



Interactive whiteboard activities

Infographic: Evolution of the domestic dog (<http://ow.ly/4xqLD>)

Video: Dog takes New York art world by storm (<http://ow.ly/4xqOT>)

Article: New dog's restaurant in Brazil (<http://ow.ly/4xqRj>)



Key words:

dog, evolution, breed, domestic, wolf, evidence, descent, triangle, rectangle, circle,
square,



Helpful expressions:

Good job! Wonderful! Good work! Excellent!

Age: 7-8

Level: A2

What can you do with these activities?



Vocabulary



Written comprehension



Written expression



Oral comprehension



Oral expression



Theme opening/discussion



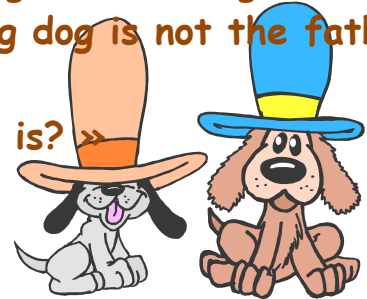
Grammar



Solve the riddle.

« Two dogs are sitting on the sofa. One dog is big and one dog is small. The small dog is a son of the big dog, but the big dog is not the father of the small dog.

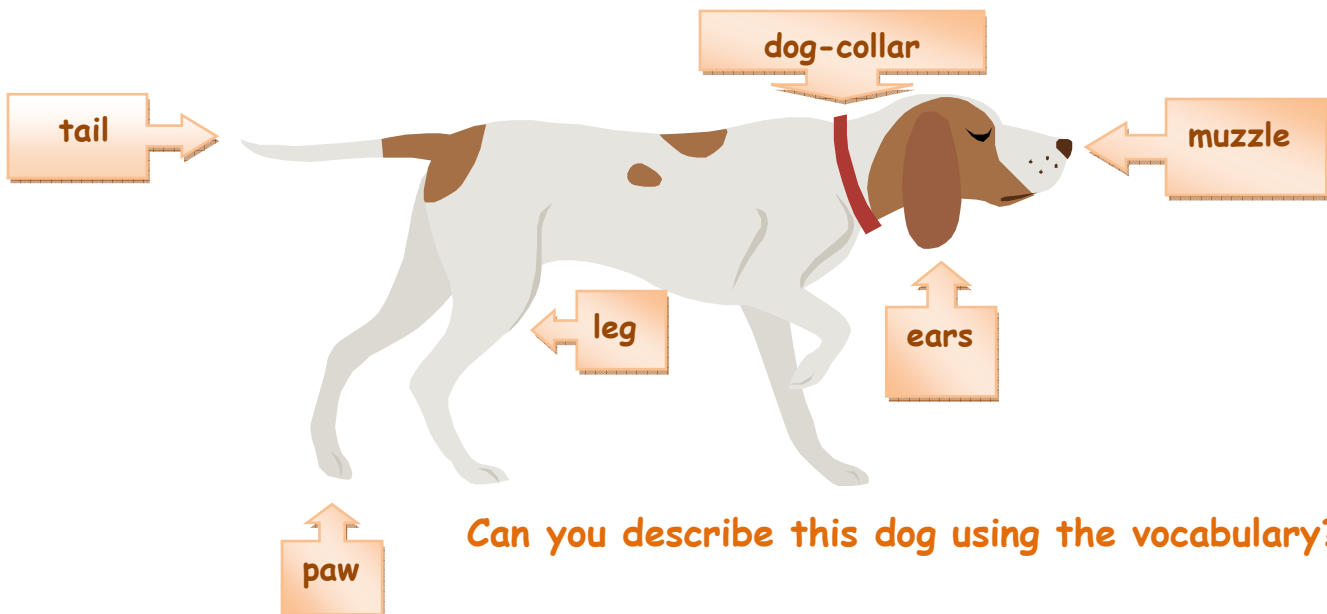
Can you explain who the big dog is? >>



(rhémot)



Yes, today we are going to talk about the dogs. So have fun and enjoy your class.



Can you describe this dog using the vocabulary?

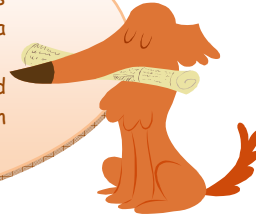


Read the infographic "Evolution of the domestic dog" (<http://ow.ly/4xqLD>) and answer these questions.

Vocabulary

breed: to keep and take care of animals or plants in order to produce more animals or plants of a particular kind

domesticate: to breed or train (an animal) to need and accept the care of human beings : to tame (an animal)



Who did dogs descended from?

How many grey wolves were tested?

In which country were the wolves first domesticated?

Dog genomes found most similar to the:

- ➡ East Asian grey wolf
- ➡ North American grey wolf
- ➡ Middle Eastern grey wolf



Wolf (sg.)
Wolves (pl.)

Grey wolf is often known simply as the wolf. Wolves are the largest members of a dog family. They almost never attack humans but they attack domestic animals. Wolves belong to endangered animals.



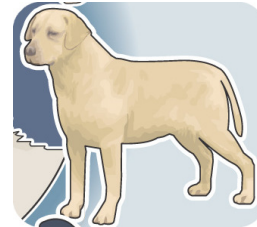


2.

Read the characteristics and find out the name of each dog.

German Shepherd :
strong with short hair ,
the ears are wide at the base,
pointed and turned forward,
shot out tongue

Anatolian Shepherd :
large and light brown,
triangular ears (V shape),
short hair



Dachshund :
small and long,
chocolate brown,
short legs,
short hair

Afghan Hound :
tall and black,
long hair,
the tail has curl or ring at the tip,
feet are covered with long hair



Watch the video "Dog takes New York art world by storm" (<http://ow.ly/4xqOT>) and fill in the information.

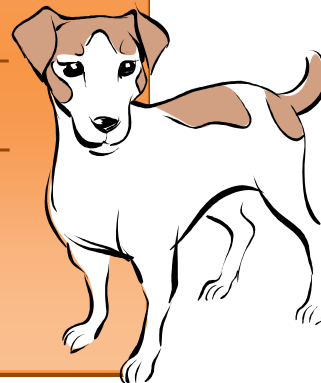
Name of the dog: _____

City: _____

Breed : _____

Occupation : _____

Assistent's name : _____



Tilli / Rony / Peggy
Paris / London / New York
Shepherd / Terrier / Dalmatian
Artist / Circus dog / Acting dog



Now you should try and be little artists. Here are some shapes. Try and make a picture of animal you like using some of these shapes. (You can use IWB or just colors and draw it.)



triangle



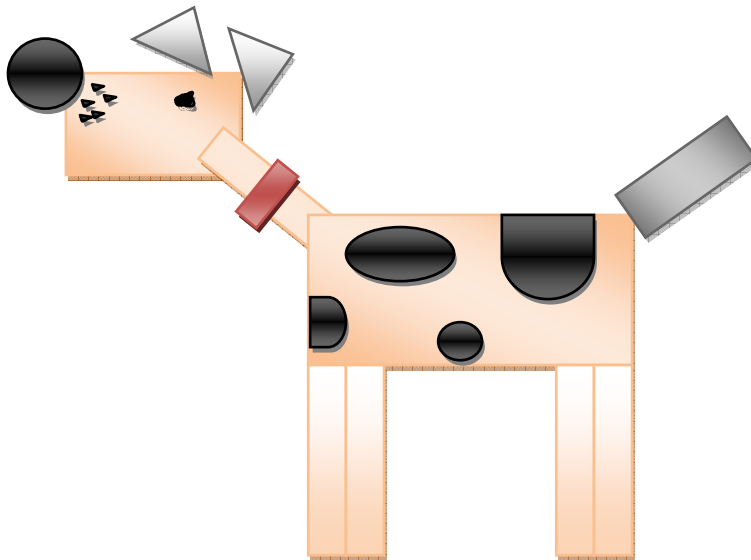
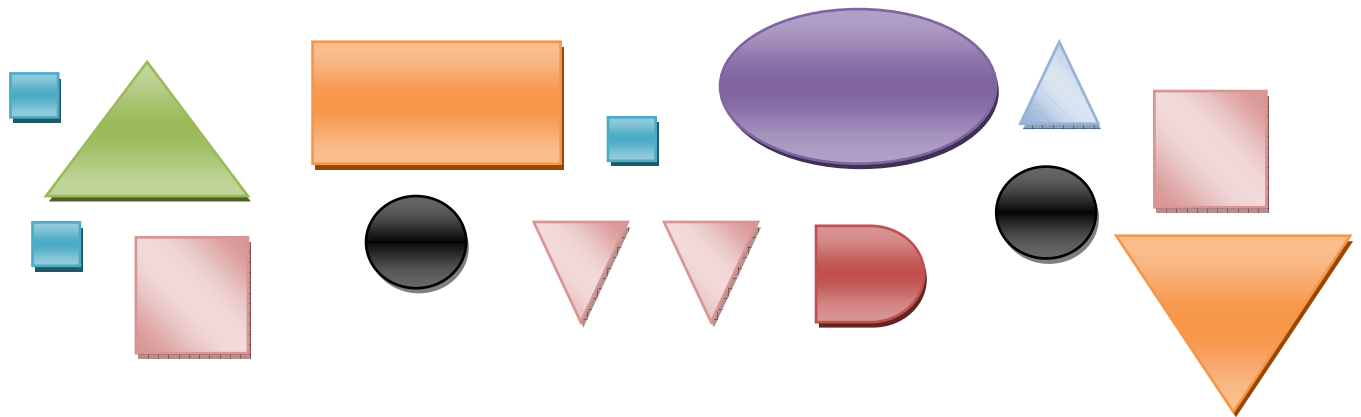
circle



rectangle



square



5.

Read the article about "New dog's restaurant in Brazil" (<http://ow.ly/4xqRj>) and match the halves to make a sentence.

Do you know what "Pet Delicia" is? No? It is a restaurant in Rio de Janeiro, in Brazil, which was opened specially for dogs. In this restaurant, they cook all kind of food for dogs. The food is prepared to "very strict" standards and controlled by animal nutrition specialists. These are important people, who make sure; the animals get all the important vitamins. So if you are ever in Rio de Janeiro with your doggy, make sure you take it there.



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Additional activity:

