### 2.4 Angle Postulates \& Theorems

OBJECTIVE: IDENTIFY DIFFERENT TYPES OF ANGLE RELATIONSHIPS FORMED BY INTERSECTING LINES AND PARALLEL LINES

## Investigation:

- Using the provided transparency of $\angle 2$ and transformations - rotations, reflections, and translations - decide which angles are congruent to $\angle 2$.
- Record all pairs of congruent angles.
- Are there any other pairs of congruent angles that are not congruent to $\angle 2$ ?
- What other angle relationships are present in the diagram?



## Follow-Up Questions

1. What angle pair is represented by $\angle 2 \& \angle 3$ ?
2. What does the investigation suggest about this angle pair? Is this true for other angle pairs of this type in the diagram?
3. What angle pair is represented by $\angle 1 \& \angle 2$ ? What is the relationship between their measures?
4. What other pairs of angles have the same relationship?

There are interior angles and exterior angles and corresponding angles.


Corresponding Angles: One is on the inside, the other is on the outside; both are on the same side and they are not adjacent.

* Transversals \& Parallel Lines
$>$ When a transversal intersects two parallel lines, certain pair of angles that are formed are congruent or supplementary.
- Corresponding angles are congruent
- Alternate interior angles are congruent
- Alternate exterior angles are congruent


Find the measures of the numbered angles in the diagram.
1.

2.


## Given: $\ell / / m$

Identify the angle pair: alternative interior/exterior, same-side interior/exterior, or corresponding. Use its relationship to set up and solve an equation to find the value of $x$.
3.

4.

5.


## Each of these relationships is represented by a postulate or a theorem.

* Corresponding Angle Postulate
$>$ If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then corresponding angles are congruent
* Alternate Interior Angle Theorem
$>$ If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then alternate interior angles are congruent.
* Alternate Exterior Angle Theorem
$>$ If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then alternate exterior angles are congruent.
* Same-Side Interior Angle Theorem
$>$ If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then interior angles on the same side of the transversal are supplementary.


## * Same-Side Exterior Angle Theorem

$>$ If two parallel lines are intersected by a transversal, then exterior angles on the same side of the transversal are supplementary.

