Notetaking with Vocabulary 8.4

For use after Lesson 8.4

In your own words, write the meaning of each vocabulary term.

corresponding angles

ratio

proportion

Theorems

Theorem 8.6 Triangle Proportionality Theorem

If a line parallel to one side of a triangle intersects the other two sides, then it divides the two sides proportionally.



If
$$\overline{TU} \parallel \overline{QS}$$
, then $\frac{RT}{TQ} = \frac{RU}{US}$.

Theorem 8.7 Converse of the Triangle Proportionality Theorem

If a line divides two sides of a triangle proportionally, then it is parallel to the third side.



If
$$\frac{RT}{TQ} = \frac{RU}{US}$$
, then $\overline{TU} \parallel \overline{QS}$.

Theorem 8.8 **Three Parallel Lines Theorem**

If three parallel lines intersect two transversals, then they divide the transversals proportionally.



Theorem 8.9 **Triangle Angle Bisector Theorem**

If a ray bisects an angle of a triangle, then it divides the opposite side into segments whose lengths are proportional to the lengths of the other two sides.

