

ART ACTIVITIES

2 QUICK SHAPE ACTIVITIES IN KINDER



ELEMENTS OF ART UNIT

Exploring Shape

Big Ideas: Exploring

My Idea: Exploring the elements of art.

Essential Questions:

- What are the elements of art?
- What is the element of art shape?
- How can I use shape to create a work of art?

Skills:

- Explore about the elements of art.
- Explore the element of art shape.
- Create a work of art using the element of art shape.
- Use color of supplies and draw by the model.
- Be kind and thoughtful when talking to others.

Materials: (teacher-led)

- Explore about the elements of art: line, shape, color, space, texture, value, and color.
- Show that understanding of the elements of art: shape by exploring shape and color in the shape.
- Use the shape and color to represent the element of art.
- Show up after the teacher and use the supplies.

180 National Core Art Standards:

PK: Create

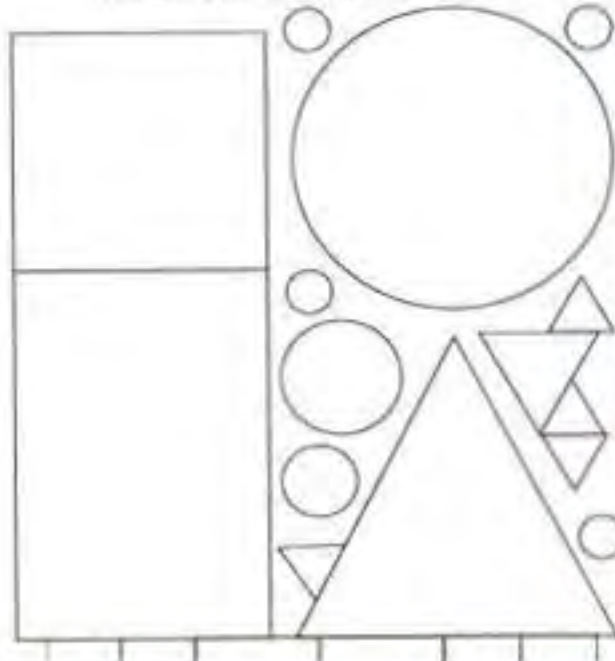
- VA-011-1-PE: VA-GS-1-PE-a - Explore to self-directed play with patterns.
- VA-011-2-PE: VA-CH-2-PE-a - Explore to self-directed, creative making.
- VA-011-3-PE: VA-KC-3-PE-a - Use a variety of connecting tools.
- VA-011-4-PE: VA-CO-4-PE-a - Share artwork with others.
- VA-011-5-PE: VA-OS-5-PE-a - Show and tell about artwork.
- VA-011-6-PE: VA-BF-6-PE-a - Interpret art by identifying and describing subject matter.

Endorsements:

- VA-011-1-PE, VA-011-2-PE, VA-011-3-PE, VA-011-4-PE, VA-011-5-PE, VA-011-6-PE - Explore the process of creating art with materials.
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SHAPE TEMPLATE

PRINT & TRACE OR PRINT ON CONSTRUCTION PAPER



EXPLORING SHAPE

HOW TO USE

Choose one of all long shape. Show the way to use.



STEP ONE: Use the shape to your like the other.

STEP TWO: Use the shape to create a work of art.



STEP THREE:

Use your shape to create a work of art. Use the shape to create a work of art. Use the shape to create a work of art.



INTRODUCTION TO SHAPE ACTIVITY PACK FOR LOWER ELEMENTARY, KINDERGARTEN

INTRODUCTION TO SHAPE



This lesson pack is geared towards lower elementary designed with kindergarteners in mind.



Perfect introduction to the element of art, shape
Perfect start of the year quick activity pack



Teacher notes, demo slides included to help you guide the project. No experience is needed!



Lesson plan, 2 activities, presentation, and more.

WHAT YOU GET

This Project Pack Includes:

- ✔ Lesson Plan, Notes (3 pages)
- ✔ Intro Presentation (8 slides)
- ✔ Shapes Template (2 pages)
- ✔ Activity Guide (1 page)
- ✔ Checklist (1 page)
- ✔ Colour, color spelling

ELEMENTS OF ART UNIT

Exploring Stage

Key Concept: Identification

Big Idea: Exploring the elements of art, shapes

Essential Questions:

- What are the elements of art?
- What are the elements of art, shapes?
- How can you use shapes to create a work of art?

I Can...

- Explain the elements of art, shapes
- Explain the element of art, shapes
- Create a work of art using the element of art, shapes
- Take care of supplies and clean up after myself
- Be kind and respectful to my table neighbors

Objectives: Students will...

- Learn about the elements of art, shapes, form, space, texture, value, and color
- Show their understanding of the element of art, shapes by exploring shapes in their own designs
- Use the shapes as a guide or inspiration for a design work of art

EXPLORING SHAPE

HOW TO GUIDE

Create works of art using shapes. Follow the steps below.



STEP ONE: Look at the shapes in your paper. What can you make using these?



STEP TWO: By combining different shapes to create objects.



STEP THREE: Use your favorite design. Write your name on the back of a sheet of paper. Flip it over and use your cat to design on another sheet of paper. Color and write a message.

ELEMENTS OF ART UNIT

Exploring Shape

Age Group: Kindergarten

Big Idea: Exploring the element of art, shape

Essential Questions:

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- What is the element of art, shape?
- How can you use shape to create a work of art?

I Can...

- Learn about the elements of art.
- Explore the element of art, shape.
- Create a work of art using the element of art, shape.
- Take care of supplies and clean up after myself.
- Be kind and thoughtful to my table neighbors.

Objectives: Students will...

- Learn about the elements of art line, shape, form, space, texture, color, and value.
- Show their understanding of the element of art, shape, by exploring shape cut outs to

- VA:Re8.1.K, VA:Re8.1.K.a - Interpret art by identifying subject matter and describing relevant details.

Grade 1

- VA:Cr1.1.1, Engage collaboratively in exploration and imaginative play with materials
- VA:Cr2.1.1, Explore uses of materials and tools to create works of art or design.
- VA:Cr2.2.1, Demonstrate safe and proper procedures for using materials, tools, and equipment while making art.
- VA:Cr3.1.1, VA:Cr3.1.1.a - Use art vocabulary to describe choices while creating art.
- VA:Re8.1.1, VA:Re8.1.1.a - Interpret art by categorizing subject matter and identifying the characteristics of form.

Australian National Standards – Content Descriptions

Foundation to Year 2

- Use and experiment with different materials, techniques, technologies and processes to make artworks [\(ACAVAM107\)](#)

Vocabulary:

- Elements of art: The building blocks of a work of art. The visual components of color, form, line, shape, space, texture, and value.
- Line: a mark that is wider than it is long.
- Shape: when lines crossed to create an enclosed space they create a shape.

LESSON PLAN, NOTES

NATIONAL US STANDARDS, SUPPLIES,
INSTRUCTIONS, 4 PAGES

Today:

- ❑ Experiment with cut shapes to create objects on your table.
- ❑ Write your name on the back of a sheet of paper.
- ❑ Turn your cut shape design into a drawing.
- ❑ Create more drawings if you finish early!
- ❑ Try drawing a shape on your neighbor's back, let them guess what the shape is.
- ❑ Draw different shapes on a sheet of paper.



ELEMENTS OF ART

What are the elements of art?

- Line
- Shape
- Color
- Value
- Form
- Space
- Texture

Shape

- Shape is created when a line touches another line to create a closed space.
- Types of shape include:

Today:

- We will experiment with shapes!
- See what objects you can create using the shapes of your table.
- After you create objects, draw a picture using one of the objects as inspiration.

Step 1:

- Look at the circles, triangles, squares, and rectangles on your table.
- What can you make?

Today:

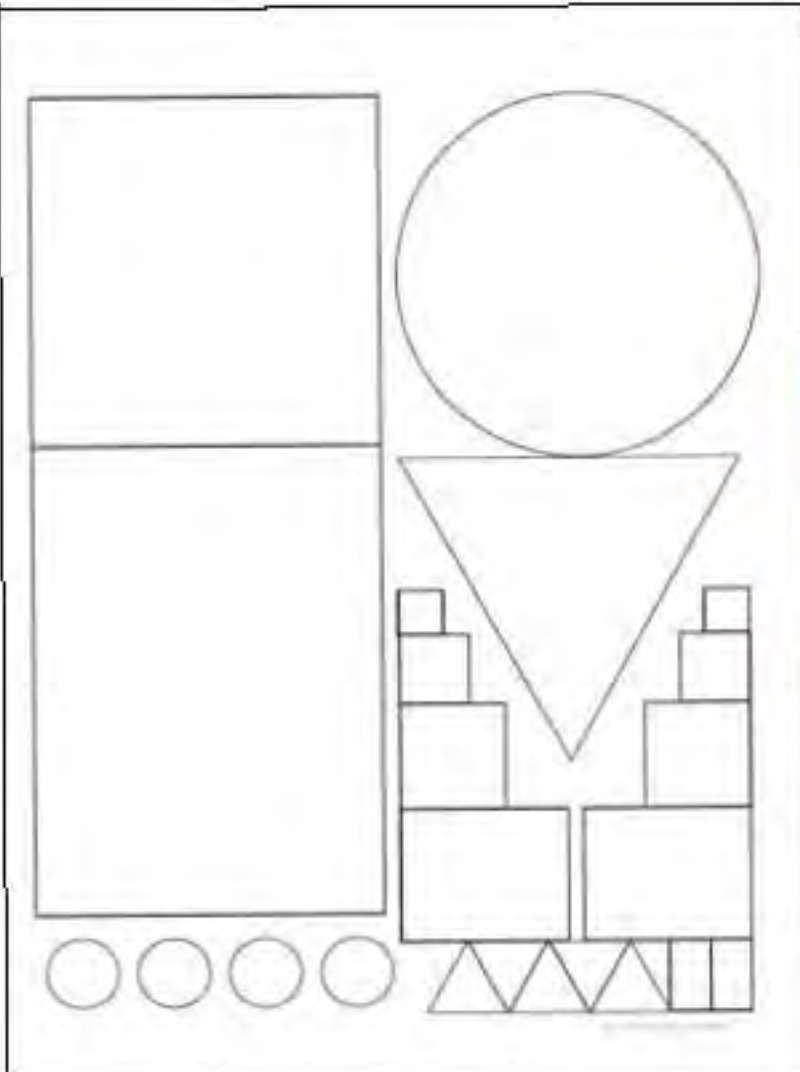
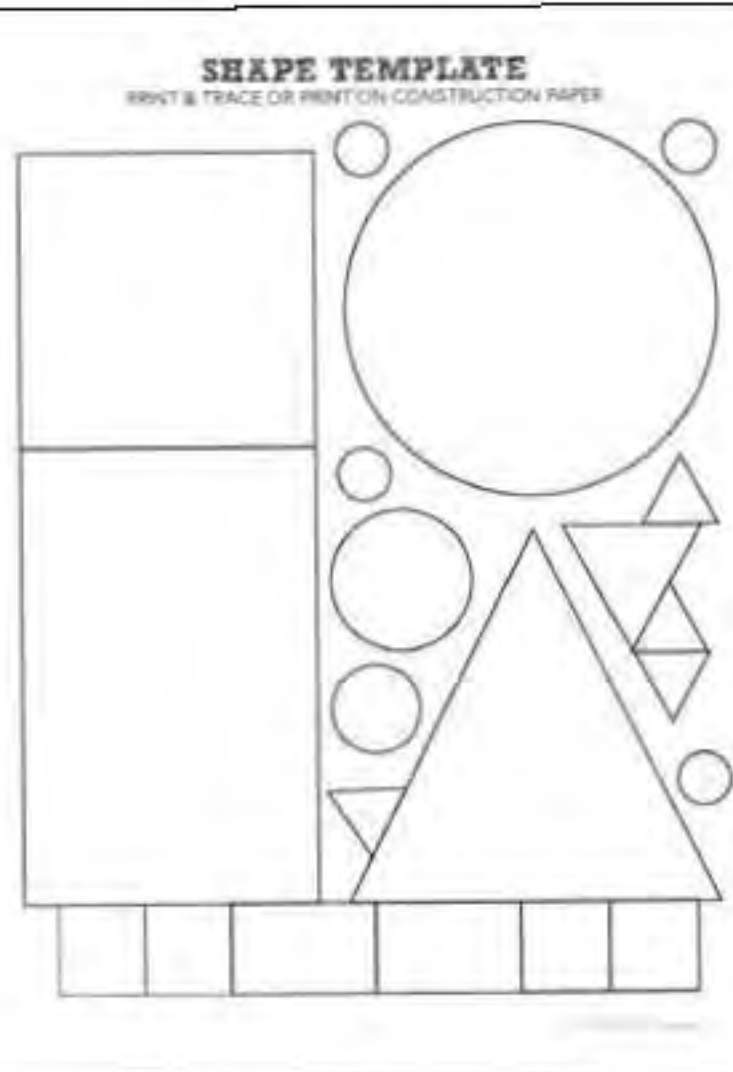
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- Draw different shapes on a sheet of paper.

Step 2:

- After experimenting with objects, give one of your designs to your neighbor to draw.

PRESENTATION

STILL IMAGES OF EXAMPLES & DEMOS, 8 SLIDES



SHAPE TEMPLATE

ACTIVITY 1: PRINT & CUT SHAPES FOR STUDENTS TO EXPERIMENT WITH

EXPLORING SHAPE

HOW TO GUIDE

Create works of art using shapes. Follow the steps below:



STEP ONE: Look at the shapes on your table top. What can you make using them?



STEP TWO: Try combining different shapes to create objects.



STEP THREE:

Pick your favorite design. Write your name on the back of a sheet of paper, flip it over, and draw your cut shape design using markers, colored pencils, or crayons.

Add extra details to your shape drawing!



ACTIVITY 2

PICK A SHAPE CREATED OBJECT TO DRAW

Name: _____

INTRODUCTION TO SHAPE ACTIVITIES CHECKLIST

- _____ Created objects using cut shapes.
- _____ Picked a shape object to draw on a sheet of paper.
- _____ Added color and details to their drawing.
- _____ Wrote their name on the back of their drawing.
- _____ Stayed on task and worked hard.
- _____ Cared for supplies and cleaned up after themselves.

CHECKLIST

KEEP TRACK OF ACTIVITY COMPLETION, 1 PAGE

BUYERS LOVE MY ART LESSONS:



This was so helpful to my students! The PowerPoint along with it was such a great resource and I will definitely be using this every year!



Fabulous resource! Students loved it!!!!
Thank you for sharing!"

CHECK OUT MORE PRODUCTS:



Check out more projects for elementary through high school students.

Grab early finishers for those quick artists or an entire curriculum so you can focus on teaching.

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LOOK BETWEEN THE LINES

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