaf stalk is larger when he swings at full speed and smaller when he swings at low speed
- 4. I can justify them deductively using the hinge theorem and its converse.
- 5. (Answers may vary)
- 6. Possible answer: Using vines like Tarzan, swing rides in amusement parks)
- 7. Possible answer: Erecting a post covered with rubber or leather and using big rope for a swing ride
- 8. Possible disadvantages: Height of swing towers and lengths of swings would not be proportional and can cause accidents
- 9. Possible answers: Efficient (Strong and Stable), Safe, Well-Built, Attractive
- 10. Possible answers: Prepare a design to determine the specifications and raw materials; let the best workers make it; have it tested for quality.
- 11. Yes, so that tools and equipment are efficient, long-lasting, and safe to use.



The figure shows two pictures of a kid swinging away from the coco trunk while holding on a stalk of coco leaf. Compare the distances of the kid from the bottom of the coco trunk in these pictures. Note that the kid's distance from the bottom of the coco trunk is farthest when he swings at full speed.



Name the sides of the triangle formed as the kid swings away holding on to the stalk of coco leaf.

- 2. An inequality exists in the two triangles shown. Describe it.
- Compare the angles formed by the coco leaf stalk and the coco trunk at the kid's full speed and low speed.
- 4. How can you justify the inequality that exists between these triangles?
- 5. Many boys and girls in the province have great fun using coco leaf stalks as swing rides. Have you tried a coco leaf swing ride?
- 6. Aside from coco leaf swing rides, what other swing rides do you know in your area or from your knowledge or experience?
- If you were asked to improvise a swing ride in your community, how would you design the swing ride? Explain.
- 8. Concepts on inequalities in triangles are useful in improvising a swing ride. What are the disadvantages if a designer of a swing ride does not apply these concepts?
- 9. What are the qualities of a good improvised swing ride?
- 10. What are the things you should do to attain these qualities?
- 11. Should all designers of tools and equipment comply with standards standards and guidelines in designing them? Why?

Answer Key to Activity 22: You are Now Promoted as PROOFessor!

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	Statements	Reasons	
1	$\overline{HO} \cong \overline{EP}$	Given	
2	$\overline{HP} \cong \overline{HP}$	Reflexive Property of Equality	
3	∠OHP > ∠EPH	Given	
4	$\overline{OP} > \overline{EH}$	Hinge Theorem	

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	Statements	Reasons
1	∠1 ≅ ∠2	Given
2	$\Delta FIH$ is isosceles	Base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent.
3	$\overline{FI} \cong \overline{HI}$	Legs of isosceles triangles are congruent.
4	I is the midpoint of $AT$	Given
5	$\overline{AI} \cong \overline{TI}$	Definition of a Midpoint
6	∠3 > ∠4	Given
7	$\overline{HT} > \overline{FA}$	Hinge Theorem

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		Reasons		
1	$\angle VAE \cong \angle VEA$	Given		
2	$\Delta AVE$ is an isosceles triangle.	Base angles of isosceles triangles are congruent		
3	$\overline{AV} \cong \overline{EV}$	Legs of isosceles triangles are congruent.		
4	$\overline{FV} \cong \overline{FV}$	Reflexive Property		
5	$\overline{AF} > \overline{EF}$	Given		
6	$\angle AVF \cong \angle EVF$	Converse of Hinge Theorem		

#### ACTIVITY 222 1. Write the statements supported by the reasons on the right side of the two-column proof. Е Given: $\overline{HO} \cong \overline{EP}$ , $\angle OHP > \angle EPH$ Prove: $\overline{OP} > \overline{EH}$ Statements Reasons Given 1 Reflexive Property of 2 Equality 3 Given 4 Hinge Theorem

2. Make necessary markings to the congruent angles and sides as you analyze the given and the meanings behind them. Write the reasons for the statements in the two-column proof.

Given: *I* is the midpoint of  $\overline{AT}$ ,  $\angle 1 \cong \angle 2$ ,  $\angle 3 > \angle 4$ Prove:  $\overline{HT} > \overline{FA}$ 



	Statements	Reasons
1	∠1 ≅ ∠2	
2	∆FIH is isosceles	
3	$\overline{FI} \cong \overline{HI}$	
4	I is the midpoint of AT	
5	$\overline{AI} \cong \overline{TI}$	
6	∠3 > ∠4	
7	$\overline{HT} > \overline{FA}$	

In this section, the discussion focuses mainly on using the triangle inequality theorems in solving both real-life problems and problems that require writing proofs.

Considering the application and proof-writing problems found in this module, share your insights on the following questions:

- Can you solve these problems without accurate illustrations and markings on the triangles?
- Can you solve these problems without prior knowledge related to triangles and writing proofs?
- Has your knowledge in algebra helped you in solving the problems?
- Have the theorems on triangle inequalities helped you in writing proofs of theorems?

Having tackled all concepts and skills to be learned on inequalities in triangles, revisit your decisions in Activity No.1 and write your responses to the statements under **My Decisions Later**. Are there changes to your responses? Explain.

What would be your reply to the essential question "**how can you justify inequalities** *in triangles*"?

Now that you have a deeper understanding of the topic, it is high time for you to put your knowledge and skills to practice before you do the tasks in the next section.

Be sure to discuss the answers to the questions at the END of WHAT TO REFLECT AND UNDERSTAND.

At this point, the students should be able to answers all the questions in Activity Nos. 1, 2, & 3.

They should be able to answer the essential question "How can you justify inequalities in triangles?" The answer should be: Inequalities in triangles can be justified deductively. When asked how, they are expected to point out the theorems on inequalities in triangles.

Your goal in this section is to apply your learning to real life situations. You will be given a practical task which will enable you to demonstrate your understanding of inequalities in triangles.

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3. Write the statement or reason in the two-column proof.

Given:  $\angle VAE \cong \angle VEA, \overline{AF} > \overline{EF}$ Prove:  $\angle AVF \cong \angle EVF$ 

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		Reasons
1	$\angle VAE \cong \angle VEA$	
2	$\Delta AVE$ is an isosceles triangle.	
3		Legs of isosceles triangles are congruent.
4	$\overline{FV} \cong \overline{FV}$	
5		Given
6	$\angle AVF \cong \angle EVF$	

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Now that you have a deeper understanding of the topic, it is high time for you to put your knowledge and skills to practice before you do the tasks in the next section. You have to explain to the students that concepts and skills learned in inequalities and triangles become meaningful only when they can transfer their learning to real life situations such as performing a task where they would be able to produce something.



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# **Teacher's Note and Reminders**

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CRITERIA	Outstanding 4	Satisfactory 3	Developing 2	Beginning 1	RATING
Accuracy	The computations are accurate and show a wise use of the geometric concepts specifically on triangle inequalities.	The computations are accurate and show the use of geometric concepts specifically on triangle inequalities.	The computations are erroneous and show some use of the concepts on triangle inequalities.	The computations are erroneous and do not show the use of the concepts on triangle inequalities.	
Creativity	The overall impact of the presentation of highly impressive and the use of technology is highly commendable.	The overall impact of the presentation is impressive and the use of technology is commendable.	The overall impact of the presentation is fair and the use of technology is evident.	The overall impact of the presentation is poor and the use of technology is non-existent.	
Efficiency	The miniature is very effective and flawlessly done. It is also attractive.	The miniature is effective and flawless.	The miniature has some defects.	The miniature has many defects.	
Mathematical Justification	Justification is logically clear, convincing, and professionally delivered. The concepts learned on triangle inequalities are applied and previously learned concepts are connected to the new ones.	Justification is clear and convincingly delivered. Appropriate concepts learned on triangle inequalities are applied.	Justification is not so clear. Some ideas are not connected to each other. Not all concepts on triangle inequalities are applied.	Justification is ambiguous. Only few concepts on triangles inequalities are applied.	

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## **POST-ASSESSMENT**:

Let's find out how much you already learn about this topic. On a separate sheet, write only the letter of the choice that you think best answers the question. Please answer all items.

- 1. Which of the following is not an inequality theorem for one triangle?
  - a. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - b. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
  - c. Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem
  - d. Hinge Theorem
- 2. Which of the following angles is an exterior angle of  $\Delta RPY$ ?



- 3. Study the figure in no. 2. Notice that  $m \ge 5 > m \ge 3$  and  $m \ge 5 > m \ge 1$ . Which theorem justifies these observations?
  - a. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - b. Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 ( $Aa \rightarrow Ss$ )
  - c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
  - d. Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem

4. Chris forms triangles by bending a 16-inch wire. Which of the following sets of wire lengths successfully form a triangle?

- I. 4 in, 5 in, 6 in III. 4 in, 5 in, 7 in
- II. 4 in, 4 in, 8 in IV. 3 in, 4 in, 9 in
- a. I, II b. III, IV c. II, IV d. I, III
- 5. From the inequalities in the triangles shown, Jarold concluded that  $\angle OHM > \angle EHM$ . Which theorem on inequalities in triangle justifies his answer?



- a. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
- b. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $S_s \rightarrow A_a$ )
- c. Converse of Hinge Theorem
- d. Hinge Theorem
- 6. Kyle has proved that  $\overline{IS} > \overline{IW}$ . Which of the following statements is NOT part of his proof?



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- 7. What theorem should Kyle use to justify his proved statement in no. 5?
  - a. Hinge Theorem
  - b. Converse of Hinge Theorem
  - c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - d. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
- 8. Chloe studies the triangles in the figure carefully. Which should be her final conclusion?



- a. $\overline{TM} \cong \overline{TM}$ c. $IM \cong \overline{EM}$ b. $\overline{ET} > \overline{IT}$ d. $\angle EMT > \angle ITM$
- 9. Which theorem justifies Chloe's conclusion in no. 8?
  - a. Hinge Theorem
  - b. Converse of Hinge Theorem
  - c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - d. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
- 10. In  $\triangle GUD$ , GU = DU and GD > DU. Which of the following statements may NOT be true?
  - a. GU < GD DU b.  $m \angle U > m \angle D$  C.  $m \angle U > m \angle G$  D.  $m \angle D = m \angle G$



- 11. In  $\triangle TRY$ , if TR = 3, RY = 5, and TY = 2, which statement is true?
  - a.  $m \angle R > m \angle Y$  c.  $m \angle Y > m \angle T$
  - b.  $m \angle R > m \angle T$  d.  $m \angle T > m \angle R$
- 12. Which theorem justifies the then-statement in no. 11?
  - a. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - b. Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 ( $Aa \rightarrow Ss$ )
  - c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$
  - d. Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem
- 13. From a rendezvous, hikers Oliver and Ruel who have uniform hiking speed walk in opposite directions—Oliver, eastward whereas Ruel, westward. After walking three kilometers each, both of them take right turns at different angles—Oliver at an angle of 30° and Ruel at 40°. Both continue hiking and cover another four kilometers each before taking a rest. To find out who is farther from the rendezvous, select the illustration that describes appropriately the problem.



- 14. Which theorem of inequality in triangles helps you in determining who is farther from the rendezvous?
  - A. Hinge Theorem
  - B. Converse of Hinge Theorem
  - c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 ( $Ss \rightarrow Aa$ )
  - d. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3  $(S_1 + S_2 > S_3)$

## For items no. 15-20, use the situation described.

Your friend asks for your suggestion on how to raise the height of his tent without changing the amount of area it covers.



**Original Tent** 

15. Which of the following designs meet the qualifications of your friend?



16.	Which design/s is/are contradictory to your friend's specifications?								
	a.	I only	b.	IV only	C.	I and II	d.	I and IV	
17.	Whic	ch design requires	more	tent material?					
	a.	Ι	b.	II	C.	111	d.	IV	
18.	18. The modified tents have equal heights. Which design is the most practical and easiest to assemble?								
	a.	I	b		C.		d.	IV	
19.	<ul> <li>What theorem of inequality in triangles justifies design no. IV?</li> <li>a. Triangle Inequality Theorem 1 (Ss→Aa)</li> <li>b. Triangle Inequality Theorem 2 (Aa→Ss)</li> <li>c. Triangle Inequality Theorem 3 (S<sub>1</sub> + S<sub>2</sub> &gt; S<sub>3</sub>)</li> <li>d. Exterior Angle Inequality Theorem</li> </ul>								
20.	<ul> <li>Which insights have you learned from the tent designs?</li> <li>I. The steeper the roof of a tent, the less area it covers.</li> <li>II. The larger the roof angle of a tent, the wider the area it covers.</li> <li>III. Modifying a tent design does not always require money.</li> </ul>								

a. III only b. I, II c. I, III d. I, II, III

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# Answer Key to Post-Assessment:

1.	D	6.	В	11.	D	16.	А
2.	А	7.	А	12.	А	17.	С
3.	D	8.	D	13.	D	18.	D
4.	D	9.	В	14.	А	19.	С
5.	С	10.	Α	15.	D	20.	D