## Objective 091: Points, Lines, Segments, Rays, and Angles

## **Geometric Ideas**

<u>Description</u> A <b>point</b> is an	<u>Example</u>	<u>Symbol</u>	Read
exact location.	• P	no symbol	point P
A <b>line</b> is a straight path that goes on forever in both directions. It has no endpoints.	A B	AB or BA	line AB or line BA
A line segment is part of a line. It has two endpoints.	X Y	XY or YX	line segment XY or line segment YX
A ray is a part of a line that begins at one endpoint and goes on forever in only one direction.	M N	→ MN	ray MN
An <b>angle</b> is formed by two rays that have a common endpoint. The endpoint is the <b>vertex</b> .	M Q	< PMQ < QMP or < M	angle PMQ angle QMP or angle M