

# ART & DESIGN

## Teacher's Guide: GRADE 7 - Lesson 8

### (A) Explore geometrical shapes on MS Word

#### Theme: Festival

#### (B) Competency, element, and performance criteria

C 7.5: Art and Innovation

Explore new ideas, techniques and digital tools to create original and innovative artworks.

#### Performance criteria:

##### Level 1

- Explore and use basic digital tools for art making.

#### (C) Purpose of activity:

This activity enables students to draw basic geometric shapes using MS Word.

#### (D) Learning outcomes

By the end of the lesson, students will be able to:

- Explore how to insert and adjust geometric shapes in MS Word.
- Create a composition using geometric shapes in MS Word.

#### (E) Resources and materials:

Computers/ laptops with MS Word, drawings from previous lesson.

#### (F) Teaching trajectories/implementation guidelines

- Carry out a recap on the previous lesson.
- Carry out a brief introduction of geometric and organic shapes and their use in artworks using visual aids.
- Demonstrate how to:
  - Open MS Word.
  - Insert and adjust different shapes (colour, size, placement, rotation, etc.).
- Allow students to proceed with this exploration phase using the different shapes available on MS Word.
- Monitor the classwork and provide individual attention as and when required.
- Once students have explored and tried the tools in MS Word, ask them to move to the next phase which is as follows:
  - use their compositions created in the previous lesson on paper to choose relevant and available shapes on MS Word.

- use the chosen shapes to create the composition in MS Word. (Students may modify their compositions according to shapes available in MS Word)
- Monitor the classwork and provide individual attention as and when required.

**(G) Assessment**

Carry out a class discussion on the works created on MS Word. Allow students to reflect on their own as well as their peers' work. Facilitate the class discussion by prompting students through questions which will allow them to reflect on the outcome.

**(H) Extension of activity (further ideas)**

Students will continue to explore MS Word in the next lesson.

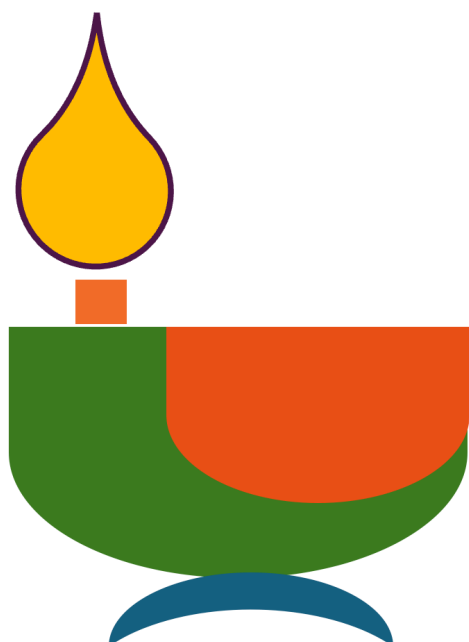
TEACHING RESOURCES



Drawing of 'Divali' lamp



Creating a 'Divali' lamp using cut out shapes from coloured paper



Creating a 'Divali' lamp using shapes on MS Word