Greek Named Shapes

Summary

Students will practice names of shapes with & without Greek number words.

Main Core Tie

Mathematics Grade 2

Strand: GEOMETRY (2.G) Standard 2.G.1

Time Frame

1 class periods of 15 minutes each

Group Size

Large Groups

Materials

Smart Board, Smart Notebook 11

Background for Teachers

How to use the Lesson Activity Toolkit in Smart Notebook.

Student Prior Knowledge

Know names of shapes.

Intended Learning Outcomes

Learn: 'Tria' is three in Greek, so triangle is a shape with three sides. 'Pente' is five in Greek so, pentagon is a shape with five corners. 'Hexi' is six in Greek so, hexagon is a shape with six corners. 'Octo' is eight in Greek so, octagon is a shape with eight corners.

Instructional Procedures

Brainstorm words that begin with the prefix 'tri' and 'oct'. The list might include: triceratops, tricolor, tricycle, trident, triennial, trio, trilogy, triple, triplet, triplicate, and tripod. For 'oct' it would include octave, and octopus. Use SmartBoard Activity Toolkit

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