

Diagonals in quadrilaterals – instructions

- Draw a rectangle on dotted paper. Write its name in your maths book.
- Draw both diagonals.
- Look to see if the diagonals bisect each other evenly. Write whether they do or not.
- Look to see at what angle the diagonals bisect each other. If necessary use a protractor to check. Write this information.
- Cut along both diagonals. What are the four shapes? Stick these in your book under the name of the shape.
- Repeat for other quadrilaterals: parallelogram, rhombus, trapezium, kite and square.