9-1 Skills Practice: Add and Subtract Polynomials

1. Write the polynomial so that the exponents decrease from left to right. Identify the degree and leading coefficient of the polynomial.

a.
$$4n^5$$
 b. $4x - 2x^2 + 3$ **c.** $6y^3 - 2y^2 + 4y^4 - 5$

2. Tell whether the expression is a polynomial. If it is a polynomial, find its degree and classify it by the number of its terms. Otherwise. tell why it is not a polynomial.

a.
$$10^x$$
 b. $-6n^2 - n^3 + 4$ **c.** $w^{-3} + 5$

- **3.** Find the sum or difference.
 - **a.** $(3z^2 + z 4) + (2z^2 + 2z 3)$. **b.** $(8c^2 - 4c + 1) + (-3c^2 + c + 5)$
 - **c.** $(2x^2 + 5x 1) + (x^2 5x + 7)$ **d.** $(10b^2 - 3b + 2) - (4b^2 + 5b + 1)$
 - e. $(-4m^2 + 3m 1) (m + 2)$ f. $(3m + 4) - (2m^2 - 6m + 5)$
- 4. Write a polynomial that represents the perimeter of the figure.





