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$$2x + 3x = 180$$

$$5x = 180$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{5}\right)5x = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)180$$

$$x = 36$$
Angle $1 = 2(36^\circ) = 72^\circ$
Angle $2 = 3(36^\circ) = 108^\circ$

2. The supplement of the measurement of an angle is 16° less than three times the angle. Find the angle and its supplement.

$$x + (3x - 16) = 180$$

$$4x - 16 + 16 = 180 + 16$$

$$4x = 196$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)4x = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)196$$

$$x = 49$$

$$\label{eq:angle} \begin{split} &\text{Angle} = 49^{\circ} \\ &\text{Supplement} = 3(49^{\circ}) - 16^{\circ} = 131^{\circ} \end{split}$$

3. The measure of a supplement of an angle is 6° more than twice the measure of the angle. Find the two angles.

$$x + (2x + 6) = 180$$

$$3x + 6 = 180$$

$$3x + 6 - 6 = 180 - 6$$

$$3x = 174$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)3x = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)174$$

$$x = 58$$
Angle $1 = 58^{\circ}$
Angle $2 = 2(58^{\circ}) + 6^{\circ} = 122^{\circ}$

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