Using Parentheses

Directions: Read each of the sentences and then put parentheses around the parts of the text that show additional information or an additional comment.

1. I saw a huge bird. (Or thought I did anyway.)

2. I had only three crayons (yellow, red, blue) in my box.

3. My brother finally came (after thirty minutes) to pick me up.

4. The store had three sizes of T-shirts (small, medium, large).

5. Add all the rest of the ingredients (vanilla, eggs, butter) to the bowl.

6. This math (multiplication) is really hard.