Geometry- Mrs. Tilus
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Unit 6- Worksheet \#6: Dilations
Draw a dilation of the polygon with the given vertices using the given scale factor $k$.

1. $k=2$

2. $k=\frac{1}{4}$

3. $k=\frac{1}{2}$

4. $k=1 \frac{1}{2}$

Determine whether the dilation from Figure A to Figure B is a reduction or enlargement. Then find its scale factor.
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8. A student found the scale factor of the dilation from $\overline{A B}$ to $\overline{C D}$ to be $\frac{2}{5}$. Describe and correct the student's error.

9. A student says that the figure shown represents a dilation. What is wrong with this statement?


Determine whether the transformation shown is a translation, reflection, rotation or dilation.
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16. Find the scale factor of the dilation of Figure A to Figure B. Then find the unknown lengths of Figure A.

17. A billboard advertising agency requires each advertisement to be drawn so that it fits in a 12 -inch by 6 -inch rectangle. The agency uses a scale factor of 24 to enlarge the advertisement to create the billboard. What are the dimensions of a billboard, in feet?
18. Your pottery is used on a poster for a student art show. You want to make postcards using the same image. On the poster, the image is 8 inches in width and 6 inches in height. If the image on the postcard can be 5 inches wide, what scale should you use for the image on the postcard?

