Problem-Solving Organizer

Restate the problem using active voice and simple sentences. (Option: review with a partner and edit.)

What do I know?	What do I need to know?
Which strategy would be useful in solving the problem? • Draw a picture or diagram • Look for a pattern • Guess and check • Act it out • Make a table • Work a simpler problem • Work backwards	How could this problem be represented? • Algebra tiles or manipulatives • Picture • Table • Diagram • Graph • Algebraically

Work the problem. Use the back if you need more space.

Write the answer in a complete sentence:	Explain how you know your answer is reasonable:

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