## Using Reasoning To Solve Problems and Analyze Puzzles and Games.

Lesson \#3

## Exactly 2

You have 12 items that you need to arrange in the grid; however, each row, column, and diagonals (from corner-to-corner) contain exactly 2 items.

Hint: there are only 3 possible solutions.

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## Exactly 2

Solution \#1


## Exactly 2

Solution \#2


## Exactly 2

Solution \#3


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## Grid

Can you fill in the missing square with the number that logically belongs there?

| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
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| 2 | 6 | 10 | 14 |
| 2 | 10 | 26 | 50 |
| 2 | 14 | 50 | $?$ |

## Grid

Solution:
Each number is the sum of the number above it, to the left of it, and diagonally and upwards to the left of it.

| 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
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| 2 | 6 | 10 | 14 |
| 2 | 10 | 26 | 50 |
| 2 | 14 | 50 | 126 |

## Magic Square

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## Magic Triangle

Using the digits 1-9, only once, make the sum of each sides of the triangle equal to each other.


## Tricky Grid

Fill in the grid below using only the numbers 1 thru 8 so that no adjacent box (touching, including diagonal) touched the previous or next number (i.e. 2 cannot contact the box with 1 and 3 in it).


