

Polynomial Puzzlers!

Name: _____

Algebra 4: Polynomials

Use the following area models to figure out the missing values! Once you've done that, fill in the blanks in the **FACTORED FORM** of the equation and to the right of the equals sign, write the **POLYNOMIAL FORM**.

1. $(2x + \quad)(\quad + 6) =$

	$2x$	
	$8x^2$	
6		-12

2. $(\quad - 3x + \quad)(3x^2 + \quad + 5) =$

	$-3x$		
$3x^2$	$3x^4$		
		$18x^2$	
5			10

3. $(\quad + 18x^2 - 12x + \quad)(-2x^3 + \quad + \quad - 1) =$

	$18x^2 - 12x$			
$-2x^3$				$-6x^3$
		$-360x^4$		
			$-72x^2$	
-1	$6x^3$			

4. $(\quad + \quad - x^2 + \quad - 6)(x^4 - 2x^3 + \quad + 2x + \quad) =$

	$-x^2$		-6	
x^4	$-2x^8$			
$-2x^3$			0	
		$-x^4$		
$2x$		$6x^4$		
				-12

5. $(-3x^4 + -4x^2 + -6)(6x^5 + +4x^3 + +2x +) =$

	$-3x^4$		$-4x^2$		-6
$6x^5$		$6x^8$			
			$20x^6$		
$4x^3$	$-12x^7$				
	$-6x^7$				
$2x$	$4x^6$			$10x^2$	
					6

6. $(-2x^6 + + +2x^3 + +16x - 5)(-x^7 + + + + + + +) =$

	$-2x^6$		$2x^3$		$16x$	-5
$-x^7$						
		$3x^{11}$	$-3x^{10}$	$6x^9$		
					$24x^7$	$-64x^6$
	$2x^{11}$	$-4x^{10}$				
						$-5x^3$
			$-3x^6$			
					$6x^3$	
	$-12x^6$					

