## **Math Vocabulary**

**Geometric** Patterns formed of geometric shapes and

lines which are repeated.

**Tesselations** Tiling of shapes without any gaps or

overlaps.

**Transformation** Manipulating a shape by translation, rotation

or dilation.

**Reflection** A transformation where a shape is a line

creating a mirror image.

**Rotation** A transformation where a shape is turned at

its center of rotation.

**Translation** A transformation where a shape is moved

without any alteration, also known as a slide.

**Polygons** A polygon is a two-dimensional shape with 3

or more sides.

Frayer Model A graphic organizer that is used for building

student vocabulary. Students are to define

the target vocabulary and apply their knowledge to create examples, non-

examples and give characteristics or facts.