

## **Homework Activities**

We have been learning about colours and shapes this week.

- Some children are having difficulty identifying grey, brown and black. Perhaps you can play I-Spy with colours instead of letters this week?
- We have been looking at the four common shapes – circle, triangle, square and oblong. Lots of our children identify an oblong as a rectangle (thanks to CBeebies!!), but in school we always refer to it as an oblong, with two long sides and two short sides. (The explanation in geometry is that a rectangle is a quadrilateral with four right angles – so, a square is also a rectangle!)
- During the holiday you could go on a shape hunt at home or in the local environment. How many of these four basic shapes can you find and what are they? (A clock is a circle/bunting is made up of triangles etc).