# Properties of Shapes: Measuring Angles in Degrees

Aim	Success Criteria	Resources
Know angles are measured in degrees:	l can describe an angle as a turn.	Lesson Pack
estimate and compare acute, obtuse and reflex angles.	I can identify right, acute, obtuse and reflex angles as an angle of a turn.	
Draw given angles, and measure them in degrees (°).	I can describe angles of a turn in degrees.	
DfE Ready-to-Progress Criteria	Key/New Words	Preparation
Compare angles, estimate and measure	Angle, turn, degrees, acute, right, obtuse,	Differentiated Measuring Angles in Degrees
angles in degrees (°) and draw angles of a	turn full turn clockwise anticlockwise	Activity Sneets – one per child
given size (5G-1)		Diving into Mastery Activity Sheets – as
To measure angles of a turn in degrees.		required

**Prior Learning** It will be helpful if children can revisit acute, right and obtuse angles and recap how to identify them. This is covered in this <u>Types of Angles</u> lesson.

#### Learning Sequence

<b>Remember It:</b> Using the corresponding slide on the Lesson Presentation, the children will sort angles on to a table based on whether they are acute, right-angled or obtuse. This activity is intended to recap prior learning in year 4. To extend learning further, children can draw three more angles for each section of the table.	
<b>Key Vocabulary:</b> Using the corresponding slides on the Lesson Presentation, the children recap the keywords 'clockwise' and 'anticlockwise'. These words occur within the lesson, so it is important that children are familiar with the terms and can apply them when discussing directions of turns.	
<b>Measuring Turns in Degrees:</b> Using the corresponding slides on the Lesson Presentation, the children learn how to describe turns in terms of quarter-turns, half turns, three-quarter turns and full turns. Children will learn the measurements of these turns using degrees and shown how to calculate them correctly. Children will be introduced to reflex angles within this section of the lesson. Can the children describe an angle as a turn? Can the children identify right and reflex angles as an angle of a turn? Can the children describe angles of a turn in degrees?	
<b>Turning Anticlockwise:</b> Using the corresponding slides on the Lesson Presentation, the children engage in a talk task where they describe Charlie's anticlockwise turns using key vocabulary. They describe his turns using measurements in degrees and state the fraction of a turn that he turns through. Can the children describe an angle as a turn? Can the children identify right and reflex angles as an angle of a turn? Can the children describe angles of a turn in degrees?	
Acute, Obtuse and Reflex Angles: Using the corresponding slides on the Lesson Presentation, the children engage in new learning involving turns around a compass. Children will learn that each turn on the compass measures 45° and use this knowledge to measure any turn on the compass. Children will be encouraged to add values around the compass to find the total. Following this, children will engage in a talk task where they describe turns involving eight points and will use key vocabulary alongside measurements in degrees. Can the children describe an angle as a turn? Can the children identify right, acute, obtuse and reflex angles as an angle of a turn? Can the children describe angles of a turn in degrees?	

	Measuring Angles in Degrees: Using the differentiated Measuring Angles in Degrees Activity Sheets, the children complete tasks that provide them with opportunities to practise measuring angles in degrees	$\bigcirc$
	<ul> <li>★ To support children working towards expected level, there is a talk task provided which enables children to discuss angles as turns using key vocabulary. Sentence stems are provided to scaffold discussions. Children will be able to apply new learning on acute, obtuse and reflex angles and describe angles in terms of direction, fractions and measurements in degrees.</li> <li>Children working at expected level will enage in a talk task where they discuss angles as turns using key vocabulary. Children will be able to apply new learning on acute, obtuse and reflex angles and describe angles in terms of direction, fractions and measurements in degrees.</li> </ul>	
	<b>Diving into Mastery:</b> Schools using a mastery approach may prefer to use the following as an alternative activity. These sheets might not necessarily be used in a linear way. Some children might begin at the 'Deeper' section and in fact, others may 'dive straight in' to the 'Deepest' section if they have already mastered the skill and are applying this to show their depth of understanding.	
	Children complete fluency questions related to measuring angles in degrees.	
	Children answer reasoning questions related to measuring angles in degrees.	
	Children work individually or collaboratively on problem-solving questions related to measuring angles in degrees.	
<b>Explore</b> it		

Showit: Children can create a large-scale version of an activity to show turns around a point. They can place objects at different

Drawit: Children can create a drawing of their bedroom and describe the positioning of items in their room in terms of degrees.

measurement of turn in degrees.

Learnit: Children will find this superb

compass points and then stand in a position in the middle. They can turn around the point and have their partner describe their

<u>r</u> helpful to learn about measuring in degrees.

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# Maths Properties of Shapes

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# Aim

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# Success Criteria

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Remember It

Sort the angles into the table below. Are they acute, right or obtuse? Can you explain your reasoning?



Acute	Right Obtuse		
a d i	c g j	be fh	

Ready for a challenge?

Draw three more angles for each part of the table!

## Key Vocabulary

## To describe turns, we use the phrases **clockwise** and **anticlockwise**.

Which arrows are showing clockwise turns?

Why do you think the term **clockwise** is used?



Which arrows are showing anticlockwise turns?

Why do you think the term **anticlockwise** is used?

A and C show clockwise turns.

The movement is in the same direction as the hands on the clock and the numbers are going around the clock face. B and D show anticlockwise turns.

They move in the opposite direction to the clock hands and numbers.

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## **Measuring Turns in Degrees**

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Charlie is facing the swings again. He turns through a full turn clockwise. A full turn is the same as four right angles. A right angle is 90° so we can Charlie has moved herefilstnenfolging taits after and facing the swings. Multiply 90 by 4 to calculate a full turn. 90 x 4 = 360. How many degrees has he turned in total?

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**Turning Anticlockwise** 

Charlie is facing the swings again. Discuss with a partner what would happen if Charlie turned **one quarter-turn anticlockwise**?

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![](_page_12_Figure_3.jpeg)

Charlie starts facing the swings. He turns through  $\frac{1}{4}$  turn. Charlie is now facing the **climbing frame** He has turned **90**° This is called a **right** angle. Charlie is facing the swing again. He now moves half a turn anticlockwise.

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Charlie starts facing the swings. He turns through  $\frac{1}{2}$  turn. Charlie is now facing the **seesaw** He has turned **180**°

This is called a **straight line** angle.

Charlie is facing the swing again. He now moves **three-quarters of a turn anticlockwise**.

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Charlie starts facing the swings. He turns through  $\frac{3}{4}$  turn. Charlie is now facing the **slide** He has turned **270**° This is called a **reflex** angle. Charlie is facing the swings again. He finally moves a **full turn anticlockwise**.

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Charlie is now facing the **swings** 

He has turned 360 °

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# Acute, Obtuse and Reflex Angles How can we chook at the stumashy degrees this turn is? Ν NW NE W Ε SE SW S

The measurement from N to E is 90°. The measurement from E to S is 90°. 225° is a **reflex** angle as it is greater than 180° but less than 360°. The measurement from S to SW is 45°. So, 90° + 90° + 45° = 225°.

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Charlie is facing the school. Discuss with a partner, what would happen if Charlie turned through 45° clockwise?

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# Charlie is facing the cafe. What would he be facing if he turned 135° anticlockwise?

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# Charlie is facing the library. What would he be facing if he turned 225° clockwise?

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Charlie is facing the hospital. What would he be facing if he turned 315° clockwise?

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Charlie starts facing the hospital.

Charlie is now facing the **swimming** 

He has turned through **315**°.

This is called **a reflex** angle.

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## Diving into Mastery

# Dive in by completing your own activity!

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- 1)
- - **α) 90°** 
    - b) 270°
    - c) 360°
    - d) 45°
    - e) 135°
    - f) 225°
- 2)
- a) 450°
- b) 270°
- c) 540°

![](_page_31_Figure_13.jpeg)

### 2) Sam is correct because this turn has a value of 225 $^\circ$

3)	Two right angles are the same amount of turn as a straight line angle.	Always
	Angles greater than 90° are acute.	Never
	The distance between two compass points will be obtuse.	Sometimes

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2) Follow the instructions to work out the code to unlock the cookie jar.

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Imagine you are facing N. Make a  $\frac{3}{4}$  turn anticlockwise.

Then turn  $\frac{3}{8}$  clockwise.

Next, turn 90° anticlockwise.

Finally, turn  $\frac{5}{8}$  clockwise.

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Can you find 2 other ways to write the instructions to give the same code?

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2) Calculate the total number of degrees that Charlie turns through.

a) Charlie starts facing the swings. He turns clockwise to face the seesaw and then anticlockwise to face the climbing frame.

b) Charlie starts facing the slide. He turns anticlockwise to face the climbing frame and then clockwise to face the swings.

c) Charlie starts facing the climbing frame. He does a full turn clockwise. He then turns anticlockwise to face the slide.

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To measure angles of a turn in degrees

## Instructions for adult guided task:

- 1) Organise children into pairs and have them decide who is child A and who is child B.
- 2) Children cut out Charlie and place him in the centre of the building diagram.
- 3) Child A decides where Charlie is facing. They then turn him so he carries out a turn of their choice. Encourage children to explore clockwise and anticlockwise movements.
- 4) Child B describes Charlie's movement by adding missing words to the sentence stems.
- 5) The children then swap roles.
- 6) If children are ready for a challenge, they can use the compass image to turn Charlie and describe his movements using different angles.

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swimming pool	library	90 °	45 °	guarter		clockwise
school	hospital	180 °	135 °	half	right	anticlockwise
supermarket	cafe	270 °	225 °	three-quarter	straight line	obtuse
park	fire station	360 °	315 °	full	reflex	acute

To measure angles of a turn in degrees

1) Use the compass to complete the table.

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Turn	Type of angle	Angle measurement (°)	Fraction of a turn
north to west anticlockwise	right		
north-east to north- west clockwise			
east to west clockwise			half
south-west to south- east anticlockwise		90°	

2) Follow the instructions to draw the items of furniture in Aneeka's bedroom.

Aneeka is facing north and looking at her bed.
She makes a 180° turn and is now facing her desk.
She completes a <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> turn anticlockwise and is facing her wardrobe.
She completes a <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> turn clockwise and is facing her toy chest.
She turns 45° clockwise and can see her drawers.

3) You are in charge of designing a zoo. You must write clear instructions to outline where the animals must be placed. Include compass points and angles in degrees. Draw your zoo to match your design brief.

Example, Place the elephants north of the zoo and place the monkeys a 45° turn clockwise from the elephants.

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![](_page_42_Figure_4.jpeg)

# Measuring Angles in Degrees **Answers**

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north-east to north- west clockwise	reflex	270°	<u>3</u> 4
east to west clockwise	straight line angle	180°	half
south-west to south- east anticlockwise	right	90°	<u>1</u> 4

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