



Family Note It is helpful to be able to recognize and identify a variety of shapes. Ask your child questions about an item's shape when the opportunity arises and the timing seems appropriate. By taking note of the shapes all around, you help your child build awareness of geometry concepts and vocabulary.

Play *I Spy* with someone. Pick an object that you can see. Give a clue about the shape of the object. The other person guesses which object you are describing. Begin with easy clues and then give some harder ones.

Examples:

- "I spy something that is round."
- "I spy something that is round and has two hands."
- "I spy something that is a rectangle and has rectangular buttons."

Take turns trying to stump each other.

