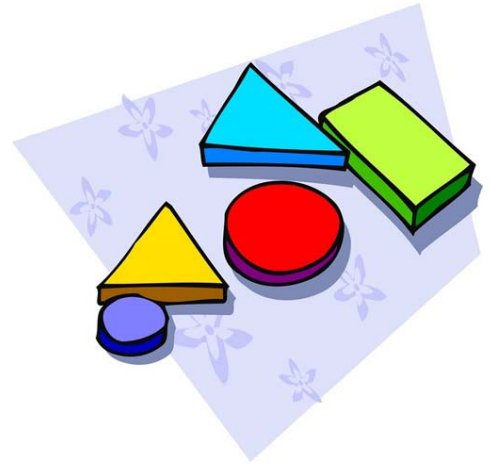


Shapes

I Spy Shape Game

Have your children say "I spy with my little eye a (shape)"

Then have your children guess what item in your house that they spy.



Household shapes

Put several different shapes objects (triangle napkins, round coasters, etc) in a box and have your children tell you what shape these common objects are.

Shape Calendar

Make a shape calendar by introducing new shapes each month. It is really simple. Put all the numbers on one shape the first month. The next month add a new shape and alternate shapes. The third month, add a third shape and have every third number be a shape.

Example: January = Triangle (all numbers), February = Circles (all numbers)

March = Hearts (all numbers), April = [shape], etc

Road Signs

Teach your children how different sign shapes mean different things

(Octagon - stop, triangle - yield, etc)

For added fun make signs and let them play with cars following road signs that you have put out.



Shape Poem

CIRCLE, CIRCLE. Never ending. Just like Mother's stack of mending.

TRIANGLE, TRIANGLE. Has three sides. In the corner she always hides.

RECTANGLE, RECTANGLE. Two short, two long. Remember this rule and you won't go wrong.

Shape Song

Sung to: "To the tune of: London Bridges"

Circles, diamonds, triangles,
triangles, triangles,
Circles, diamonds, triangles,
Hearts, squares, and rectangles.