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$$\begin{aligned} k(x-6) &= (x-6)^2 + 8(x-6) \\ &= x^2 - 12x + 36 + 8x - 48 \\ &= \boxed{x^2 - 4x - 12} \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{array}{c} 120 \\ \cancel{-10} \quad \cancel{-12} \\ -22 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2x \quad -3 \\ \boxed{4x} \quad \boxed{8x^2} \quad \boxed{-12x} \\ -5 \quad \boxed{-10x} \quad \boxed{+15} \end{array}$$

ANSWERS

$$\begin{aligned} g\left(\frac{x+7}{3}\right) &= 6\left(\frac{x+7}{3}\right) - 5 \\ &= 2(x+7) - 5 \\ &= 2x + 14 - 5 \\ &= \boxed{2x + 9} \end{aligned}$$

4. $6c^2 - c - 15 = (2c+3)(3c-5)$

$$\begin{array}{c} 2c \quad +3 \\ \cancel{-10} \quad \cancel{9} \\ -1 \end{array}$$

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