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Advanced Algebra

Unit 5 Polynomials: Assignment #15

I can reduce Fractions:

Remember: You can only cancel factors that are EXACTLY the same when you have more than 1 term in the fraction.

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| 1) $\frac{3x+12}{x+4}$ | 2) $\frac{x-5}{8x-40}$ | 3) $\frac{x^2-9}{x+3}$ |
| 4) $\frac{x^2-49}{3x-21}$ | 5) $\frac{x^2+2x}{x^2-9x}$ | 6) $\frac{x^2+8x+15}{x^2+7x+10}$ |
| 7) $\frac{x^2+4x-12}{x^2-5x+6}$ | 8) $\frac{x^2+9x+20}{x^2-25}$ | 9) $\frac{5x-15}{x^2+5x-24}$ |

Multiply the following out to its expanded form. You can use special patterns if you recognize them.:

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| 1) $(x-9)(x+9)$ | 2) $(x+2)(x-2)$ |
| 3) $(x+5)^2$ | 4) $(x-3)^2$ |
| 5) $(x-4)^3$ | 6) $(x+6)^3$ |
| 7) $(x+1)^3$ | 8) $(3x+4)^2$ |
| 9) $(2x-1)^2$ | 10) $(3x+2y)^3$ |

