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## School Closure Home Learning

### Year 3 Daily Tasks

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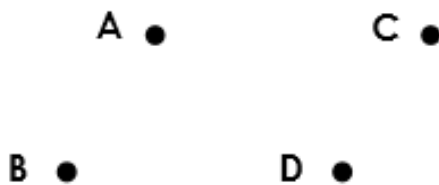
### Maths

Parallel: Straight lines that will never meet. They are always the same distance apart.

Perpendicular: 2 lines that meet at a right-angle.

For more information see: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zb6tyrd/articles/zp327hv>

1. Holly joins dots A to B and C to D. Will her lines be parallel, perpendicular or neither?



2. Complete the sentences below:



Line 1 is perpendicular to line \_\_\_\_\_.  
Line 2 is \_\_\_\_\_  
to line 1.



Line 1 is \_\_\_\_\_ to  
line 2.

Line 3 is parallel to line \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Identify a set of **parallel** lines in these shapes.

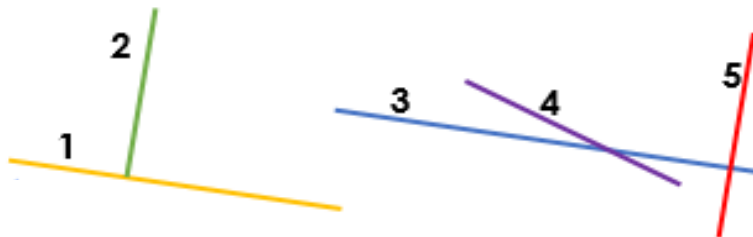


Identify a set of **perpendicular** lines in these shapes.



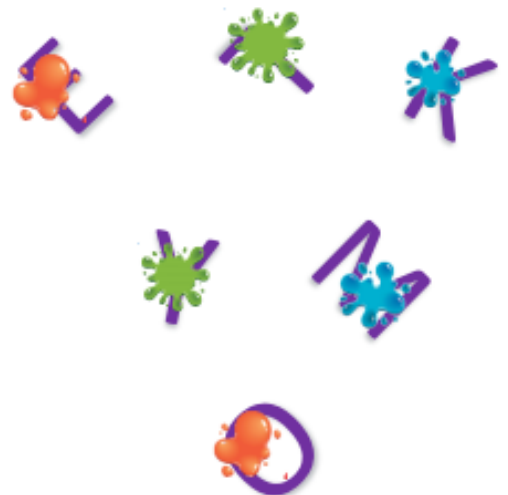
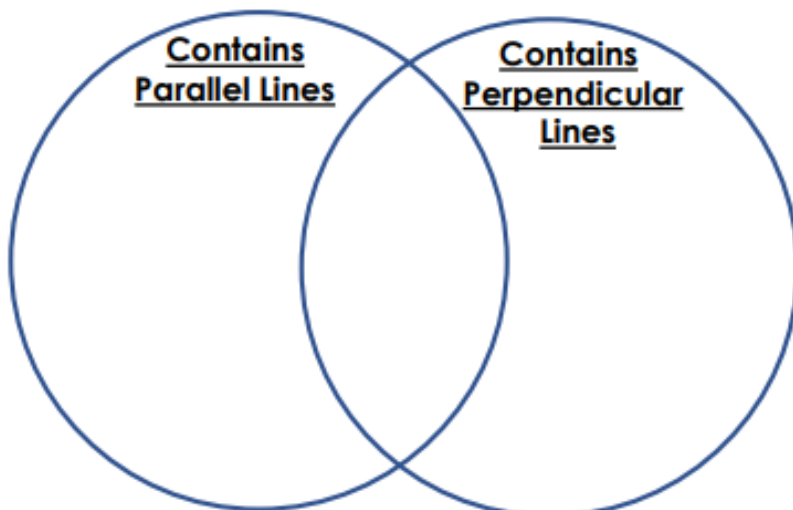
4. Complete the table considering parallel, perpendicular and neither.

	Relationship	
Line 3		Line 5
Line 1		Line 3
Line 2	Parallel	



Bonus Challenge:

Sort the capital letters into the Venn diagram below.



# English

## Poetry

Our teacher said that it's always good  
to have an inquiring mind,  
then she told us, 'Go check the aisles,  
let's see what items we can find.'

The bangles on her arm were jingling  
as she pushed cat food out of the way  
'Identify what you see,' she called  
'Note it down in your book straight away.'

It was just as she spoke when we smelt it...

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None of us moved to help her  
as she wiped the gunge from her head.  
We looked at each other and smirked.  
'That'll teach *her* a lesson,' we said!

You may have noticed that this poem starts and finishes in a very similar way to 'A Sea Creature Ate our Teacher'. However, this poem takes place in a supermarket and there is a big piece of the poem missing. Your task today is to come up with some verses to put in the middle of the poem.

You don't need to write a lot of verses; the main aim of this task is for you to try and write in the same style as the poem.

You may want to use 'A Sea Creature Ate our Teacher' (attached on the next page) and your ideas for a monster to help structure your verses.

## A Sea Creature Ate our Teacher

Brian Moses

Our teacher said that it's always good  
to have an inquisitive mind,  
then he told us, 'Go check the rock pools,  
let's see what the tide's left behind.'

The muscles on his arm were bulging  
as he pushed rocks out of the way  
'Identify what you see,' he called  
'Note it down in your book straight away.'

It was just as he spoke when we smelt it,  
A stench, like something rotten,  
A wobbling mass of wet black skin  
Like something time had forgotten.

In front of us, snaking up from the pool,  
was a hideous slime-soaked creature  
with a huge black hole of a mouth  
that vacuumed up our teacher.

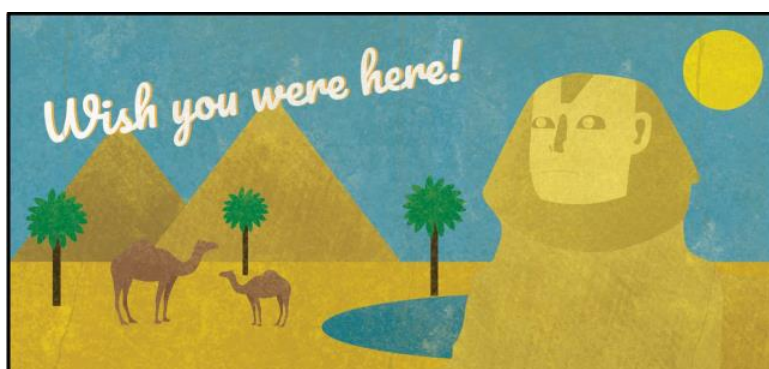
I didn't actually see him go,  
I was looking away at the time,  
but I saw two legs sticking out  
and trainers covered in slime.

But our teacher must have given this creature  
such chronic indigestion.  
It found out soon that to try and digest him  
was simply out of the question.

It gave an almighty lunge of its neck  
and spat our teacher out.  
He was spread with the most revolting goo  
and staggering about.

None of us moved to help him  
as he wiped the gunge from his head.  
We looked at each other and smirked.  
'That'll teach *him* a lesson,' we said!

## Reading



Have you ever wondered how the pharaohs lived? Have you ever wanted to explore what their life was like all those thousands of years ago? Well, now is your chance to experience a thrilling trip of a lifetime to Egypt. This country, which is situated on the edge of Africa, is sure to provide you with a calming, cultural and creative holiday. You would be mad to miss it!

As soon as you touch down at the airport, the heat of the Egyptian sun will strike you. Then, following an exciting journey through the hustle and bustle of the city streets, you can be immersed in the dazzling world of imagination, pleasure and luxury of a 5 star hotel. The Premier Le Ray resort is an aquatic wonderland by the sea. Offering stunning views, this hotel is sure to provide relaxation and thrills for all members of the family. From the relaxing spa to the award-winning restaurants and must-visit outdoor pool, this is one of Egypt's luxury resorts that never ceases to amaze the senses.

Undoubtedly, there are many amazing new activities you can experience. For instance, you have the opportunity to dip your toes into the Red Sea. Once there, expect white beaches that stretch out like party streamers, some of the world's best scuba diving sites and every watersport (water skiing, sailing and wind surfing) you can think of. You could have all you ever wished for right at the end of your fingertips (or toes!).

Under the surface of the crystal-clear water, the sheer number of colourful marine life and corals is what makes this place extraordinary. Divers and snorkelers can experience an impressive spectrum of invertebrates, ranging from over 200 different types of hard and soft corals, to crustaceans, sponges and hundreds of spectacular fish species. You are guaranteed to be blown away by the wonders of the sea! What are you waiting for?

On the other hand, you may be more interested in the history of this fantastic country. Are you a history enthusiast, wanting to retrace the footsteps of the ancient pharaohs and ancient gods? Do not worry because you are not alone! Cairo's Egyptian Museum, where you can see Tutankhamun's death mask and the mummified remains of ancient kings, is an absolute must to experience the history of this fascinating country.

In addition, just outside the city, you can stand in the shadow of the Great Pyramid and the Sphinx. Meanwhile in Luxor (south of Cairo along the River Nile) you can explore the Valley of the Kings and the Temple of Karnak, which is the largest ancient religious site in the world.

Egypt is a country of many wonders. Whether you are a sun worshipper, a water sports enthusiast or a history buff, there is something here for you. Come and experience all that this amazing place has to offer. You will not be disappointed!

1. Find and copy the phrase which suggests that the city streets are busy.
2. Find and copy two adjectives that the author uses to persuade the reader to visit the places in the text.
3. You are guaranteed to be blown away by the wonders of the sea.' Explain what the author means by this phrase.
4. For each of the following statements, tick the correct box to show whether it is a fact or an opinion.

Statement	Fact	Opinion
The sheer number of colourful marine life and corals is what makes this place extraordinary.		
Egypt is situated on the edge of Africa.		
Egypt is a country of many wonders.		
There are white beaches in Egypt		

5. Do you think that the author has been successful in making the reader want to go on holiday to Egypt? Explain your answer.