Math Practices

Solving a problem:

 Know the problem. I read the problem carefully. I know the questions to answer and what information is important. 	2. Find a strategy. I choose good tools and an efficient strategy for solving the problem.
3. Check for reasonableness. I look back at my solution to see if my answer makes sense. If it does not, I try again.	4. Check my calculations. If I make mistakes, I correct them.

Showing or telling how I solve a problem:

5. Show my work. I show or tell how I arrived at my answer so someone else can understand my thinking.	 Use labels. I use labels to show what numbers mean.