

DESCRIBING OBJECTS

ONE DIMENSIONAL SHAPES

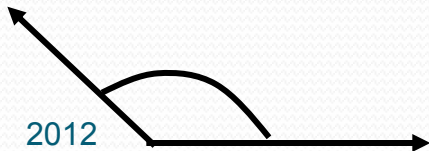
● a point

 a straight line

 a curved line

 an angle

 a cute angle

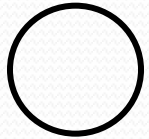
 an obtuse angle

 parallel lines

 a vertical line

 a horizontal line

TWO DIMENSIONAL SHAPES



a circle



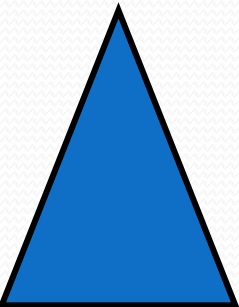
a semi circle



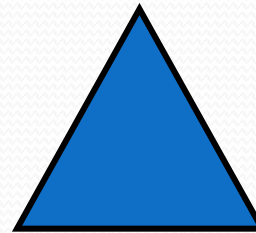
a square



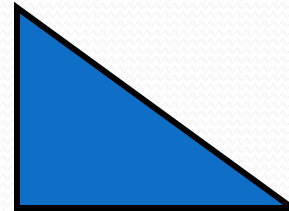
a rectangle



an equilateral triangle



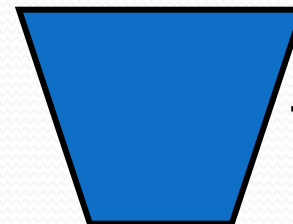
an isosceles triangle



a right triangle



a parallelogram

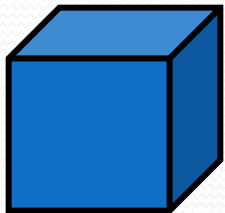


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THREE DIMENSIONAL SHAPES

a sphere

a hemisphere



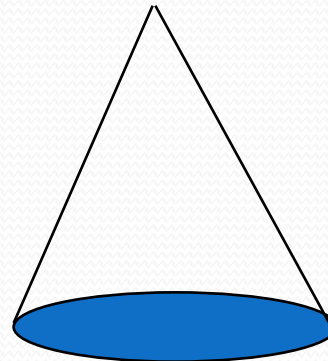
a cube



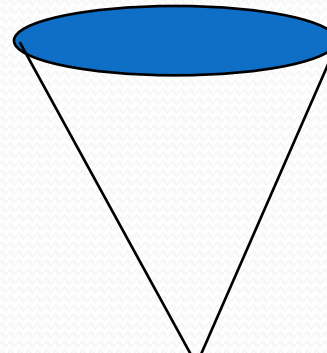
a rectangular prism / block



a cylinder



an upright cone



an inverted cone

Words Related to Dimensions

ADJECTIVES

- Long
- Wide
- High
- Volume
- Thick
- Deep

NOUNS

- Length
- Width
- Height
- Volume
- Thickness
- Depth

However the use of these words is different. The patterns below are usually used to explain the dimension of an object.

HOW TO DESCRIBE?

I. Subject + Have/Has + Nouns + of + the Measurement

Example: This cube has a length of 2 cm.

II. Subject + to be + the Measurement + Adjective

Example: The ruler is 1 km long.

III. Noun + of + Subject + to be + the Measurement

Example: The average width of that yard is about 6,5 m.

IV. Subject + to be + the Measurement + in + Noun

Example: Ali motorcycle is 1,5 meter in height.

V. Subject + to be + the Measurement + Adjective

Example: The highest mountain in the world is 8880 m high.



There are three ways of writing dimension if we use pattern I:

1. A is a block **which has** a height of 5 cm, a length of 10 cm, and a width of 7 cm.

2. A is a block **having** a height of 5 cm, a length of 10 cm, and a width of 7 cm.

3. A is a block of height 5 cm, length 10 cm, and width 7 cm.

EXERCISES

Find 5 objects and describe it with your own words.
Then find a partner, ask your partner to guess your objects!

Write a short paragraph (half A4) describing one of your dream car, including its shape, length, height, color, etc.

Write a short paragraph (half A4) describing the dimension of your bedroom, including its shape, length, height, color, etc.