

# Cutting Shapes

## TIP #1

Make sure your child is sitting with feet on the floor (or footrest) and bottom at the back of the chair. Sit next to your child so you can help if needed.

## TIP #2

Help your child make a checklist to remember what's important for cutting e.g. thumb in the little hole and fingers in the big hole, thumbs on top. Before they start, help them use the checklist to think about what's important, then afterwards to check how they went.



## TIP #3

When going around a corner remind your child to turn the paper not the scissors.

## TIP #4

If your child is right handed encourage them to cut in an anticlockwise direction, if they are left handed encourage them to cut in a clockwise direction.

### Who can help? Where? When?

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### My Tips

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