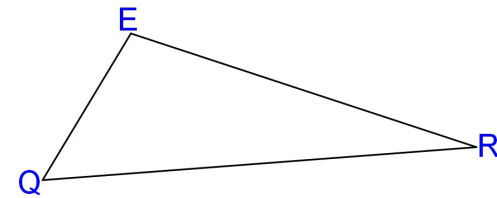


To prove two figures are congruent you must show:

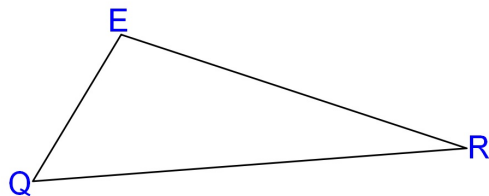
- All pairs of corresponding sides are congruent
- AND
- All pairs of corresponding angles are congruent

"two sides and the included angle of a triangle"



<u>Side</u>	<u>Side</u>	<u>Included Angle</u>
$\overline{ER}$	$\overline{EQ}$	$\angle E$
$\overline{QR}$	$\overline{ER}$	$\angle R$

"two angles and the included side of a triangle"



<u>Angle</u>	<u>Angle</u>	<u>Included side.</u>
$\angle Q$	$\angle R$	$\overline{QR}$
$\angle E$	$\angle Q$	$\overline{EQ}$

1. What sides include  $\angle B$ ?

$\overline{BR}$   $\overline{BG}$

2. What angle is included between  $\overline{GR}$  and  $\overline{RB}$ ?

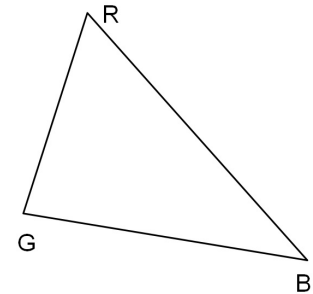
$\angle R$

3. What angles included  $\overline{GB}$ ?

$\angle G$   $\angle B$

4. What side is included between  $\angle R$  and  $\angle B$ ?

$\overline{RB}$



Use a ruler and a protractor to create a triangle with the following characteristics:

- One side is 15 cm long
- Another side is 9 cm long
- The included angle has a measure of  $40^\circ$

After you've made your triangle compare it with other people's triangles.

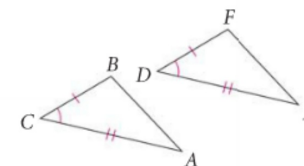
Everybody should have the same triangle.

#### Postulate 4-2

#### Side-Angle-Side (SAS) Postulate

If two sides and the included angle of one triangle are congruent to two sides and the included angle of another triangle, then the two triangles are congruent.

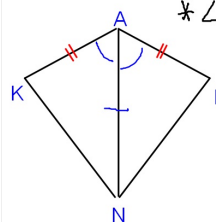
$$\triangle BCA \cong \triangle FDE$$



SAS

Can you use SAS to prove each pair of triangle congruent?  
If yes, write a congruence statement.

1.  $\overline{AN}$  bisects  $\angle KAD$

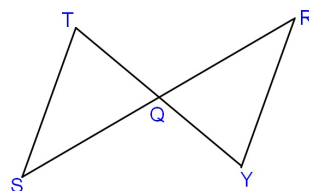


\*  $\angle KAN \cong \angle DAN$   
def of bisect

\*  $\overline{AK} \cong \overline{AD}$   
is given

\*  $\overline{AN} \cong \overline{AN}$   
reflexive prop

2.  $\overline{RS}$  and  $\overline{TY}$  bisect each other.



Yes  $\triangle KAN \cong \triangle DAN$  SAS