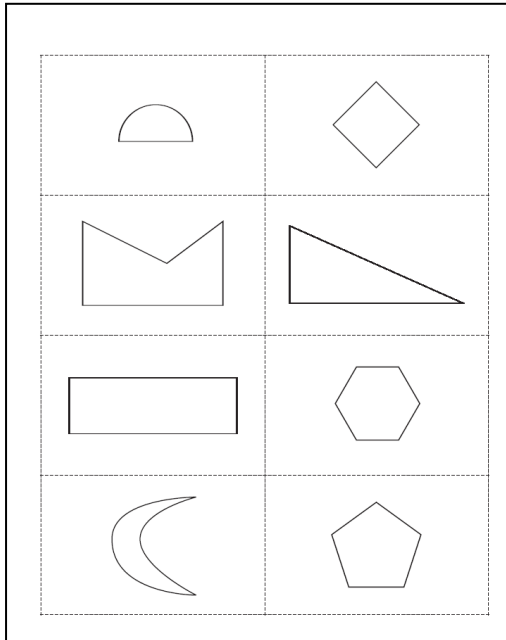


Objective: compare and classify geometric shapes

Year 4 Task: Which shape?


Use the clues to identify a shape from the grid below.

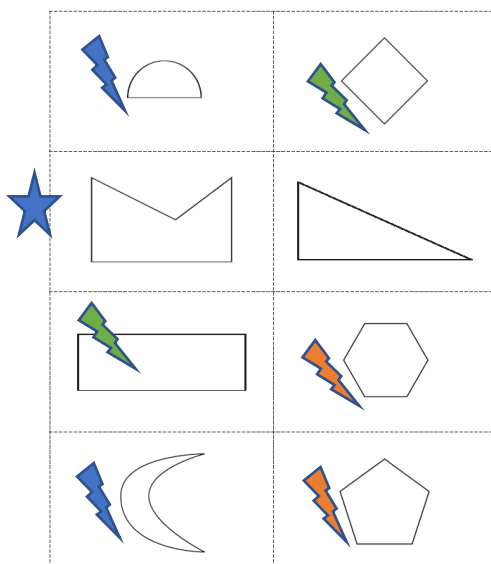







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I have at least one right angle	I have fewer than six vertices
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My sides are not all the same length	I am not a regular polygon

(from Talk it Solve It, Year 4)

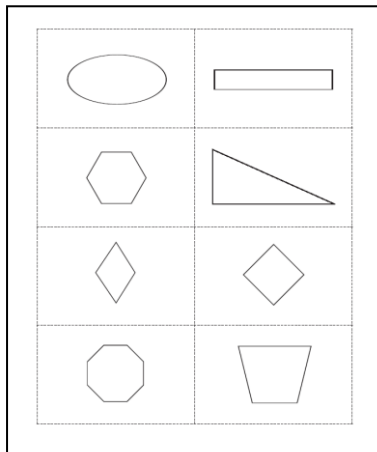
Worked example

 = answer



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Variation

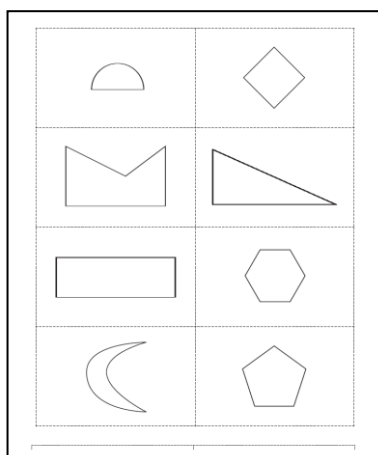


I am not a regular polygon	I have more than two sides
I have no right angles	I have fewer than six vertices
I have exactly one line of symmetry	I have a pair of parallel sides
I have no curved sides	My sides are not all the same length

Variation

Work with a partner. Choose a shape – don't tell your partner.

Your partner uses the questions to try and work out which shape you have chosen.



Is it a regular polygon?	Has it got more than ... sides?
Are all its sides the same length?	Has it got at least one right angle?
Has it got fewer than ... vertices?	Has it got one or more curved sides?
Has it got one or more pairs of parallel sides?	Has it got one or more straight sides?