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| | Section 1.5 |
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| Assumptions | Something you can accept as true without <u>facts</u> or <u>pypof</u> |
| Things you CAN assume from a figure | (1) lines are straight (2) 2 lines intersect at one point (3) points on a line are collinear (4) points on a single plane are coplanar (5) anything marked |
| Things you CAN'T assume from a figure | (1) parallel lines/segments (2) perpendicular lines/segments (3) congruence of any segment/angle/polygons |
| Right Triangle | A triangle is a right triangle IFF exactly <u>one</u> of its angles is a <u>right</u> triangle. |
| Acute Triangle | A triangle is an acute triangle IFF all 5 of its angles are acute. |
| Obtuse Triangle | A triangle is an obuse triangle IFF exactly One of its' angles is an obtuse mangle. |

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| Scalene Triangle | A triangle is a scalene triangle IFF each of its' three sides have different lengths. |
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| Isosceles Triangle | A triangle is an isosceles triangle IFF at least |
| Equilateral Triangle | A triangle is equilateral IFF all three of it's sides have <u>equal</u> lengths. NOTE: An equilateral triangle is one type of <u>TSOSCOLES</u> triangle. |
| Median of a Δ | A median of a triangle is a segment joining a VCYTEX of the triangle to the MidPoint of the opposite side. NOTE: All 3 medians are concurrent (meet @ one point). |
| Altitude of a Δ | An altitude of a triangle is a segment from a vertex of the triangles' perpendicular to the line containing the side. NOTE: All three altitudes are also concurrent. |