SOLVING MATH PROBLEMS

BEAR Method

B egin	Copy the problem here	
Explore	What information do you have? What keywords are in the problem? What do they mean? What should the answer look like? What information do you need?	Resource Check 1 Textbook Peer #1 Peer #2 Teacher
	Can you draw a picture?	

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BEAR Method Continued

Attempt	Scratch Work	Resource Check 2 Textbook Peer #1 Peer #2 Teacher 	
R eflect	What is the correct answer?		
	Does the answer make sense? Why or why not?		
	What resources really helped you the most with	this problem?	
	Did you learn anything new while tackling this pro	oblem?	
	Could you explain your process back to someone	else?	
E	What mistakes did you make along the way?		