



# Ready, Set, Learn- Shapes & Colors

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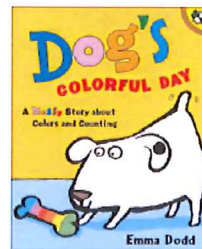
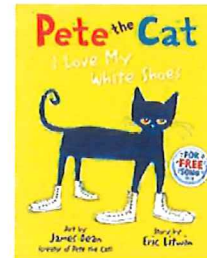
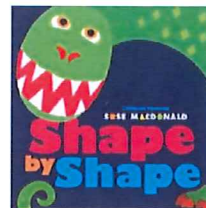
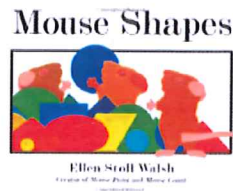
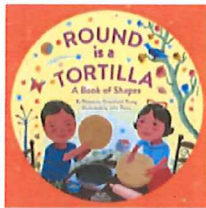
A list of favorite books & apps  
LPLS Passport to Kindergarten  
Shapes & Colors Handouts



# Favorite Books and Apps about Shapes & Colors

## Books:

- *Round is a Tortilla: A Book About Shapes* by Roseanne Thong
- *Mouse Shapes* by Ellen Stoll Walsh
- *Shape by Shape* by Suse MacDonald
- *Pete the Cat: I Love My White Shoes* by Eric Litwin
- *Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?* by Bill Martin Jr.
- *Dog's Colorful Day* by Emma Dodd



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## Apps:

- Highlights Shapes Apps [FREE - available for Apple/Android]
- Busy Shapes and Colors [FREE - available for Apple/Android]
- Peep Ciencias: Colores [FREE - available for Apple/Android]
- Shapes & Puzzles by Pirate Trio [\$2.99 - available for Apple]



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In addition to these materials, the Lorain Public Library System has related early learning activity backpacks and Launchpad tablets available for checkout. Please call your local LPLS branch library with any questions.

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# PASSPORT TO KINDERGARTEN



The purpose of this checklist is to help caregivers with toddlers and preschoolers identify the skills, knowledge and behaviors that will help their child be prepared for that special day – going to kindergarten. These skills will be learned over several years and it's okay if your child has not mastered each one. Feel free to cross out any items that are not applicable to your child.

## FUN AT THE LIBRARY

- ┘ I visited the library and checked out my first book
- ┘ I got my very own library card
- ┘ I attended a library program or story time
- ┘ I signed up for the Imagination Library at <https://ohioimaginationlibrary.org/enroll>

## I LOVE TO READ, TALK AND SING

- ┘ I like to listen to and read stories
- ┘ I know how to hold a book
- ┘ I point out details
- ┘ I ask and answer questions
- ┘ I can speak in four- to six-word sentences
- ┘ I communicate clearly enough to be understood by most people
- ┘ I make predictions about what will happen next
- ┘ I understand who, what, why and where questions
- ┘ I invent and tell stories using full sentences
- ┘ I know the difference between real and make-believe
- ┘ I take turns when speaking with others
- ┘ I understand and talk about today, yesterday, tomorrow, after lunch, day and night
- ┘ I enjoy singing songs

## I CAN WRITE

- ┘ I can color and scribble
- ┘ I use a 3-point finger grip to hold a pencil or crayon
- ┘ I can cut with scissors on my own
- ┘ I can glue on my own
- ┘ I trace lines and draw basic shapes

## I KNOW MY ABCS, RHYMES AND MORE

- ┘ I can say the alphabet
- ┘ I can identify and read letters
- ┘ I know what sound each letter makes
- ┘ I can recognize rhymes
- ┘ I can recognize the beginning sounds of some words
- ┘ I recognize the print that I see in my everyday life (such as stop signs and logos for popular businesses)
- ┘ I understand and correctly use positional words (such as inside, outside, up, down, over and under)

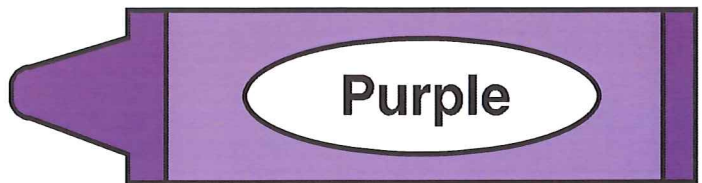
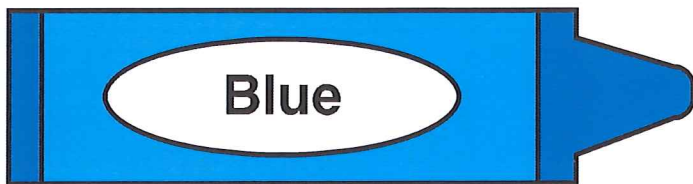
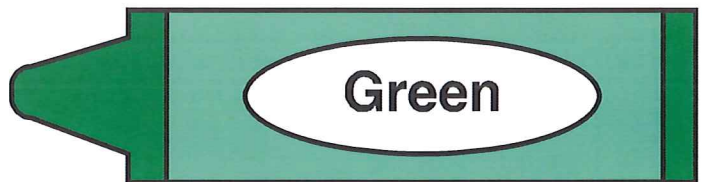
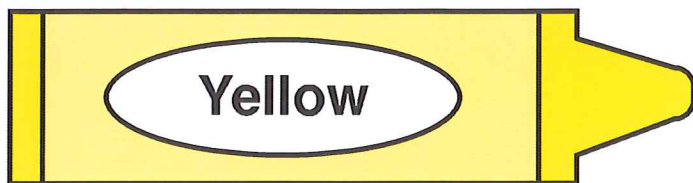
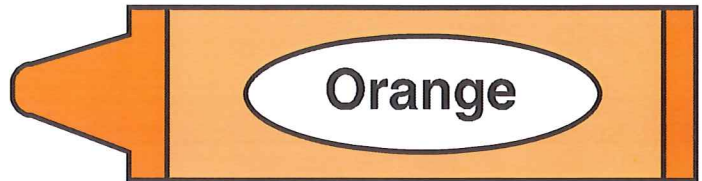
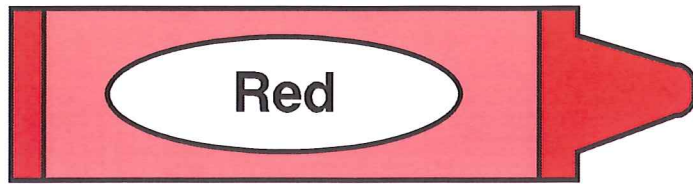
## I KNOW MY NUMBERS AND SHAPES

- ┘ I know basic shapes (arch, triangle, circle, square, rectangle)
- ┘ I can name and identify colors
- ┘ I can count from 0 to 20
- ┘ I can identify and read numbers 0 to 10
- ┘ I can sort objects by color, shape and size
- ┘ I can measure and compare the height of objects
- ┘ I can arrange objects from shortest to longest (such as shoe sizes or different lengths of yarn)
- ┘ I can recognize and repeat patterns (such as triangle, square, triangle, square)



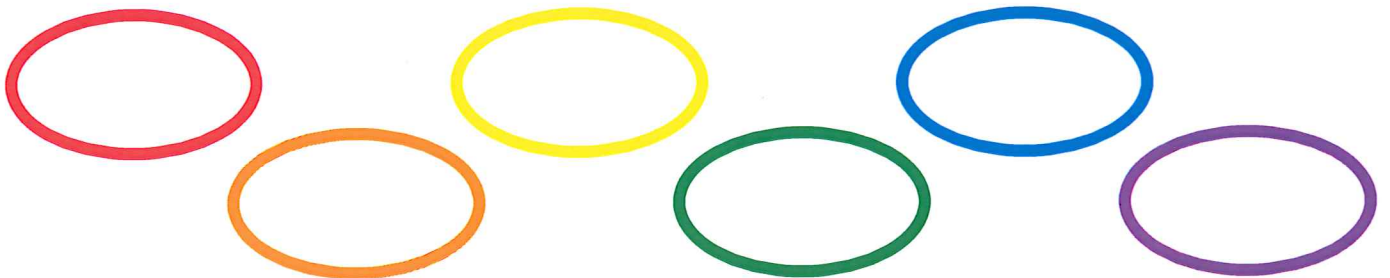
Place your crayons over the pictures to match the colors.

# Crayon Match!



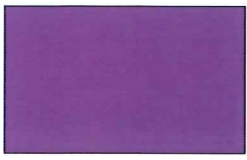
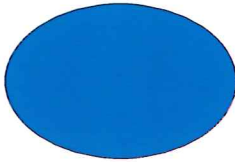
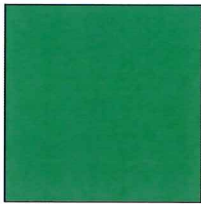
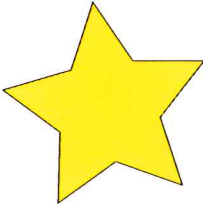
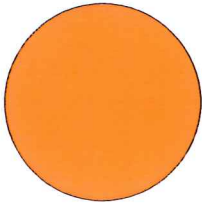
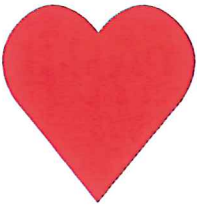
Use your crayons to color the OVAL shapes the right color.

# Color the Shapes!



Color each shape with the matching colors.

Shape & Color Match!



Trace the colored line through the matching colored shapes.

# Color & Shape Maze!

