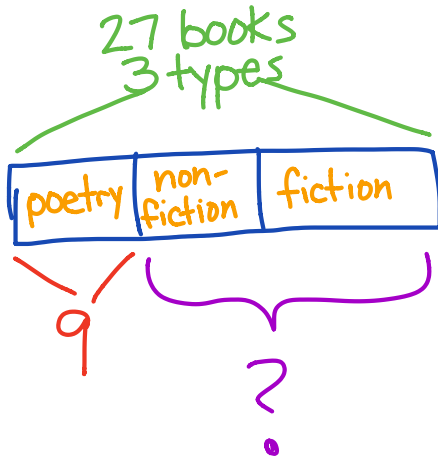Name _____   Date _____

Ms. Egeregor buys 27 books for her classroom library. She buys an equal number of fiction, nonfiction, and poetry books. She shelves all of the poetry books first. Draw and label a tape diagram to show how many books Ms. Egeregor has left to shelve.

27 books
3 types

| poetry | non-fiction | fiction |

9

?

$27 \div 3 = 9$

9 books of each type.

She has 18 books left to shelve because $2 \times 9 = 18$.

Lesson 21:   Solve two-step word problems involving all four operations, and assess the reasonableness of answers.

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