

Objective: Use the vocabulary of parallel, perpendicular, horizontal and vertical lines to describe and classify 2-D shapes

Year 3 Task: Shape Hunt



Look at the photos above.

Can you label examples of parallel, perpendicular, horizontal and vertical lines on the photos?

What patterns do you notice?

Look all around you, both inside and outside....

Find four examples of **parallel** lines

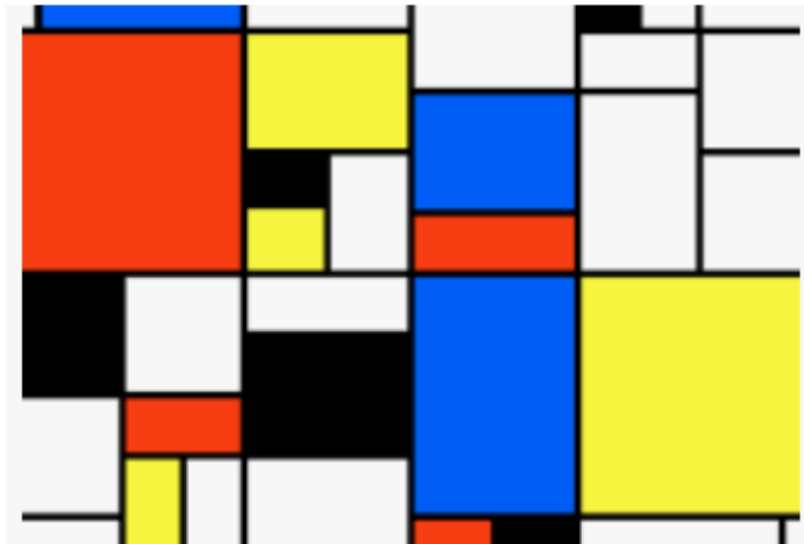
Find four examples of **perpendicular** lines

Find four examples of **horizontal** lines

Find four examples of **vertical** lines

*If you can't remember the definition of **parallel**, **perpendicular**, **horizontal** or **vertical** lines you could look them up in a dictionary.*

Variation



Look at the Mondrian painting above. How many examples of parallel, perpendicular, horizontal and vertical lines can you find?

How could you convince someone else that you have found them all?