

## Midpoint and Distance in the Coordinate Plane Bell Work

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- b. The coordinate plane contains four quadrants.
- c. The horizontal number line in coordinate plane is the  $y$ -axis.

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- a.  $(2, 0)$
- b.  $(0, -2)$
- c.  $(5, -5)$
- d.  $(0, 0)$

4. The vertical number line in coordinate plane is:

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- a. obtuse triangle
- b. acute triangle
- c. right triangle
- d. any triangle

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### ANSWERS

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- b. The hypotenuse of a right triangle is always across from **the right angle**.
- c. If  $a$  and  $b$  are the lengths of the legs of a right triangle, and  $c$  is the lengths of the hypotenuse, then:  
 **$c^2 = a^2 + b^2$**

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