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## COMPOSITE SHAPES \& FRACTION CONCEPTS

Interpret shares in composite shapes as halves, thirds and fourths.

1) Use one pattern block to cover 1 third of the trapezoid.
a) Identify the pattern block used to cover 1 third of a trapezoid $\qquad$ .
b) Draw a picture of the trapezoid formed by the 3 thirds.

2) Use 4 pattern block square to make one larger square.
a) Draw a picture of the square formed in the space below.

b) Shade 1 small square. Each small square is 1 $\qquad$ of the whole square (halves / thirds / fourths).
c) Shade 1 more small square. Now, 2 $\qquad$ (halves / thirds / fourths) of the whole square.
d) And, 2 fourths of the square is the same as 1 $\qquad$ (half / third / fourth) of the whole square is shaded.
e) Shade 2 more small squares $\qquad$ fourths is equal to 1 whole.
