Name: $\qquad$
Date : $\qquad$ Period : $\qquad$

Two geometric figures are $\qquad$ if they have exactly the same size and shape.

In two congruent figures, all parts of one figure are congruent to corresponding parts of the other figure.
So when you write a congruence statement, always list the corresponding vertices $\qquad$ .

## Example \#1

Since corresponding parts across corresponding figures are congruent, complete the following congruence statements for $\triangle A B C$ and $\triangle D E F$ below.

We can look at the markings on angles and the sides to determine that:

## Congruent angles:

## Congruent sides:

$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$


Since we know corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent : $\Delta$ $\qquad$ $\cong \Delta$ $\qquad$

## Example \#2 Try On Your Own!

State the corresponding parts of the triangles below, then write a congruence statement.

Congruent angles:
Congruent sides:
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\square$ $\qquad$

So since we know corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent : $\Delta$ $\qquad$ $\cong \Delta$ $\qquad$

| Key Concept |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
|  | Reflexive Property | Examples: |
|  |  |  |

In triangle congruence, the reflexive property is used when two triangles $\qquad$ .

## Example \#3

## Congruent angles:

Congruent sides:
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\square$
$\qquad$


So since we know corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent : $\Delta$ $\qquad$ $\cong \Delta$ $\qquad$

| Theorem 4.3 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| Third Angles Theorem: |  |
| If two angles of one triangle are congruent to two |  |
| angles of another triangle, then the third angles |  |
| are also _. | If $\angle B \cong \angle \mathrm{E}$ and $\angle A \cong \angle \mathrm{D}$ |

## Example \#4

Congruent angles:
$ـ \cong$
$\qquad$ Congruent sides:
$\ldots \cong$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$
$\qquad$ $\cong$ $\qquad$

So since we know corresponding parts of congruent triangles are congruent : $\Delta$ $\qquad$ $\cong \Delta$ $\qquad$

## Example \#5

Given $\triangle A B C \cong \triangle D E F$, find the values of $x$ and $y$.


