## Measurement and Geometry: Location and Transformation: Drawing Reflected Shapes

| Australian Curriculum <br> This lesson plan could be used to support the teaching and learning of the following Content Description from the Australian Curriculum. <br> Y5 - Measurement and Geometry <br> Describe translations, reflections and rotations of two-dimensional shapes. Identify line and rotational symmetries (ACMMG 114) |
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| Child-Friendly Aim: <br> I can draw the position of a shape following a <br> reflection. |
| Success Criteria: <br> I know that when reflected, a shape keeps the <br> same dimensions. <br> I can count how far each point is from the <br> mirror line. | | Resources: |
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| Lesson Pack |
| Mirrors |

Prior Learning:
It will be helpful if children have had practise at drawing symmetrical patterns and recognising line symmetry in a variety of diagrams.

Learning Sequence
Reflecting Shapes in a Mirror Line: Use the information and images on the Lesson Presentation to explain that in
geometry, a reflection describes a movement where a shape or object is flipped over a mirror line, without changing
the size, and every point of the shape or object remains the same distance from the mirror line.

diagram shown is an accurate reflection. | Drawing a Reflected Shape: Use the information and images on the Lesson Presentation to demonstrate how to |
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| accurately draw a reflected shape, ensuring that each point of the shape is translated equally. |
| arter reflections over |
| a horror line where there |
| is no space between the |
| shape and mirror line. |

## Masterit

Reflectit: Using a large mirror on a table, investigate the reflective symmetry of different objects placed upon it.
Gymit: Develop complex paired gymnastic sequences which show reflection.
Investigateit: Investigate reflective symmetry in the alphabet, flags, road signs etc.

## $\square$ <br> Mathematics

## Measurement and Geometry

## Drawing Reflected Shapes



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## Reflecting Shapes in a Mirror Line

The reflected image is congruent to the original. This means that the measurements of the sides and angles have not changed.


## Drawing a Reflected Shape



When asked to draw the new position of a 2D shape after a reflection, we have to make sure that each corner of the reflected shape is the same distance from the mirror line.

First identify the distance of a corner from the mirror line on the original shape.

Then apply this to the opposite side of the mirror line.

Repeat this process with each corner.

## Drawing Reflected Shapes



## Candy Reflection

A game for partners or a small group.

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## Game Board 2



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## Game Board 3


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## Game Board 4


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Game Board 5


Game Board 6


## Drawing Reflected Shapes

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