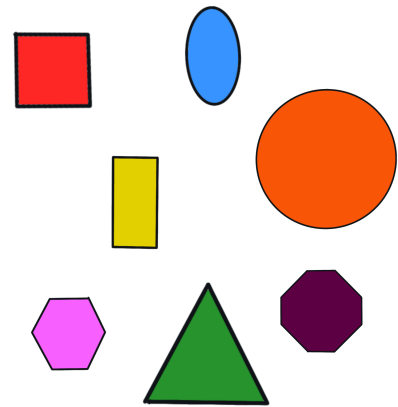


Knowing which shapes your child might be interested in can help you be on the look out for them in everyday life.

If they particularly like physical play you can encourage them to make, build or draw different shapes.

Here are a few examples.



- **Circles:**

- Eyes
- Your hand/s can make small and big circle shapes
- Pot plant containers
- Wheels.

- **Squares:**

- Windows
- Dice
- Chocolate squares
- Cakes

- **Rectangles:**

- Doors
- Microwaves
- Windows
- Books

- **Triangles:**

- Pizza slice
- Pyramid
- Your hands can make triangle shapes
- The roof of a house

- **Ovals:**

- Eggs
- Football
- Some mirrors
- Avocado

- **Hexagons (6 sides):**

- Honeycomb / Bee hive
- Bolt
- Floor tiles
- The pattern on a soccer ball

- **Octagons (8 sides):**

- Stop sign
- Floor tiles
- Jewellery
- Clock face