

SHAPE SORTING PRESENTS



96-Piece set includes:

- 90 Shape Sorting Cards
- 6 Shape Sorting Presents

 **WARNING:**
CHOKING HAZARD - Small parts.
Not for children under 3 years.

RISQUE D'ÉTOUFFEMENT. Petites pièces.
Ne pas assembler en dessous de 3 ans.
ERSTKUNDBEFÄHR. Kleine Teile.
Nicht geeignet für Kinder unter 3 Jahren.
PELIGRO DE ASPIRACIÓN. Pequeñas piezas.
No se recomienda para menores de 3 años.

Suggested Activities

- **Sorting**—Set up all the boxes with the lids on and have children sort the shape cards into the correct boxes. When children have sorted all the cards, empty the boxes one at a time. Children can self-check their answers by looking at the shapes on the backs of the cards.
- **Pick a Card**—Put the shape cards in a pile. Have children pick out one card at a time, name the shape, and place it in the correct box. Take turns picking cards and placing them in the correct boxes.
- **Sort, Match, and Classify**—Place the shape cards, face up, on a table. Have children sort the cards into groups of the same shape. Discuss the attributes of the shapes such as straight sides, corners, curved sides, and so on. Then, set the shape boxes on the table and have children put the shape cards into the correct shape boxes.
- **Shape Hunting**—Give a child one shape box with a lid. Have the child find something in the classroom that is the same shape and can fit in the box. Bring the box back to the rest of the class and have them guess what is in the box. Repeat this activity for all the shape boxes.
- **Can You Guess?**—Place all the cards of one shape into the matching box. Reach into the box and pull out a card; do not let children see the card. Give clues to the object's identity. For example, if you have the clock card, you could say, "It is shaped like a circle. We have one in our classroom. It has numbers on it. We use it to tell time." Repeat this activity for all the shape cards.

Intervention Strategies

- **Make It Simple**—If sorting into all six shape boxes is too difficult for your child, reduce the number of boxes. You can also reduce the number of cards to sort.
- **Shape Walk**—To further emphasize shapes in the "real world," have children go on a "shape walk" either in the classroom, school, or neighborhood. Give each child a box or a card to hold while walking. Encourage them to find a real-world shape that matches. As you walk with the children, ask them to point out and name different shapes they see. You could also take pictures of the objects and print them to make a shape book.
- **Same and Different**—Set out three cards of the same shape and one card of a different shape. Ask children to figure out which ones are the same and which one is different. Repeat this activity using different cards.
- **Shape Collage**—Have children cut out pictures from magazines that show different shapes. Then, glue these pictures onto a piece of paper to make a shape collage.



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