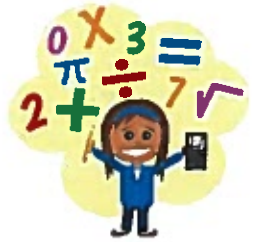




## Math Reads – Book Review



Title: I Spy Shapes In Art

Grade: 3 Author: Lucy Micklethwait

Topic(s): Shapes + Problem-solving

Standard(s): Geometry

Mathematical Practice(s): \* Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them. \* Attend to precision

Vocabulary:

parallelogram  
quadrilateral  
rectangle

rhombus  
square  
trapezoid

Examine the Lesson Ideas: Determine + “pluses” – ideas to keep/ideas you like and determine  $\Delta$  “deltas” – ideas to change/ideas you do not like

| +  | $\Delta$   |
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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Find shapes in a painting...</li> <li>• Create a geometric masterpiece</li> <li>• Home Connections</li> </ul> | <p>→ I would introduce all of the vocabulary of geometry and have students find those shapes as well, telling why they believe/know that those shapes are present.</p> |

Summary:

This is a great selection to use for the introduction of geometric shapes and with cross-curricular connections to art.