## **Properties of Shape** - Year 5

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Key Vocabulary
angle right
angle acute
obtuse
reflex
protractor
horizontal
vertical
parallel
perpendicular
polygon
regular
irregular
two-dimensional
three-dimensional
flat face
curved surface
edge
curved edge
vertex
apex

## **Regular and Irregular Polygons**



A polygon is any two-dimensional shape formed with straight lines.

In a regular polygon, all the sides and angles are equal. In an irregular polygon, the sides and angles are not equal.

Cube models can be drawn

using different elevations.

Plan

Front Elevation

Front Elevation

as 2D representations

Side Elevation

Plan

Side Elevation

### **Representations**

A shape net is a 2D drawing of an unfolded 3D shape. When you are drawing or reasoning about shape nets, think carefully about where the edges of the faces meet.



Shape net of a tetrahedron.

## Properties of 3D Shapes

Name	Surfaces		Edges		Vertices	Picture
	Flat	Curved	Flat	Curved	vertices	Picture
sphere	0	1	0	0	0	
cube	6	0	12	0	8	
cuboid	6	0	12	0	8	
cone	1	1	0	1	0	$\bigtriangledown$
cylinder	2	1	0	2	0	
square-based pyramid	5	0	8	0	5	
tetrahedron	4	0	6	0	4	
triangular prism	5	0	9	0	6	
pentagonal prism	7	0	15	0	10	
hexagonal prism	8	0	18	0	12	
octagonal prism	10	0	24	0	16	
octahedron	8	0	12	0	6	$\diamond$

A cone has an apex. This is because a vertex is the point where two straight edges meet and a cone has no straight edges.

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