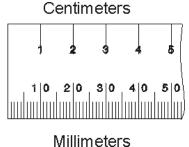


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Measuring Task 1

In Graphic Communication we measure using the unit of **millimetres** (mm). You may be used to measuring already in units of centimetres (cm). There are **10 mm in 1 cm**.

Here are some lines for you to measure their **length.**

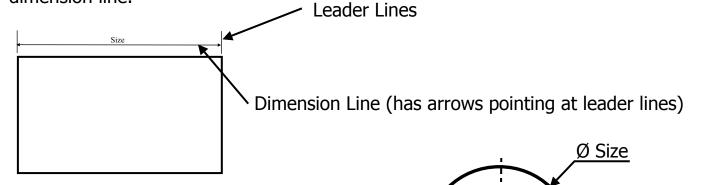


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Dimensioning

When adding sizes to a drawing this is called **dimensioning** (adding dimensions). There are 3 parts to this; adding Leader lines, adding a dimension line, and putting the dimension in the correct place.

- Leader lines and the dimension line show what is being measured.
- The dimension (size) is written on top of the line, above the centre of the dimension line.



Circles are dimensioned with a **diameter**.

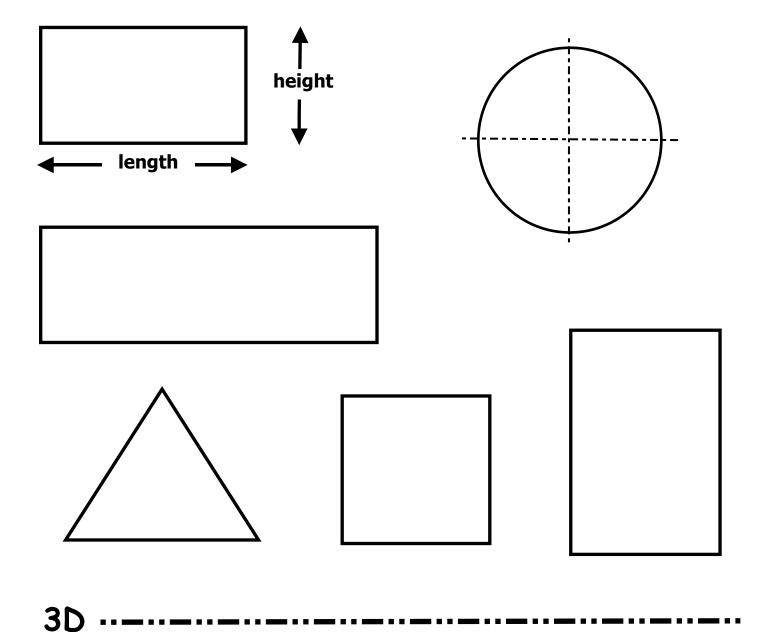
The symbol for diameter is \emptyset .

The diameter is the distance across the circle, through the center.

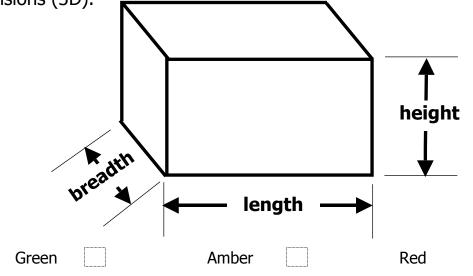
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Measuring Task 2 ··-··-·

Now here are some 2-dimensional-shapes for you to measure. You can measure their **length**, **height** and, **diameter**.



By adding the **breadth** (thickness) we make the shape change from 2-dimensions (2D) to 3-dimensions (3D).



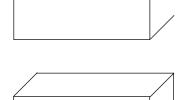
Oblique Sketching

When drawing an object in **oblique** view we start by constructing a flat, 2-dimensional view first.

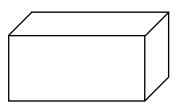
The next step is to draw a sloping line at an angle of 45° (half of a right-angle) from the corners of the shape.

These lines will represent the depth of the object being drawn and are all the same length.

To complete the box add **parallel** lines to join the corners.

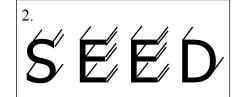


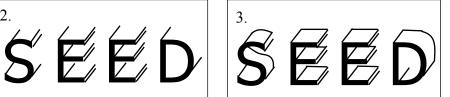
Remember to keep your lines **nice and light** at first (construction lines). When you are happy with your drawing you can **outline** your work to **define** it.

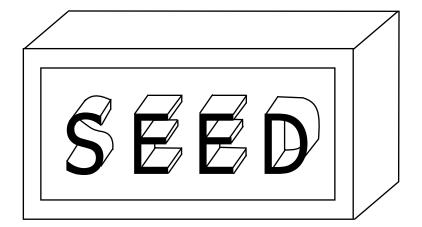


Practise sketching different shapes and letters using the oblique technique. You could design a box of bird feed or design your own name plate. Remember to keep all the depth lines going in the **same direction** and at an angle of 45°.







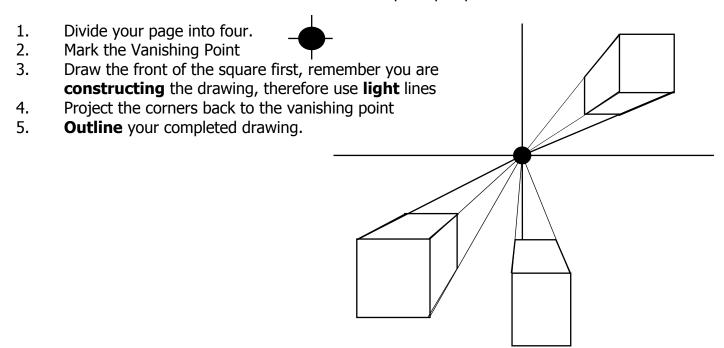


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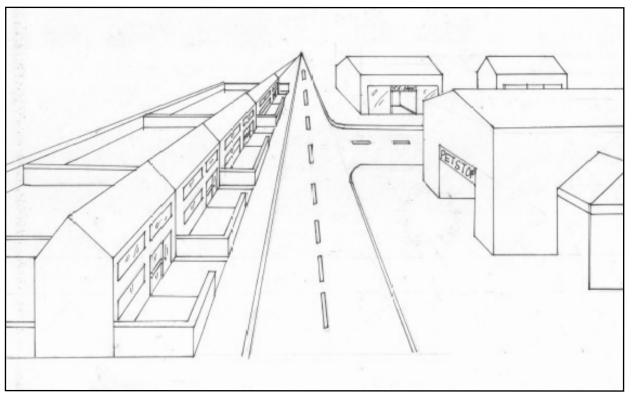
One Point Perspective

Drawing in **perspective** gives the illusion of objects that are near to you looking bigger and those that are further away looking smaller.

Follow the instructions below in order to **sketch** one point perspective boxes.



After **constructing** the boxes successfully, you can now try something more complex such as a high street. Your teacher will demonstrate how to do this. When confident you can **personalise** your street with other objects such as lamp posts, paths and garden objects etc.



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Two Point Perspective

Two point perspective differs from **one point**, in that **2 vanishing points** are used. A **leading edge** is also drawn to give the exact **height** of your drawing. All other sizes are **estimated**.

- 1. Draw in a **horizon line** (eye level) in the centre of the page.
- 2. Mark on **vanishing points** (vp1 & vp2)
- 3. Sketch the **leading edge** of the box
- 4. Project the upper and lower ends of the **leading edge** to the **vanishing points**
- 5. Estimate the **length** and **breadths** of the two sides and place these on vertically

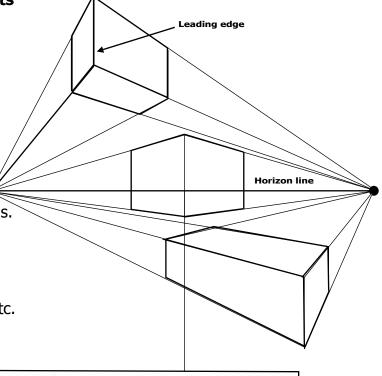
6. Project these to the **vanishing points**

7. **Outline** when complete

After **constructing** the boxes successfully, you can now try something more **complex** such as a high street where you could buy a bird feeder.

Your teacher will demonstrate how to do this.

When confident you can **personalise** your street with other objects such as lamp posts, shop graphics, road markings etc.

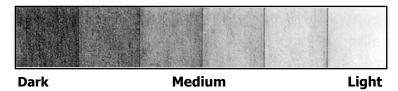




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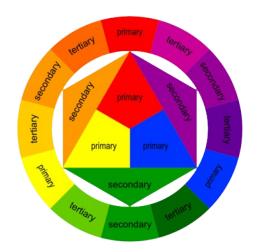
Rendering

In Graphic Communication we **add colour** to show the **effects of light, shade and texture**. We call this **rendering**. The **tonal scale** is a useful tool to give drawings a **realistic** appearance. The tonal scale represents different **degrees** of **light** and **shade** falling onto a solid object.



The Colour Wheel

There are three types of colour on the colour wheel; Primary, Secondary, Tertiary.



Task

Trace the words below and use the correct colours to **render** them.



Secondary

Terdiary

Green Amber Red

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SELF ASSESSMENT SHEET

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