

Lesson 2: Shapes



Activity 2 Reading

Read the text. Check your answers in the descriptions of each shape.

3D Shapes

3D (three-dimensional shapes) shapes have depth, height, and width. Some of them look like 2D (two-dimensional) shapes that you already know.

Circle

A **cone** has a circle at one end and a point at the other. A **cylinder** has circles at both ends and both circles are the same size. A **sphere** is round, and it looks like a ball. A **hemisphere** is half a sphere. It has a circle on the bottom, and it is round on top.

Square

A **cube** has six sides. Each side is a square and they are all the same size.

Triangle

A **pyramid** has a square at the bottom and four triangular sides which meet at the top.

