



## **Spatial Reasoning**

## **Hidden Shape**

## What do I do?

Find the image that contains the hidden shape. The hidden shape must be the same size and orientation as the original shape.

### **Top Tips!**

- Don't be fooled the shape that you are looking for will appear in most options. The one you are looking for <u>must be the same size and</u> <u>orientation</u> (way up).
- Focus on one pattern at a time and look for a distinguishing feature of your shape first. Does it have a curved edge or point?
- If you're starting to lose your focus, move onto another question and come back. Be aware that this strategy might not be an option in your exam.

# What skills do I need to improve?



Doing lots of practice questions will help with becoming familiar with question types but what else can you do to improve in this area?

- Training your eyes to scan quickly for recognisable shapes can be tough. Any books that offer a 'search and find' purpose, is great revision for these questions. Books such as 'Where's Wally?' by Martin Handford and 'Things to spot' by Usbourne.
- Creating your own questions is always a great revision tool of understanding a question and it'll give you a chance to showcase your new skills.
   Can you write your own questions for a family member or friend?

#### **Practice Questions**

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