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- Find the contrapositive of the following statement. "If she studies hard in math, she will succeed."
[A] If she studies hard in math, she will not succeed.
[B] If she will not succeed, then she does not study hard in math.
[C] If she does not study hard in math, she will succeed.
[D] If she will succeed, then she does not study hard in math.

- Find the contrapositive of the following statement. If he writes in pen, he can't erase it.
[A] If he writes in pen, he can erase it. [B] If he does not write in pen, he can't erase it.
[C] If he can't erase it, then he does not write in pen.
[D] If he can erase it, then he does not write in pen.

- Write the contrapositive of the following statement. "If a number is not divisible by two, then it is not even."

- Write the contrapositive of the following statement. "If a number is not divisible by three, then it is not divisible by six."

- Keegan knows that the statement "all rectangles are squares" is false, but he thinks the contrapositive is true. Is he correct? Explain.

- Write the contrapositive of the major premise of this syllogism to help determine whether the following argument is valid or invalid:

All flightless birds are without large wings.
Kathy, the bird, has small wings.

Therefore, Kathy is not able to fly.

[1] B

[2] D

[3] If a number is even, then it is divisible by two.

[4] If a number is divisible by six, then it is divisible by three.

No, the contrapositive has the same truth value as the original statement. The contrapositive is "if a
[5] figure is not a square, then it is not a rectangle," which is also false.

If a bird has large wings, then it is able to fly.

[6] The argument is not valid.