Finding shapes in the city



<u>Target group</u>	5 years old
<u>Material</u>	 Camera Paper Pencil, Pens, Mirrors Binoculars
<u>Procedure</u>	 Go to a place in a city where you have space to sit and to discover the surrounding. Tell the children how far they are allowed to go, Let them describe the place in their own words. Talk about shapes. Which shapes do they know? (triangle, circle, square,)



	Why we are here?
	 Writy we dre here? We will make a little documentary about the buildings and the elements on the facades and structures we can see. Search for some shapes all around the place. On the walls, on the floor, in some shops. Make photos from them or draw them on some paper. Bring them all together and talk about these forms, what is typical for them? At the kindergarden or in the city you can print the pictures. All together sort them out, classify them, make some posters which the kids can show to some other children from their group or the parents, grandparents, Talk about some other shapes.
<u>Variations</u>	Find more specific shapes Find some ornaments Let them think about things in the nature with this kind of shapes. If you do not go to a special place you can to it in the kindergarden as well.
<u>Aims</u>	First images of geometric forms Learning how to use a camera Find elements in the environment and become awake of looking for something.
<u>Comments</u>	 You can bring some pictures with examples of the shapes, for a better understanding.



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