

### 3.7 Translation

Objective: Identify and use translations.

A slide is called a translation.

The new figure after the translation is the image.

(In the book, the original figure is given in blue and the image is shown in red.)

A translation is a type of transformation. A transformation is an operations that maps, or moves, a figure onto an image.

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When labeling points on the image, write the prime symbol (') next to the letter used in the original figure.

In a translation, segments connecting points in the original figure to their corresponding points in the image are congruent and parallel.

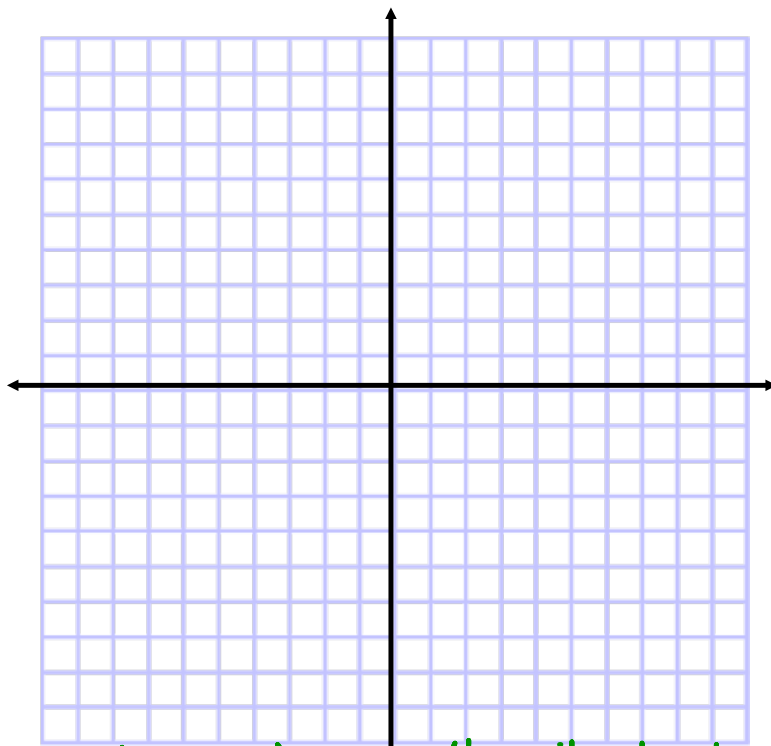
Translations in a coordinate plane can also be described using the following coordinate notation:

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (x + a, y + b)$$

Each point shifts  $a$  units horizontally (left or right) and  $b$  units vertically (up or down). When moving right or up, add the number of units. When moving down or left, subtract the number of units.

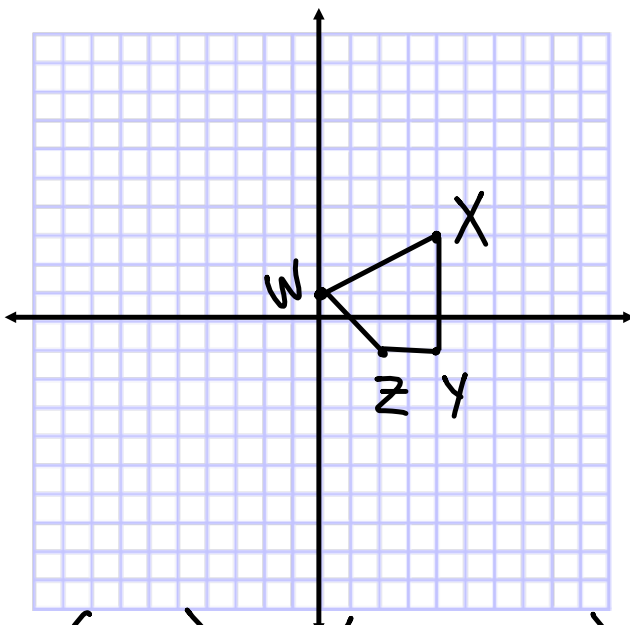
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$$A(1, 1)$$
$$B(7, 1)$$
$$C(1, 5)$$

Translate  $\triangle ABC$  4 units to the left and 6 units down.  
Label the image appropriately.



$$(x, y) \rightarrow (x-3, y+4)$$