

## Spelling list: Sneaky shape and space

10 key maths words on shape and space.

parallel	A trapezoid or trapezium is a type of quadrilateral with at least one pair of <b>parallel</b> sides.
isosceles	<b>Isosceles</b> literally means equal legged and <b>isosceles</b> triangles have two sides the same length.
alternate	If you spot a z shape on a pair of parallel lines, then you will be able to find a pair of <b>alternate</b> angles, which are equal.
corresponding	<b>Corresponding</b> angles are equal and we can spot the matching angles by looking for an f shape on parallel lines.
angles	Please do not confuse <b>angles</b> , which are measured in degrees, with shining beings with halos and wings.
symmetry	Butterflies are a beautiful example of <b>symmetry</b> in nature.
obtuse	An <b>obtuse</b> angle is more than 90 degrees, but less than 180 degrees.
circumference	The <b>circumference</b> of a circle is the distance round the outside.
quadrilateral	The only regular <b>quadrilateral</b> is a square, because all of its angles are the same and the four sides are equal lengths.
perpendicular	A <b>perpendicular</b> bisector is a line that cuts another in half, crossing it at right angles.