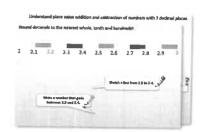
## Year 4: Week 5, Day 1 Equivalent fractions and decimals

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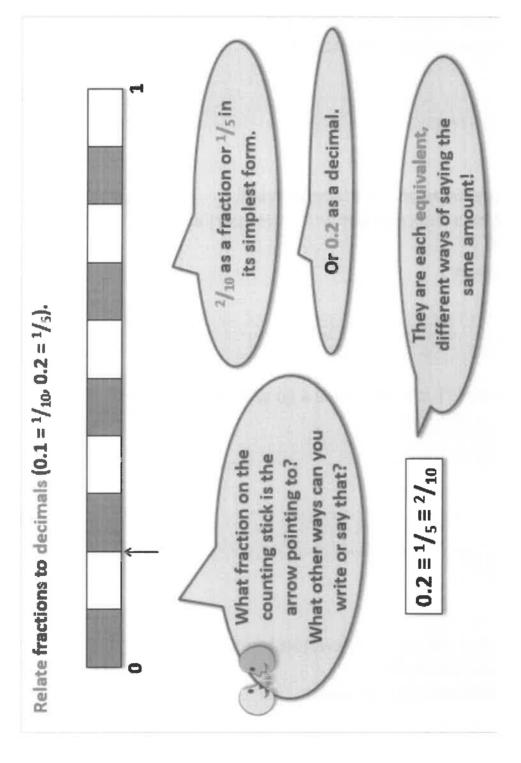


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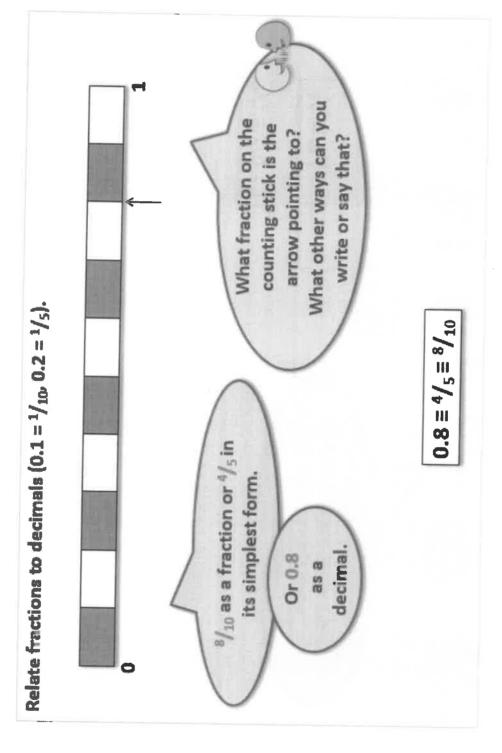


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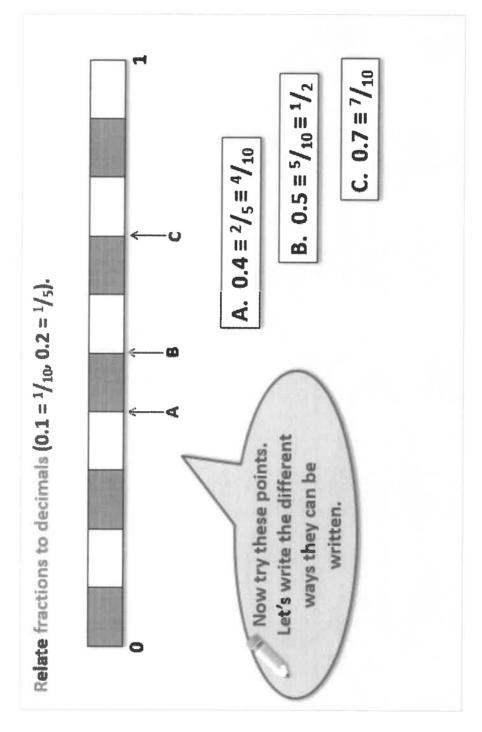
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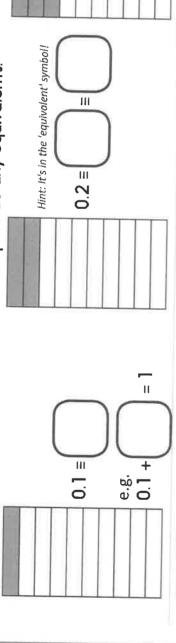


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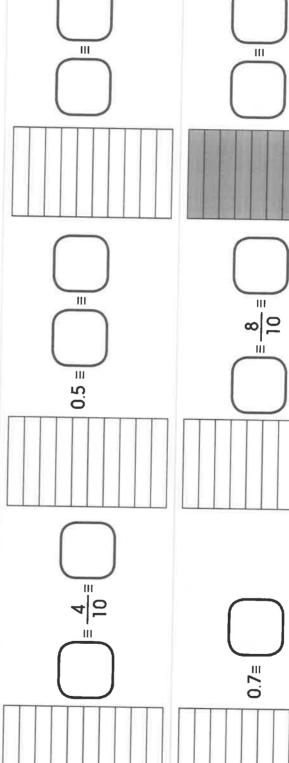


## Practice Sheet Mild Decimals and fractions practice

Fill in the missing fractions and decimals and provide any equivalents.



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## Practice Sheet Hot Tenths

1. 
$$0.1 = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$0.2 = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{5}{5}$$

4

|N

<u>|</u>2

0.4 =

7

$$\frac{8}{10} = \frac{7}{10}$$

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 $0.5 = \frac{5}{10} =$ 

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## Challenge

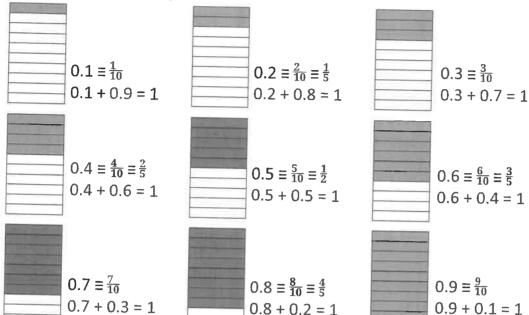
Here is a 1 to 2 number line:

2

Label the divisions on the line with as many equivalent fractions and decimals as you can.

### **Practice Sheet Answers**

### Decimals and fractions practice (Mild)



#### Decimals and fractions practice (Hot)

1. 
$$0.1 = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$0.9 = \underbrace{\frac{9}{10}}$$

$$7. \qquad 0.4 = \underbrace{\frac{4}{\overline{10}}}_{=\overline{5}}$$

2. 
$$0.2 = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$0. \qquad 0. \qquad 3 = \frac{3}{10}$$

8. 
$$0.\boxed{7} = \frac{7}{10}$$

3. 
$$0.5 = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$0. \boxed{6} = \frac{6}{10} = \boxed{\frac{3}{5}}$$

$$0. \boxed{8} = \boxed{\frac{8}{10}} = \frac{4}{5}$$

#### Challenge

Here is a 1 to 2 number line:

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$$1\frac{1}{2}$$

$$1\frac{1}{5}$$

$$1\frac{2}{5}$$

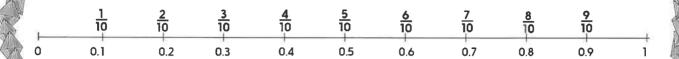
$$1\frac{3}{5}$$

$$1\frac{4}{5}$$

$$1\frac{1}{10}$$

Label the divisions on the line with as many equivalent fractions and decimals as you can.

### A Bit Stuck? Tenths



#### What to do:

Colour the correct number of tenths of each strip.
 Sometimes the tenths are written as fractions and sometimes as decimals.
 Use the line above to help you.

<u>3</u>				
0.1				
<u>7</u>				
0.4				
0.5				
9 10				
0.2				
0.6				
0.8				

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### **Check your understanding: Questions**

Write each number as a decimal:

- (i) One and four tenths
- (ii)  $^{6}/_{10}$
- (iii)  $10^2/_{10}$  (ten and two tenths)
- (iv) One half
- (v) One fifth

Choose another decimal to write in at least three different ways.

Fold here to hide answers:

### **Check your understanding: Answers**

Write each number as a decimal:

- (i) (ii) One and four tenths 1.4
- $10^2/_{10}$  (ten and two tenths) 10.2 (iii)
- One half 0.5 (iv)
- One fifth 0.2 (v)

Check on a fraction/decimal number line.

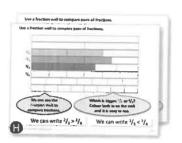
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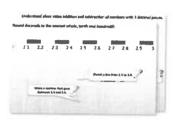
## Year 4: Week 5, Day 2 Compare numbers with 1 decimal place

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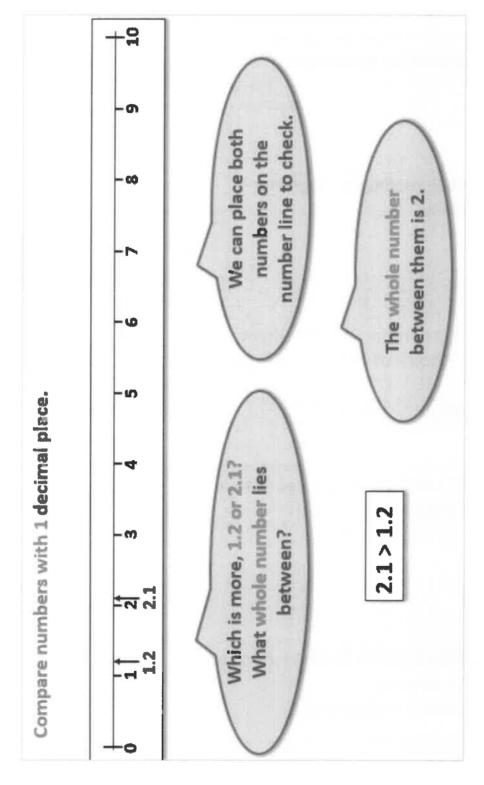


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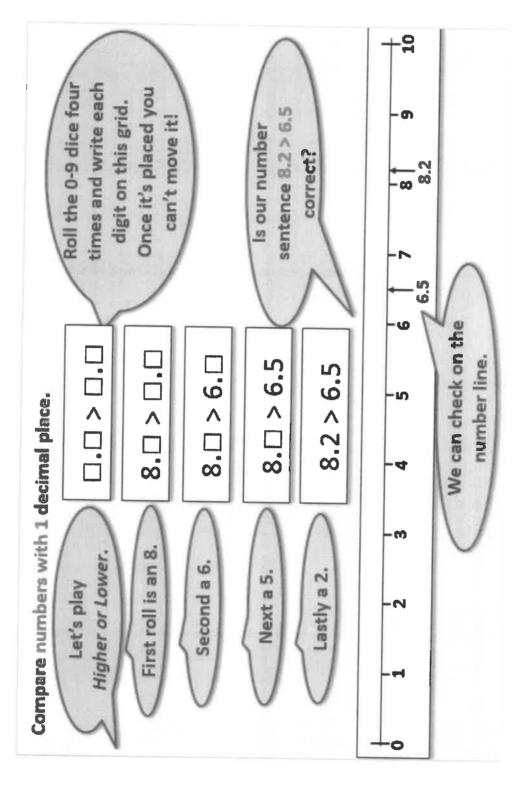


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## Decimals and fractions practice **Practice Sheet Mild**

Write < or > between each pair of numbers. 4.6 7.1 2.8 2.5 4.5

5.4

Now write all eight numbers in order, smallest first.

Use the digits to make a pair of numbers in the correct order.

1, 2, 3, 4

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4, 5, 2, 7

3, 5, 7, 8

Write a number between each pair of numbers so that the three numbers are in order, smallest to largest or vice versa.

8.4 [ ].[ ] 7.8

5.7 [ ].[ ] 6.2

3.9

Challenge

Drew says '7.9 is larger than 9 because it has more digits.' Do you agree with him?

### Practice Sheet (Hot) Decimals practice

Write these groups of numbers in order, smallest first.

- 1. 6.7 5 7.2
- 2. 4.8 7.1 4.4
- 3. 8 6.5 5.6
- 4. 3.6 6.3 5
- 5. 5.1 0.9 2.3

Use the digits to make three numbers in the correct order.

2 9 4 1 6 5

3 2 1 9 7 7

7 6 2 5 3 8

### **Practice Sheet Answers**

Decimals and fractions practice (Mild)

4.6 < 7.1

2.8 > 2.5

4.5 < 5.4

7.2 > 2.7

2.5 2.7

2.8

4.5

5.4

7.1 7.2

There are a number of possible answers for these inequalities, e.g.

3.4 > 1.2

2.7 < 4.5

5.3 < 7.8

4.6

5.3 < 9.7

e.g. 3.4

5.1

2.3

6.2

5.7

6.2

3.9

4.1

Decimals and fractions practice (Hot)

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1. 5 6.7

7.2 4.8 7.1

2. 4.4 3. 5.6

6.5

4. 3.6

5 6.3

5. 0.9 2.3 5.1

Accept any three numbers in ascending or descending order using the specified digits.

## A Bit Stuck? Footprints



Things you will need:

Ruler or tape measure that measures in centimetres and millimetres



What to do:

- l. Use a ruler or tape measure to measure the length of each footprint to the nearest millimetre. Write your answers in centimetres, e.g. 4.6cm. Write the length of each footprint.
  - 2. Write all the lengths in order, shortest first.
- 3. Look at the first two lengths. Think of a number of centimetres with one decimal place which is between the two lengths. Check on your ruler/tape measure.
- 4. Repeat with some other neighbouring pairs of lengths.

## S-t-r-e-t-c-h:

Now you've done lots of measuring, let's have a go at some estimating! Either snap a straight piece of spaghetti, or draw lines with a straight edge that you estimate to be the following lengths:

10cm 5cm 8.5cm 4.2cm I Now measure each to check. How close were your estimates?

2.9cm

Learning outcomes:

- I can measure lengths to the nearest tenth of a centimetre.
- I am improving my estimates of lengths.

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### Check your understanding: *Questions*

Write < or > or = between each pair of numbers.

4.5	5.4
T.J	7.7

$$0.6 \frac{1}{2}$$

$$^{2}/_{5}$$
 0.5

Write a number with one decimal place between each pair of numbers:

3.6

4.1 4.9

6.3 5.8

Fold here to hide answers:

### Check your understanding: Answers

Write < or > or = between each pair of numbers.

5.2

$$0.6 > \frac{1}{2}$$

$$0.3 = \frac{3}{10}$$

$$\frac{2}{5}$$
 < 0.5

Children making frequent errors may be mixing up the > and < signs. Ask them to read aloud, do they make sense?

Write a number with one decimal place between each pair of numbers.

3.6 5.2

4.1 4.9

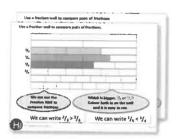
6.3 5.8

Accept any number with one decimal place which fits between each pair of numbers.

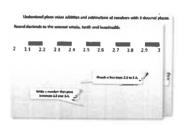
### Year 4: Week 5, Day 3 Add and subtract 0.1 and 1

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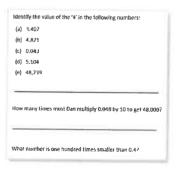
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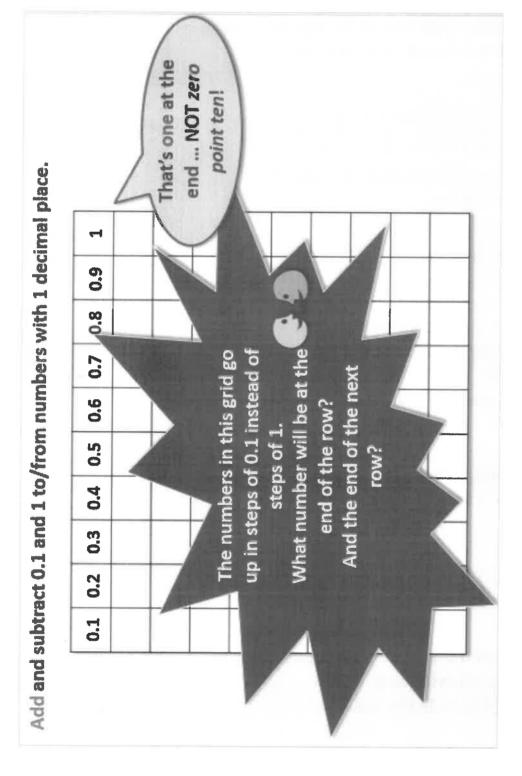


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Learning Reminders

Add and subtract 0.1 and 1 to/from numbers with 1 decimal place.

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6.0	1.9					1			
0.8	1.8			/	7		1		
0.7	1.7			1	n we	what	10:		
9.0	1.6			) .	whe grid	wn,	IIIS B		
0.5	1.5		\		grid, vn the	ing de	100		
0.4 0.5	1.4				On a 1–100 grid, when we move down the grid we	add 10. Going down, what	do we add on this grids		
0.3	1.3			1	mov	dd 10	2		
0.2 0.3	1.2					10	/		
0.1	1.1				1	/			

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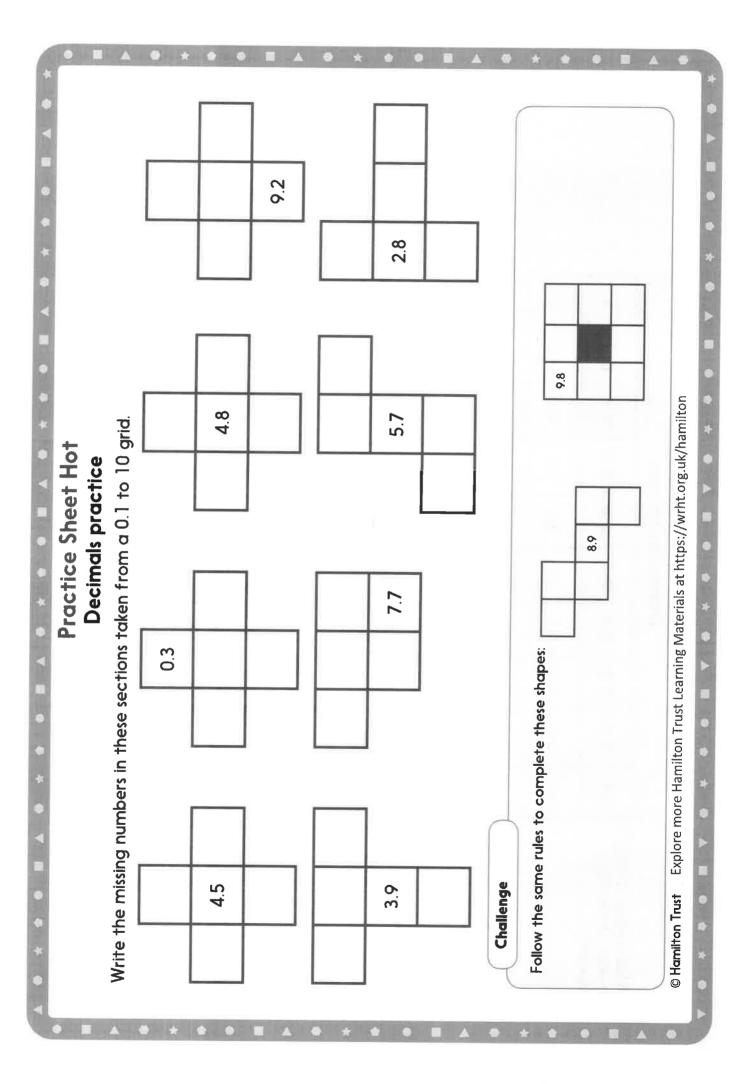
**Answers** 3.8 4.2 7.9

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Practice Sheet Mild Decimals practice

What numbers belong in each of the ringed squares?

н	2					
0.9	1.9					
0.8	1.8					
0.7	1.7					
0.6	1.6					
0.5	1.5	2.5				
0.4	1.4	2.4				
0.3	1.3	2.3				
0.2	1.2	2.2				
0.1	1.1	2.1				



### **Practice Sheet Answers**

#### Decimals practice (Mild)

2.8,

3.2, 3.5

4.2, 4.4, 4.5, 5

5.5, 5.9, 6

6.5

7.3, 7.5, 7.6, 7.7, 7.8

8.5

9.1, 9.2, 9.3, 9.5

#### Decimals practice (Hot)

	3.5	
4.4	4.5	4.6
	5.5	

	3.8	
4.7	4.8	4.9
	5.8	

	7.2	
8.1	8.2	8.3
	9.2	

2.8	2.9	3
	3.9	
	4.9	

6.5	6.6	6.7
	7.6	7.7

1.4

	4.7	4.8
	5.7	
6.6	6.7	

1.8		
2.8	2.9	3
3.8		

### Challenge

7.7	7.8		
	8.8	8.9	9
			10

9.8	9.9	10
10.8		11
11.8	11.9	12

What to do:

Place these decimals on the 0 to 5 number line:

0.7, 0.8, 0.9, 1.2, 1.4, 1.6, 2.3, 2.4, 2.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.9, 4.1, 4.2.



Use your line to help complete each sequence:

0.5, 0.6, 0.7,

1.2, 1.3, 1.4, \_\_\_\_\_\_

3.5, \_\_\_\_, 3.7, \_\_\_\_, 3.9,

....., 3.9, ....., 4.2

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### Check your understanding: **Questions**

Complete each sequence of numbers.

Fold here to hide answers:

### Check your understanding: *Answers*

Complete each sequence of numbers.

3.7 3.8 3.9 4 4.1

1.3 1.2 1.1 1 0.9 0.8

0.8 1.8 2.8 3.8 4.8 5.8

9.3 9.2 9.1 9 8.9 8.8

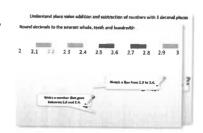
12.6 11.6 10.6 9.6 8.6



### Year 4: Week 5, Day 4 3-D shape (1)

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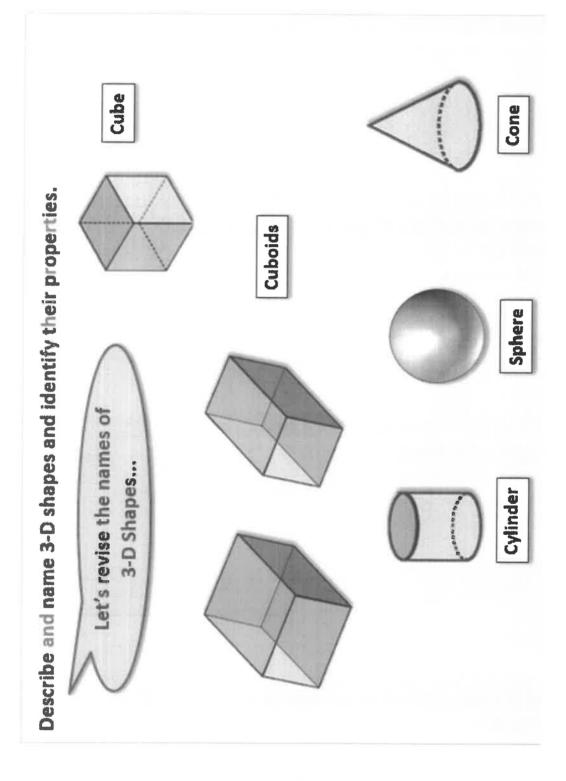
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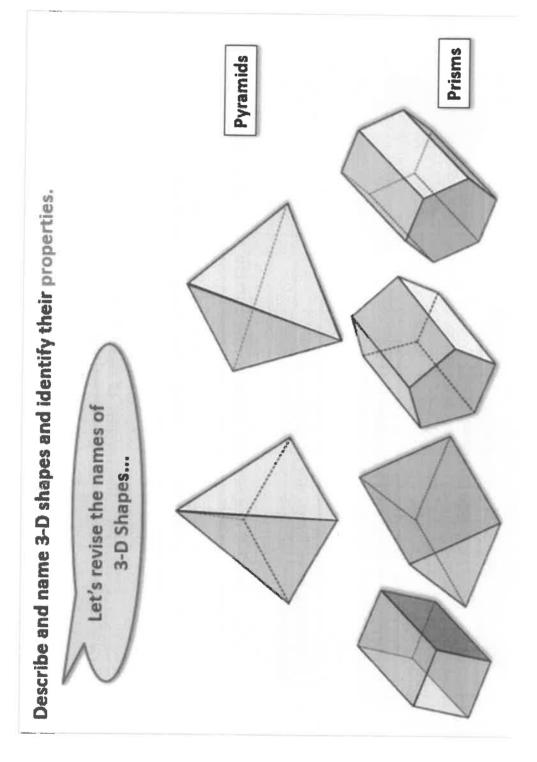
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4. Think you've cracked it? Whizzed through the Practice Sheets? Have a go at the Investigation...



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Faces - the 2-D shapes that make up the outside of a 3-D shape. Describe and name 3-D shapes and identify their properties. Edges - where the 2-D shapes meet along a joined side. Vertices - the corners of the 3-D shape. Polyhedra have faces, edges and vertices Polyhedron - a shape with polygon faces Let's check some 3-D shape vocabulary...

## **Practice Sheet Mild** Shape practice

Fill in the missing shape information.













Name: triangular prism

Number of vertices: 6 Number of edges: Number of faces:

Shape of faces: 2 triangles, 3

Number of vertices: Number of edges:\_\_

Shape of faces:

Shape of faces: 2 circles, I curved

Shape of faces: 6 squares Number of vertices: 8 Number of edges: 12

0

Number of vertices: \_

Number of faces: Number of edges:

Number of faces:

Name:

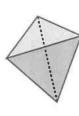
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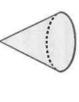
Number of faces:

Name: cuboid

rectangles









Name: pentagonal prism Number of faces: \_ Number of edges:

Number of vertices:

Shape of faces:

Number of vertices: Shape of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of faces:

Number of faces: 4

Name:

Name:

Number of vertices: \_ Number of edges:

Number of vertices:

Shape of faces:

Number of edges: Number of faces:

Shape of faces:

Name: \_



## **Practice Sheet Hot** Shape practice

Fill in the missing shape information.











Name: pentagonal prism Number of faces: \_ Number of edges:

Number of vertices:

Number of vertices: Number of edges:

Number of vertices: Number of edges:

Shape of faces:

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Name: triangular prism

Number of faces:

Shape of faces:

Number of edges:..

Number of faces:

Name: \_

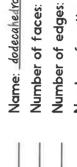


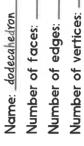












Shape of faces:





Name: \_

Number of edges:

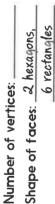
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Shape of faces:

Number of edges:

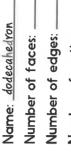
Number of faces:

Name











### **Practice Sheet Answers**

#### Shape practice (Mild)



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Name: \_\_cube

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices: 8

Shape of faces: 6 squares



Name: \_\_\_\_cylinder

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices: 0

Shape of faces: 2 circles, 1 curved



Name: \_cuboid

Number of faces:

6

Number of edges: 12

Number of vertices: 8

Shape of faces: 2 squares, 4 rectangles



Name: triangular prism

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Name: pyramid

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices:

Number of vertices: 6

Shape of faces: 2 triangles, 3

rectangles



Name: square-based pyramid

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices: 5

1 square, 4 Shape of faces:





Name: \_cone

2 Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices:

Shape of faces: I circle, I curved

Name: pentagonal prism

Number of faces:

Number of edges:

Number of vertices: 10

Shape of faces: 2 pentagons, 5 rectangles

Shape practice (Hot)



Name: <u>triangular prism</u>

Number of faces: <u>5</u>

Number of edges: <u>9</u>

Number of vertices: 6

Shape of faces: 2 triangles, 3 rectangles



Name: cone

Number of faces: 2

Number of edges:

Shape of faces: | | circle, | curved



Name: square-based pyramid

Number of edges: 8

Number of edges: 8

Number of vertices: 5

Shape of faces: 1 square, 4 triangles



Name: octagonal prism

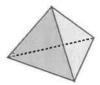
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Number of faces: 24

Number of edges: 16

Number of vertices: 2 octagons,

Shape of faces: 8 rectangles



Name: pyramid

Number of faces: 4

Number of edges: 6

Number of vertices: 4

Shape of faces: 4 triangles



Name: pentagonal prism

Number of faces: 7

Number of edges: 15

Number of vertices: 10

Shape of faces: 2 pentagons, 5 rectangles



Name: hexagonal prism

Number of faces: 8

Number of edges: 18

Number of vertices: 12
Shape of faces: 2 hexagons.

Shape of faces: 2 hexagons, 6 rectangles



Name: dodecahedron

Number of faces: 12

Number of edges: 30

Shape of faces: 12 pentagons

### A Bit Stuck? Cube nets

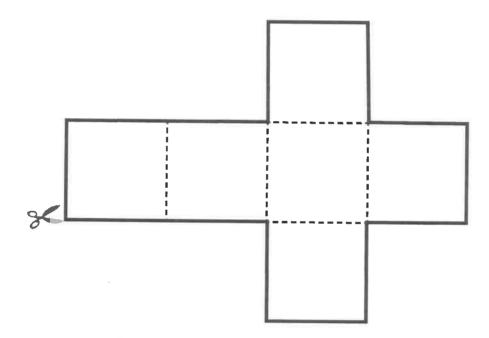
#### Things you will need:

- Scissors
- Sticky tape

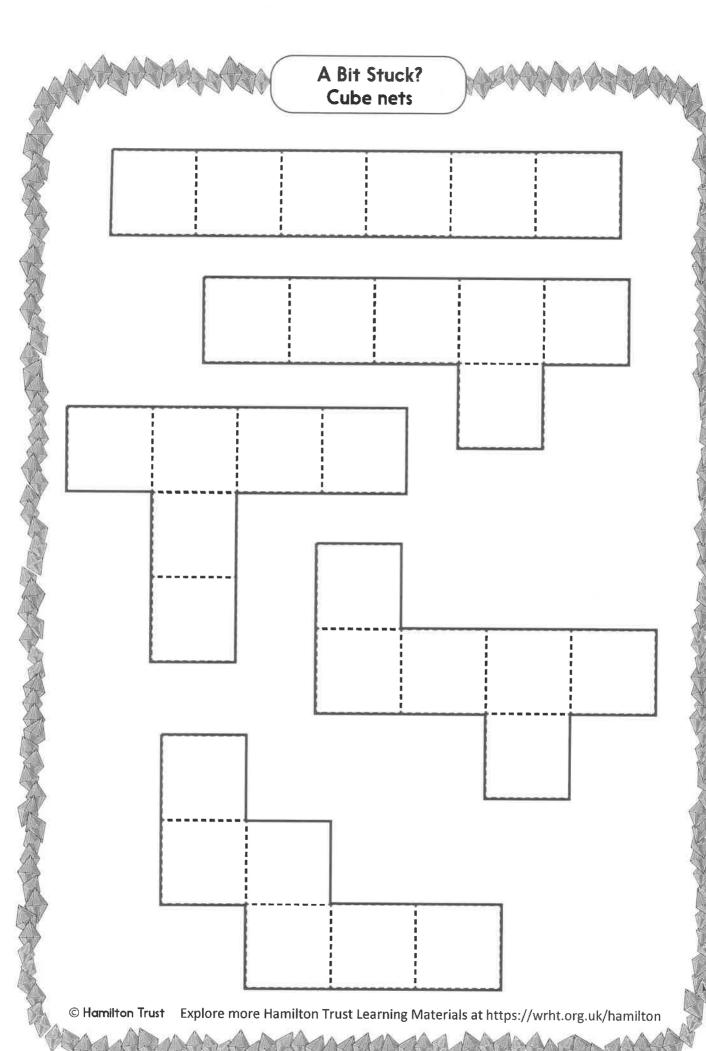


#### What to do:

- Cut out this shape.
   It is called a net, a flat shape which folds to make a 3-D shape.
- Fold along the dotted lines, then use it to make a cube.
   Tape it to hold it in shape.



Which of the following shapes do you think are cube nets?
 Cut them out and try to make them!



#### **Practical activity**

#### Things you will need:

- Scissors
- Sticky tape

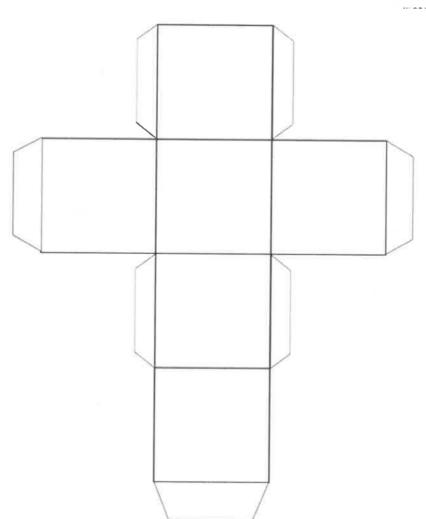


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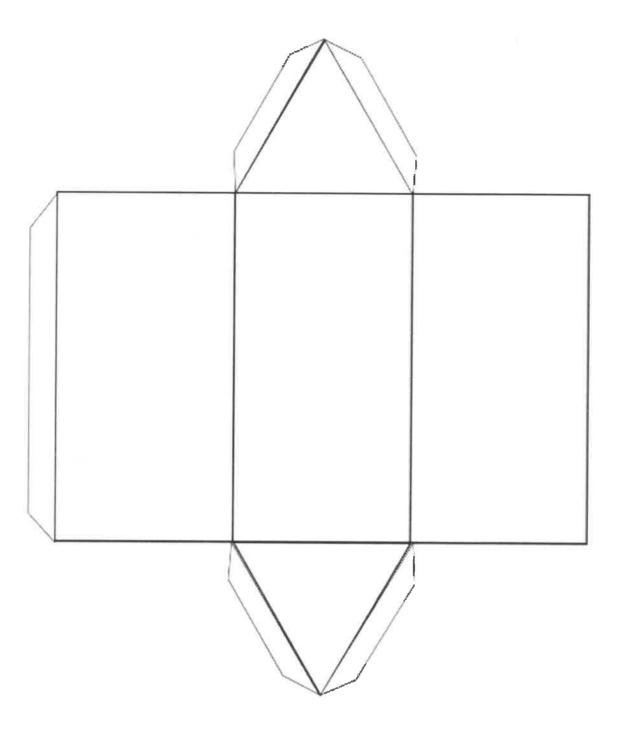
For this activity you will need a print-out of some of the nets, scissors and tape.

- Choose several of the nets to make into 3-D shapes.
   Can you name each shape? Describe it to an adult.
- Choose a 3-D shape.
   Can you make a different net that folds up to make the same shape?

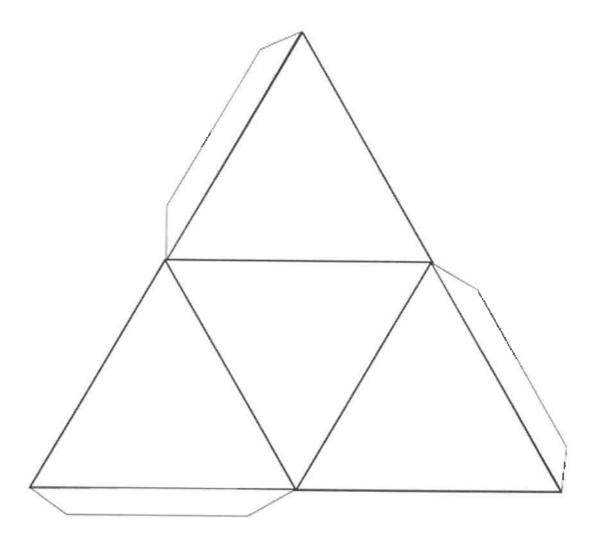
If you enjoy this, you can find some amazing nets at https://www.polyhedra.net/en/model.php?nameen-octahedron

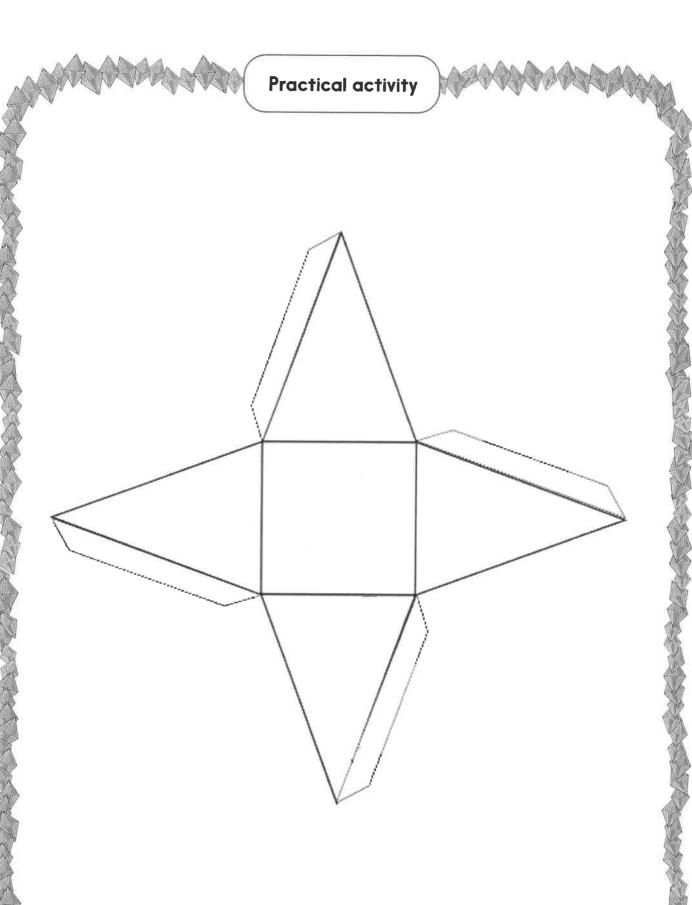




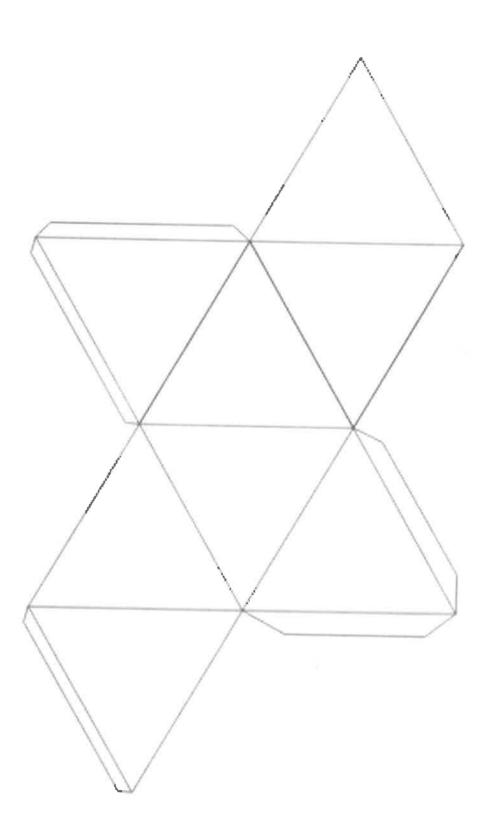








#### Practical activity

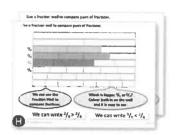




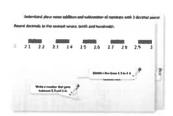
#### Year 4: Week 5, Day 5 Shape (2)

Each day covers one maths topic. It should take you about 1 hour or just a little more.

1. If possible, watch the **PowerPoint presentation** with a teacher or another grown-up.



OR start by carefully reading through the **Learning Reminders**.



Tackle the questions on the Practice Sheet.
 There might be a choice of either Mild (easier) or Hot (harder)!
 Check the answers.



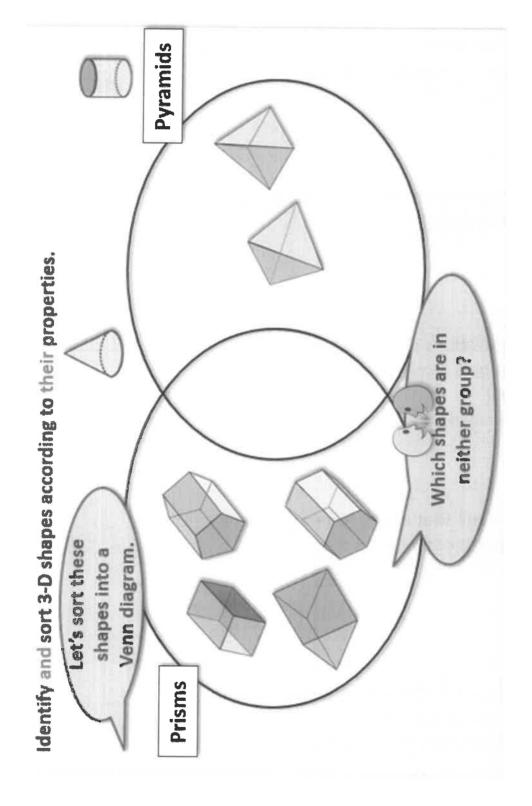
3. Finding it tricky? That's OK... have a go with a grown-up at A Bit Stuck?



4. Have I mastered the topic? A few questions to Check your understanding. Fold the page to hide the answers!

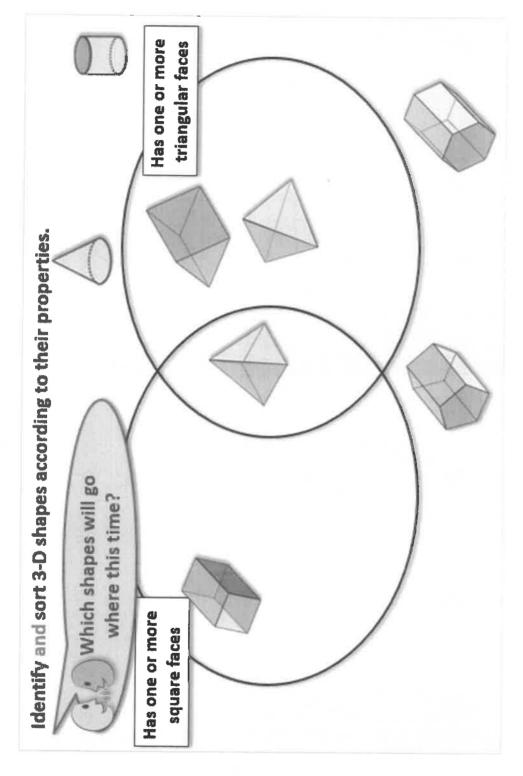


## **Learning Reminders**



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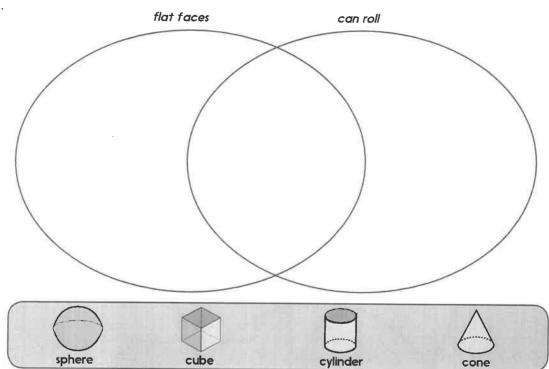
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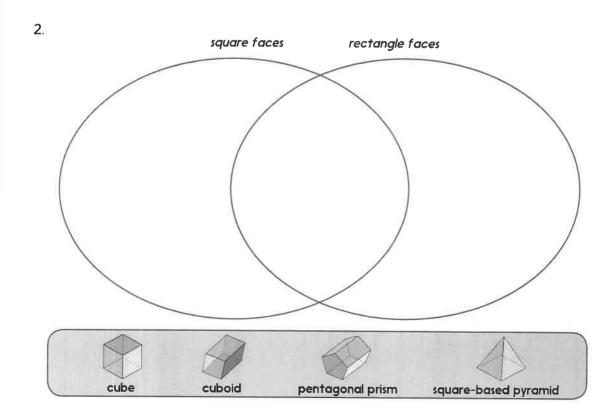


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## Practice Sheet Mild Shape practice

Write the shape names in the right place in each Venn diagram.





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## Practice Sheet Mild Shape practice

3.

rectangle faces

6 faces

hexagonal prism

cuboid

triangular prism

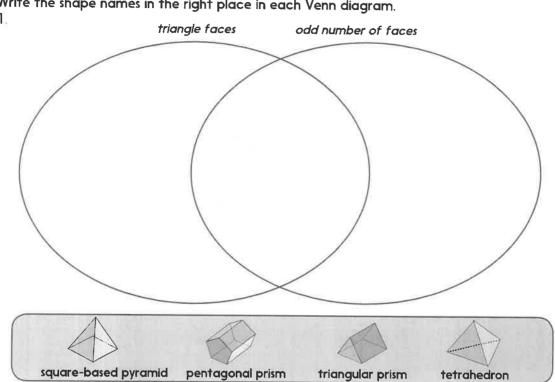
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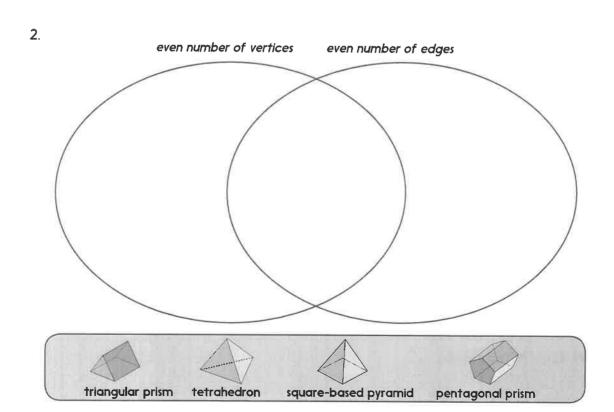
#### Challenge

Create your own Venn diagram to sort these shapes: cone, cylinder, sphere, hemisphere.

#### **Practice Sheet Hot** Shape practice

Write the shape names in the right place in each Venn diagram.





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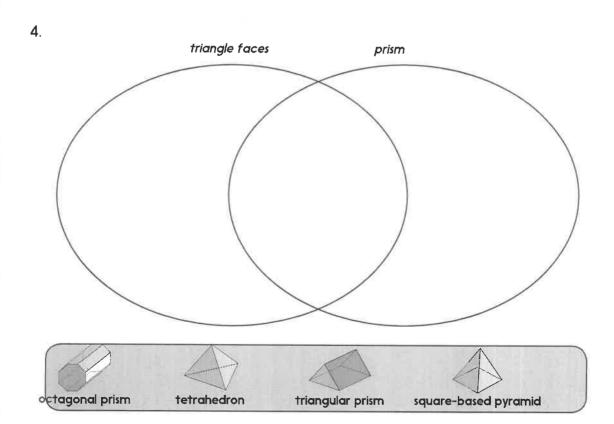
## Practice Sheet Hot Shape practice

3. triangle faces 6 or more vertices

square-based pyramid

tetrahedron

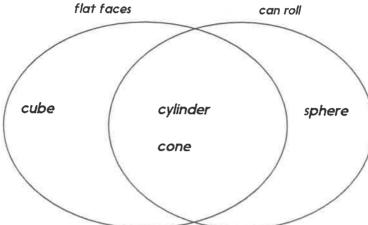
triangular prism



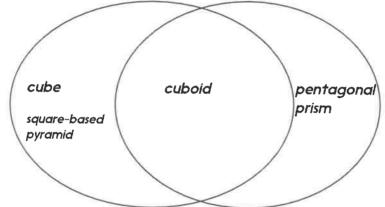
#### **Practice Sheet Answers**

#### Shape practice (Mild)

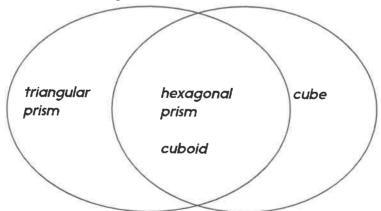
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2. square faces rectangle faces



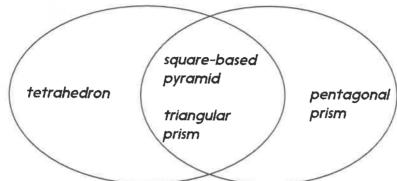
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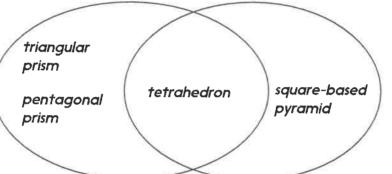
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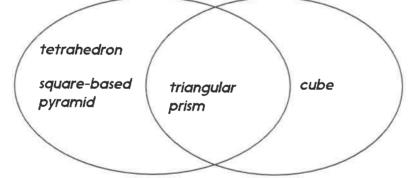
1. triangle faces odd number of faces



2. even number of vertices even number of edges



3. triangle faces 6 or more vertices



4. triangle faces prism

tetrahedron

square-based
pyramid
octagonal
triangular
prism

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### A Bit Stuck? Packaging

#### Things you will need:

- Different items of packaging (search the kitchen cupboards or recycling bin!)
- Sticky notes



#### What to do:

- Find at least 5 different shape packets/boxes/tins,
   e.g. cube, different cuboids, different cylinders.
   You may be lucky and be able to ind a cone, a prism or a pyramid!
- Choose a shape.
   Write its name and a description of its properties on a sticky note and stick on the box.
- Repeat until all boxes have descriptions.
- How could you sort the shapes into two sets?
- Is there another way of sorting them?
- Which shape(s) are commonly used for food packaging?
   Why do you think that is?
- Which 3-D shapes are less common?
   Why might that be?

## Check your understanding: **Questions**

Create a net for a tetrahedron.

Fold it up to ensure that it works. Is this the only way to draw a net for a tetrahedron?

Imagine a 3 by 3 by 3 cube hanging in front of you with just the front face facing you...
The cube is made up of three 3 by 3 layers, that is 27, small cubes.
You drill a hole through the four corner cubes, which are facing you, all the way through to the back.

A friend looks down on the cube, from above, and they also drill four holes through their four corner cubes all the way through to the bottom.

You and your friend then examine all the 27 small cubes. How many small cubes will then have holes drilled in them?

Adapted from 'Start cube drilling' from nrich.maths.org

Find out what a dodecahedron is. Look for pictures on the internet, then write a description of it - using all your best mathematical shape language – for someone who has never seen one...

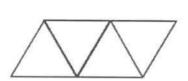
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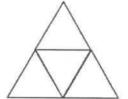
## Check your understanding: *Answers*

Create a net for a tetrahedron.

Fold it up to ensure that it works. Is this the only way to draw a net for a tetrahedron?

The net of a tetrahedron consists of 4 equilateral triangles. For them to fold up correctly they must be either arranged as a larger equilateral triangle or in a line:





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16 – Each person has drilled through 12 cubes but 8 of those (the corner ones) are in common. There are 4 cubes unique to each person.

An alternative way of visualising this is to think about which cubes have not been drilled through (11) and subtracting from 27.

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A dodecahedron is a 3-D solid with 12 regular pentagon faces. It can be used as a 12 -sided dice.

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#### What to do today

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#### 1. Listen to a story

- Listen to the reading of The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry.
   <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J1Teb-jTyl">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J1Teb-jTyl</a>
- What do you like about this story? Is there anything that you dislike?What patterns can you spot?
- Read the First Page. What type of words are in bold on this page?

#### 2. Revise verbs

- Use the Revision Card to remind yourself about verbs.
- Read the Second Page. Highlight the verbs that you can find on this page.

#### 3. Now for some writing

- Complete *Changing Verbs*. Write the verbs in the present tense and think of synonyms (other words that mean something similar).
- Now write some sentences that use these verbs and synonyms. Try a mix of sentences in the present and past tense.

Well done. Share your sentences with a grown-up, who can check that they make sense. You can check your Second Page highlighting at the end of this pack.

#### **Try the Fun-Time Extras**

- Find out more about Kapok trees. You could start by watching this video: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nCftbqisA3A">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nCftbqisA3A</a>
- Start a list of unusual verbs. Look in your reading books or ask somebody in your house.

#### First Page



Two men walked into the rain forest.

Moments before the forest had been

alive with the sounds of

squawking birds and howling



monkeys. Now all was quiet as the creatures watched the two men and

wondered why they had come.

The larger man **stopped** and **pointed** to a great Kapok Tree. Then he **left**.

#### **Revision Card - Verbs**

**Verbs** tell us that someone or something is doing, feeling or being.

The men arrived.

The creatures worried.

The forest is silent.



#### Verbs have tense. They tell us when the action happened.

#### In the past

The men arrived in the forest.

We watched.

The man slept.

#### In the present

The men arrive in the forest.

We watch.

The man sleeps.

#### **Second Page**

The smaller man took the axe he carried and struck the trunk of the tree. Whack! Whack! Whack! The sounds of the blows rang through the forest.

The wood of the tree was very hard. Chop! Chop!

Chop! The man wiped off the sweat that ran down

his face and neck.

Whack! Chop!

Whack! Chop!



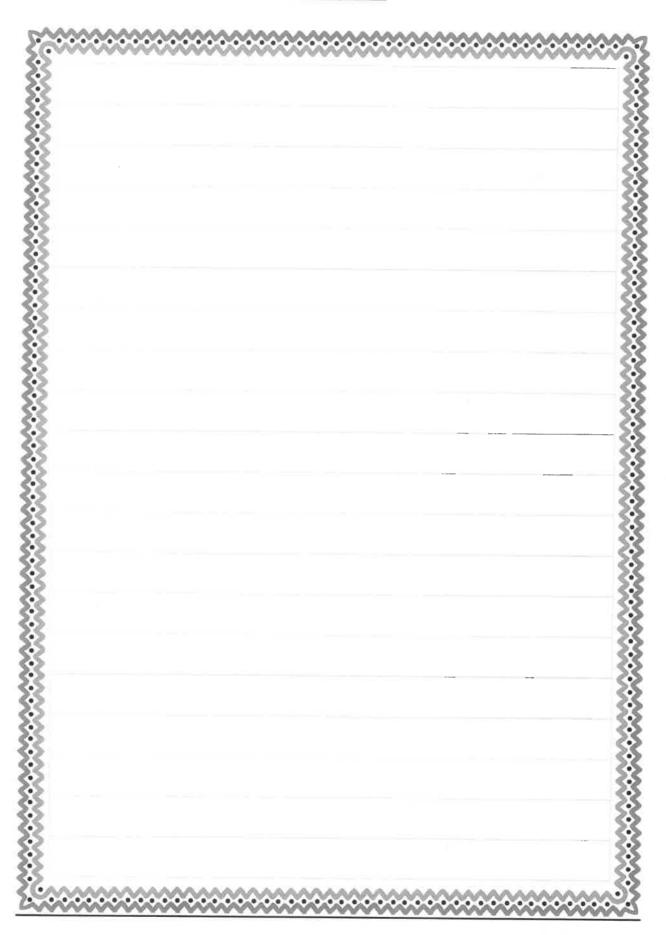
Soon the man grew tired. He sat down to rest at the foot of the great Kapok tree. Before he knew it, the heat and hum of the forest lulled him to sleep.

## Changing verbs

Past tense	Present tense	Synonyms
he <b>took</b>	takes	grabs, picks-up, grasps
he <b>carried</b>	carries	
he <b>struck</b>		
sounds <b>rang</b>		
it was		
he wiped		
that <b>ran</b>		
he <b>gre</b> w		
he <b>sat</b>		
he <b>kne</b> w		
heat <b>lulled</b> him		

## Week 5 Day 1

#### **Sentences**



#### Second Page - Verbs Highlighted

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If you didn't watch this yesterday, you need to listen to it today: The Great Kapok Tree by Lynne Cherry. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J1Teb-jTyl

#### 1. Read what the animals said to the man in The Great Kapok Tree.

- Read Talking Animals.
- Which animal is the most persuasive in your opinion? Why?

#### 2. Revise the Present Perfect Form

- Use the *PowerPoint* about the present perfect form and listen to the teaching. If this is not possible, remind yourself using the *Revision Card*.
- Complete What might they say? Choose verbs to match the animals and then write a sentence in the present perfect form.

#### 3. Now for some writing

- Read *Rainforest Animals 1*. Write what these animals might say to the man as he slept. Try to include a sentence in the present perfect form.
- Challenge yourself to complete Rainforest Animals 2.

Well done. Share your writing with a grown-up. Show them the sentences that you have written in the present perfect form.

#### **Try the Fun-Time Extras**

- Research and write about some of the rainforest animals in this pack.
- Find out about canopies in the rainforest and make a labelled diagram to explain how they work.

#### **Talking Animals**



The **boa constrictor** is a large snake that constricts its prey. "Senhor, this tree is a tree of miracles. It is my home, where generations of my ancestors have lived. Do not chop it down."



This type of **bee** stores pollen and honey and has no sting. "Senhor, my hive is in this Kapok tree, and I fly from tree to tree and flower to flower collecting pollen. In this way I pollinate the trees and flowers throughout the rain forest. You see, all living things depend on one another."



**Squirrel monkeys** can live in massive groups, of up to 500 members!

"Senhor, we have seen the ways of man. You chop down one tree, then come back for another and another. The roots of these great trees will wither and die, and there will be nothing left to hold the earth in place. When the heavy rains come, the soil will be washed away and the forest will become a desert."



Toucans mostly eat fruit, lizards and small insects. "Senhor! You must not cut down this tree. We have flown over the rain forest and seen what happens once you begin to chop down the trees. Many people settle on the land. They set fires to clear the underbrush, and soon the forest disappears. Where once there was life and beauty only black and smouldering ruins remain."



The **red-eyed tree frog** is threatened by forestry and pollution.

"Senhor, a ruined rain forest means ruined lives... many ruined lives. You will leave many of us homeless if you chop down this great Kapok tree."



The **jaguar** has a very powerful bite compared to the other big cats.

"Senhor, the Kapok tree is home to many birds and animals. If you cut it down, where will I find my dinner?"



**Tree porcupines** are much lighter than other kinds of porcupine.

"Senhor, do you know what we animals and humans need in order to live? Oxygen. And, Senhor, do you know what trees produce? Oxygen! If you cut down the forests you will destroy that which gives us all life."



This **anteater** has very strong front claws used to break insect nests.

"Senhor, you are chopping down this tree with no thought for the future. And surely you know that what happens tomorrow depends on what you do today. The big man tells you to chop down a beautiful tree. He does not think of his own children, who tomorrow must live in a world without trees."



**Three-toed sloths** are the size of a big cat and are agile swimmers.

"Senhor, how much is beauty worth? Can you live without it? If you destroy the beauty of the rain forest, on what would you feast your eyes?"

#### **Present Perfect Form - Revision Card**

#### **Present Perfect Form**

The present perfect form is created by using **two** verbs: the present form of 'have' with the past participle of the main verb.

The monkeys have come to the man.

The man has not woken.

They have chattered to him.



present tense form of have (helping verb)

past participle of main verb (completed/perfected)



#### Present perfect form and past tense



Past tense	Present Perfect form		
The birds flew over the forest.	The birds have flown over the forest.		
They cleared the underbrush.	They have cleared the underbrush.		
People settled on the land.	People have settled on the land.		



#### **Perfect form**

The perfect form of the past tense suggests that a past action is still affecting the present.

The animals persuaded me and I am still persuaded.

Past tense	Perfect form
The animals persuaded me.	The animals have persuaded me.
I dreamt such a dream.	I have dreamt such a dream. I dreamt and I am still thinking about my dream.
I changed my mind.	I have changed my mind. I changed my mind and it is still changed.

# What might they say?

Sentence in present perfect form	We <u>have</u> sheltered under the cover of the Kapok Tree.	We have hunted				
verb	sheltered	hunted	shuffled			
animal	frogs	jaguar	porcupines	anteaters	sloth	child

#### **Rainforest Animals 1**



The Brazilian tapir is found near water and sleeps on riverbanks.



The blue morpho butterfly has enormous wings, around 15 cm across!



The ocelot is nocturnal. It will fight fiercely to defend its territory.

### **Rainforest Animals 2**



The moustached tamarin eats fruits, tree gum and insects.



Coatis use their long tail for balance and signalling.



The red-legged honeycreeper builds a small cup nest in a tree.



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#### 1. Look closely at an illustration.

- Look at Illustration 1.
- What can you notice in the picture? Try to make a note about ten things that you can see.
- Where in the story does this come? How would you explain it to somebody else in three sentences?
- Look at Illustration Verbs. Can you make up sentences about the illustration that use these verbs? Speak your sentences out loud.

#### 2. Practise Present Perfect Form

- Use the *Revision Card* to remind yourself about the present perfect form.
- Complete the *Cloze Activity* and then read out loud the sentences you have written. They are in the present perfect form.

#### 3. Now for some writing.

- Imagine that the man is writing to his family to explain why he has left his job. What will he say to them?
- Write a *Postcard* from the man to his family. Try to include at least one sentence in the present perfect form.

Well done. Share your writing with a grown-up. Show them the sentence that you have written in the present perfect form.

#### **Try the Fun-Time Extras**

- Design the picture side of the man's postcard.
- Write a postcard to send to somebody that you haven't seen for a while.

#### **Illustration 1**



#### **Illustration Verbs**

realised

heard

listened

thought

understood

slept

dreamt

decided

chosen

dropped

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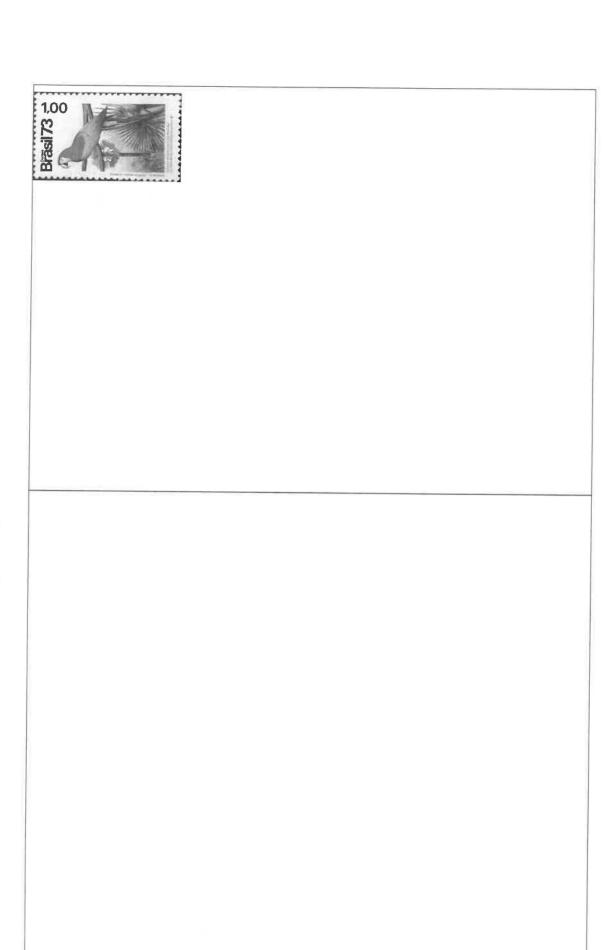
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#### **Cloze Activity**

The man has	that he should protect the forest.
He has	_ the animals speak to him
He has	_ to the child.
He has	_ about the things he heard.
He has	_ the message of the animals.
The man has	in the rainforest.
He has	_ an amazing dream!
He has	not to chop the axe.
He has	not to do as he was told.
He has	his axe.

decided	slept	chosen	dreamt	dropped
realised	thought	understood	listened	heard

# **Postcard**



#### **Cloze Activity - Answers**

The man has realised that he should protect the forest.

He has heard the animals speak to him

He has <u>listened</u> to the child.

He has thought about the things he heard.

He has <u>understood</u> the message of the animals.

The man has slept in the rainforest.

He has dreamt an amazing dream!

He has <u>decided</u> not to chop the axe.

He has chosen not to do as he was told.

He has dropped his axe.

decided	slept	chosen	dreamt	dropped
realised	thought	understood	listened	heard



#### What to do today

IMPORTANT Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and any weblinks or use of internet.

#### 1. Read a poem.

- Read *Willow Pattern by Tony Mitton*. What do you like about the poem? Can you notice any patterns or puzzles?
- Now watch <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4VwAYc7dsUE">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4VwAYc7dsUE</a> How does the poem match the plate?

#### 2. Summarise the story

- Use Plate Picture and add captions to tell the story.
- Now make a plan for telling the story on Story Plan.

#### 3. Now for some writing

- Read *Descriptive Language* and add your own ideas for descriptive sentences to tell the story.
- Try writing the story. Use your *Story Plan* and *Descriptive Language* to help you as you do.

Well done. Read your story to a grown-up. Can you test them to check that they remember what happened?

#### **Try the Fun-Time Extra**

 Watch these versions of the Willow Pattern Story. How are they similar to yours? How are they different? What do you like most about each? Which is your favourite? Why?

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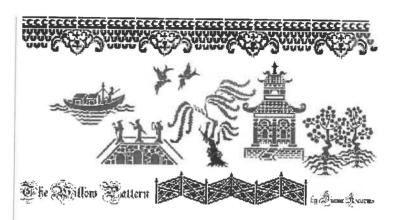
#### Willow Pattern by Tony Mitton

Look. On my plate is a blue garden it happened in China A long time ago.

There on a bridge the soldiers are running to capture the princess, the Emperor's daughter.

She left with the young man she wanted to marry. They fled to an island That lay on a lake.

The Emperor was angry. He ordered his soldiers to capture the princess and kill the young man.



But the man and the princess were turned into bluebirds. They flew from the island and never returned.

The Emperor, in sadness, Turned into a willow. And always he droops as he weeps in his sorrow.

He weeps on my plate In a blue garden. It happened in China a long time ago.

Tony Mitton (The Works p462)

#### **Plate Picture**

Add captions to tell the story.



## **Story Plan**

How will you introduce your story?	
What will be the first event?	
What will happen next?	
What will be your final event?	
How will you round off your story?	
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### **Descriptive Language**

Add your ideas for descriptive sentences.

The sky, swirling in a mass of blue and white, appeared to open.

The princess, with glistening hair the colour of ebony, ran over the bridge.

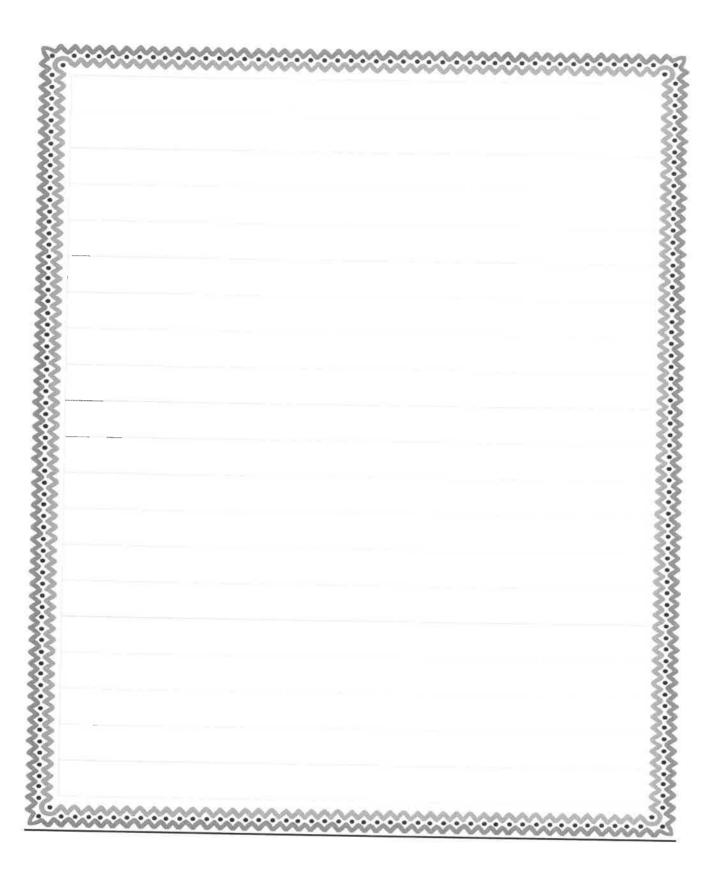
She flew up into the sky, which was orange and warm.

The prince waved his sword, which had been given to him by his father, in the air.

# The Willow-Pattern story

Write your version of the story here.

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#### What to do today

IMPORTANT Parent or Carer – Read this page with your child and check that you are happy with what they have to do and any weblinks or use of internet.

#### 1. Read a poem and think about the story.

- Read How Tortoise Got His Shell.
- What did you like about the poem? What patterns did you notice?
- Why was Zeus so angry with Tortoise? How did Zeus punish Tortoise? Do you think this was fair?

Find a grown-up and read them the poem. Can you help them to understand the story by the way that you read the poem?

#### 2. Imagine a conversation

- Try writing a conversation between Zeus and the Tortoise in the Speech Bubbles.
- Now use the Revision Card to remind yourself about direct speech. Can you turn some of your Speech Bubble writing into sentences with direct speech? (add speech marks and reporting clauses)

#### 3. Now for some writing

- Make a Story Plan for the story of how tortoise got his shell.
- Read your plan through and then try writing your story. Include some of your direct speech if you can.

#### **Try the Fun-Time Extras**

- Can you make an illustration of the story? You could even make a comic strip version.
- Can you perform the poem and film it to share with someone else?
- Can you perform your speech bubbles with someone else. Who will be Zeus and who will be the Tortoise? How will you show their different characters?

#### How the Tortoise Got His Shell

Come to my feast!

cried the great god Zeus.

Today I shall be wed!

And from each corner of the earth all Zeus's creatures sped...

The fliers and the creepers,
The long, the short, the tall;
The crawlers and the leapers,
The feathered, furred and bald;
Hunters, biters, finders, fighters,
Hooters, whistlers, roarers;
Squeakers, screamers, squawkers, dreamers,
Nibblers, gulpers, borers.
Paws and claws from hills and shores
From south, from north, from west and east,
From mountain tops and forest floors
all Zeus's creatures joined the feast
except

the tortoise

They raved, they pranced, they feasted, danced; six days and nights each creature stayed to chatter, flatter, clap and cheer at the great god Zeus's grand parade except

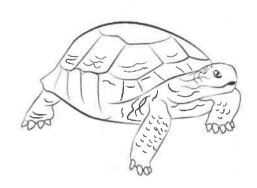
the tortoise

Next day...

Why weren't you there, my friend, asked Zeus, the day that I was wed?

The tortoise smiled her small, slow smile and raised her small, slow head.

A wedding feast is fun, I guess, But I'm a simple one. I'm happy by myself, she said. There's no place quite like home!



How dare you stay away! roared Zeus.
I'll show you just what for!
From this day on you'll carry your home
On your back, for evermore!

Judith Nicholls (The Works p57) Unit 1 Day 3

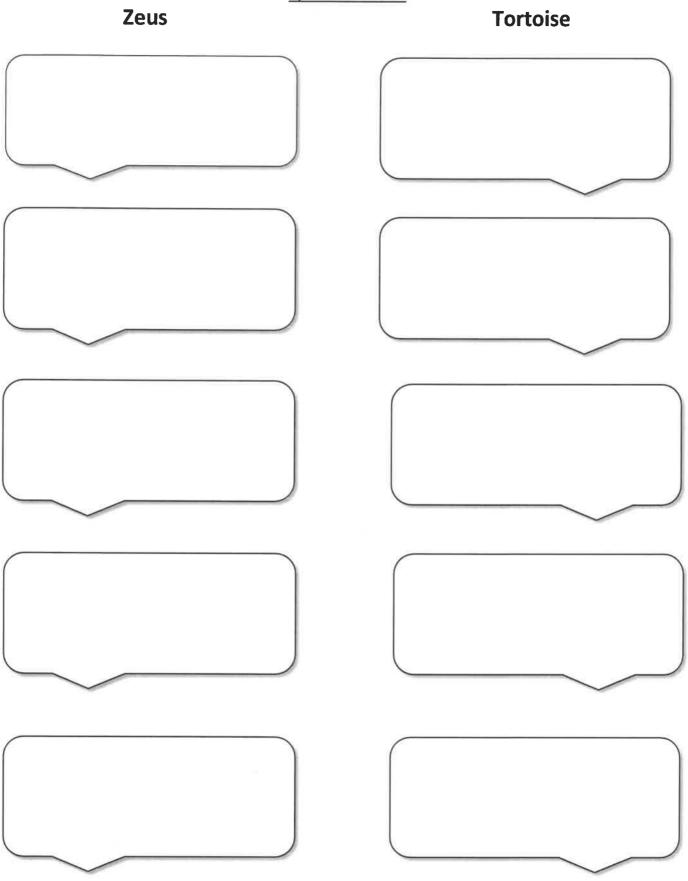
# Direct Speech



- Hug the words spoken with speech marks
- Start the speakers' words with a capital letter
- Separate the speech and reporting clause with a comma
- Start a new line to show the speaker has changed



#### **Speech Bubbles**



# **Story Plan**

How will you introduce your story?	
What will be the first event?	
What will happen next?	
What will be your final event?	
How will you round off your story?	

#### **Zeus and the Tortoise**

Write your story here.