

Rectangle or not?

This task is about identifying whether shapes are rectangles and what makes them rectangles. Some children are talking about whether some shapes are rectangles or not.



a) Maraëa says this is **not** a rectangle.
What do you think?

It **is** a rectangle.

It's **not** a rectangle.

Explain why you think this.

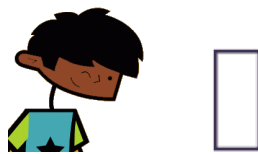


b) Tania says this **is** a rectangle.
What do you think?

It is a rectangle.

It's **not** a rectangle.

Explain why you think this.

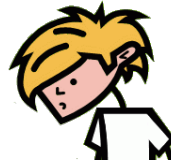
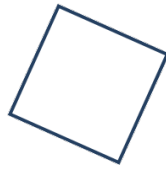


c) Finau says this **is** a rectangle.
What do you think?

It **is** a rectangle.

It's **not** a rectangle.

Explain why you think this.



d) David says this **is** a rectangle.
What do you think?

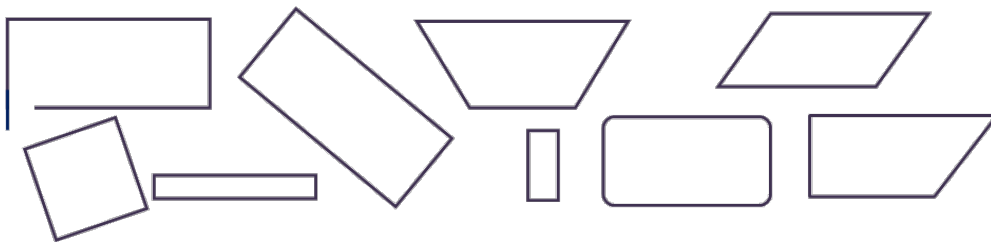
It **is** a rectangle.

It's **not** a rectangle.

Explain why you think this.

e) Select all the shapes that are rectangles.

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f) Describe how you know if a shape is a rectangle.