


Nursery	Session 1	Session 2
Monday	<p>This week's maths is all about shape. We are focusing on rectangles, squares, triangles and circles first of all.</p> <p>Look at the sheet at the bottom of the page. Talk about the properties of each shape. Describe a shape "I have 4 corners, 2 long and 2 short" and ask your child to draw and name the shape.</p>	<p>Our book for this week is Come Along, Daisy! by Jane Simmons</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IDft1E55STk</p> <p>Talk about what is happening in the pictures. Does Daisy see what the big fish, the hawk?</p>
Tuesday	<p>JoJo and Gran-gran make up their own story.</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000gr5f/jo-jo-gran-gran-spring-8-its-time-to-make-up-a-story</p>	<p>Shape Hunt-go around your house and see what shapes you can see in everyday objects. Take a photo and post your shapes on tapestry.</p>
Wednesday	<p>Go outdoors for your shape hunt. Perhaps you could make some shapes if you are out and about? How about a circle of shells or a square made of sticks? Long grass rectangles? A triangle of footprints from stepping in puddles or walking in the sand?</p>	<p>Make up your own version of Come Along, Daisy! Read or listen to the story again. Can you retell the story but think of other animals that might have been watching Daisy. Perhaps there was a shark in the pond! Draw a picture of your new story with Daisy.</p>
Thursday	<p>Print shapes with water or paint. If you have any cookie cutters use these. Or you can find your own printing tools: tubs and lids can be used to make squares and rectangles. Bottle tops, kitchen roll holders, cups and corks give circle prints, or cut an apple in half. Cut up washing up sponges into shapes for printing too.</p>	<p>Get Dancing with Oti:</p> <p>https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000jsnw/otis-boogie-beebies-series-1-5-feeling-good</p>
Friday	 <p>Cut me free! Here is another idea for scissors skills. Put some objects into a bun tray, wrap masking tape around the tray to make a grid. You could talk about the shapes too. Then cut through the tape to rescue the toys.</p>	<p>Shape sandwiches.</p> <p>Cut slices of bread into squares or rectangles with your child.</p> <p>Ham or cheese can be cut into triangles and add some circular cucumber slices. Cut your sandwich diagonally to make 2 triangles.</p> <p>Talk about the shapes and their properties, investigate dividing one square or rectangle into 2 triangles.</p>

Simple 2d shapes are flat. We can't pick them up!

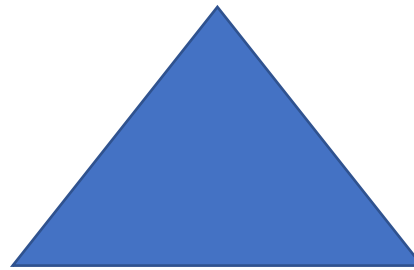
Rectangle - 4 straight sides: 2 long sides, 2 short sides. Rectangles have 4 corners.



Square- 4 straight sides all the same length/size. Squares have 4 corners.



Triangle- 3 straight sides-3 corners.



Circle- 1 curved side all the way around. No corners.

