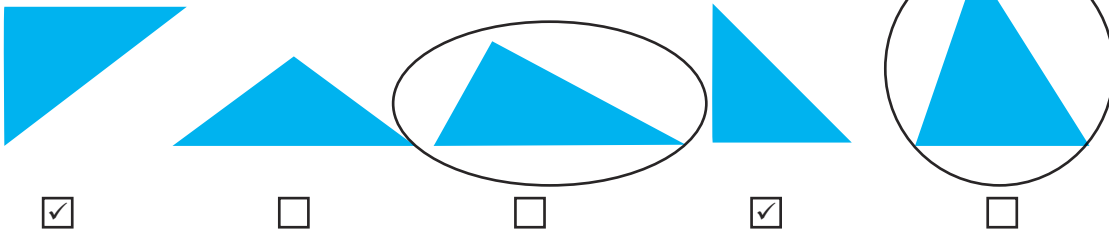




- 1) Circle any scalene triangles.  
Tick any right-angled triangles.



- 2) Name the type of triangle you have not circled or ticked.  
*isosceles*

- 1) What are the differences between these two triangles?  
*One has a right angle; one has one side that is longer than the others; one has one side that is shorter than the others.*



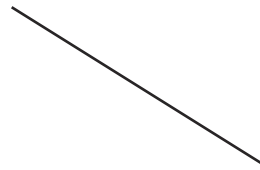
What is similar about them?  
*Both are isosceles triangles.*



- 2) Tick the statements that are true:
- A scalene triangle never has equal length sides.
  - An isosceles triangle can never have a right angle.
  - An isosceles triangle has three equal angles.
  - An equilateral triangle has three equal length sides.

Choose one of your true statements and prove it!  
*Multiple answers possible.*

- 1) Here is a 4cm line:



Use a pencil and a ruler to draw two more sides that would create an isosceles triangle. What are the lengths of your two new sides?  
*Multiple answers possible. Ensure that children's triangles have two equal sides and angles to within a reasonable degree of accuracy.*

Without drawing two new sides, write the lengths of the two new sides needed to make an equilateral triangle.  
*4cm and 4cm*

- 2) Investigate:  
How many different isosceles triangles can you make where the lengths of the sides are whole numbers (not decimals) that total 12cm? Draw or make your triangles to prove it.  
*Only one triangle can be made, with one 2cm side and two equal sides of 5cm.*
- 3) The longest side of a triangle must be less than the other two sides added together. Investigate if this is always true.  
*True, the longest side of a triangle is always shorter than the other two sides added together.*