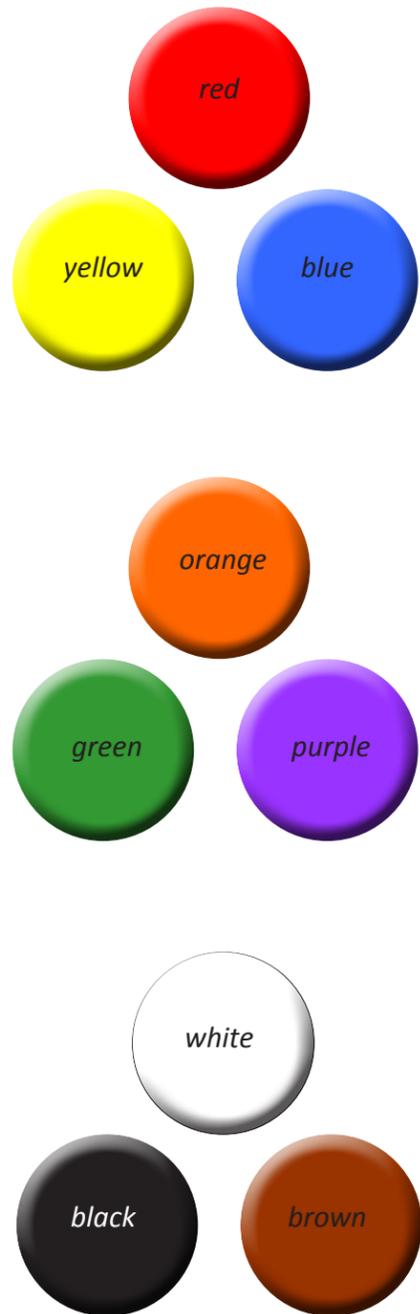


# Most commonly used Basic Conceptual Systems and examples of their Basic Concepts

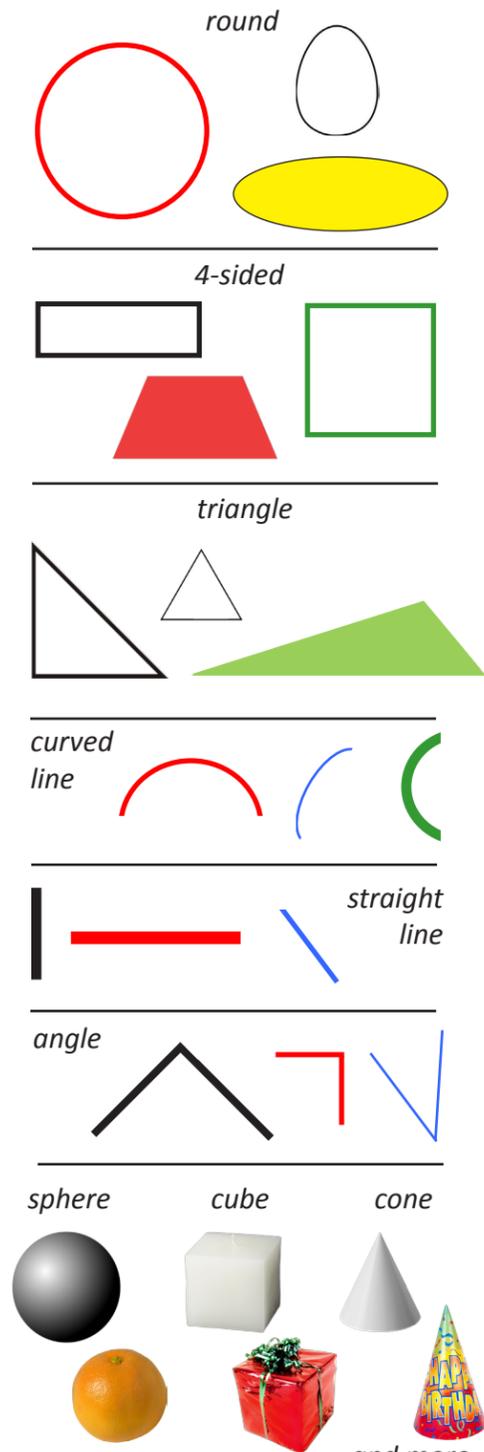
Group 1

## Color



and more ...

## Shape



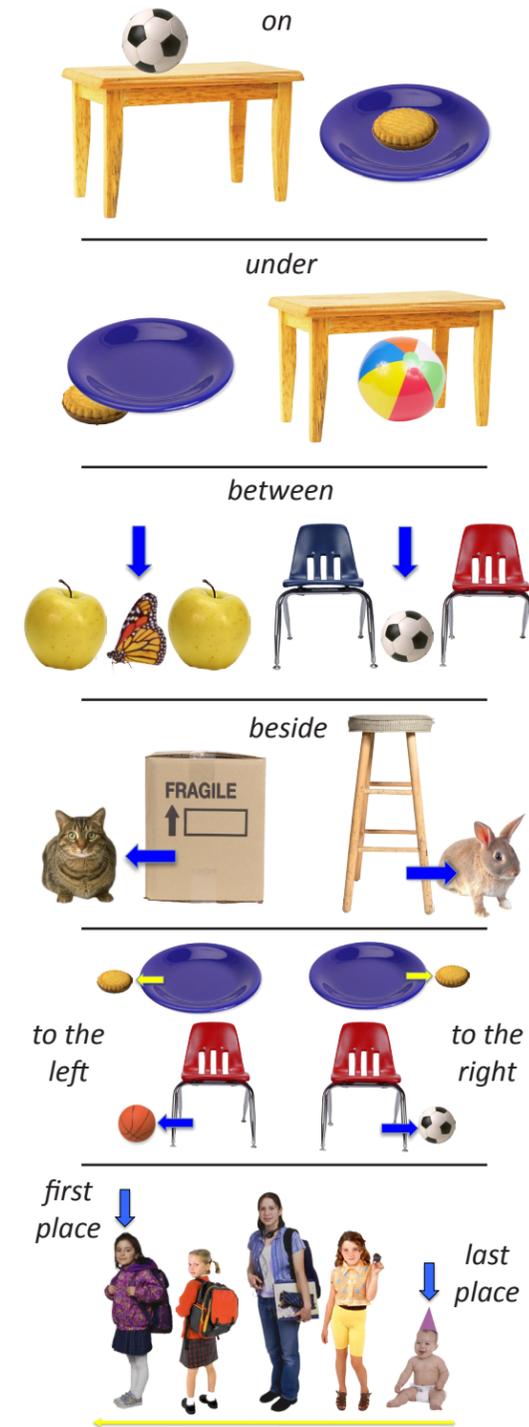
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## Position



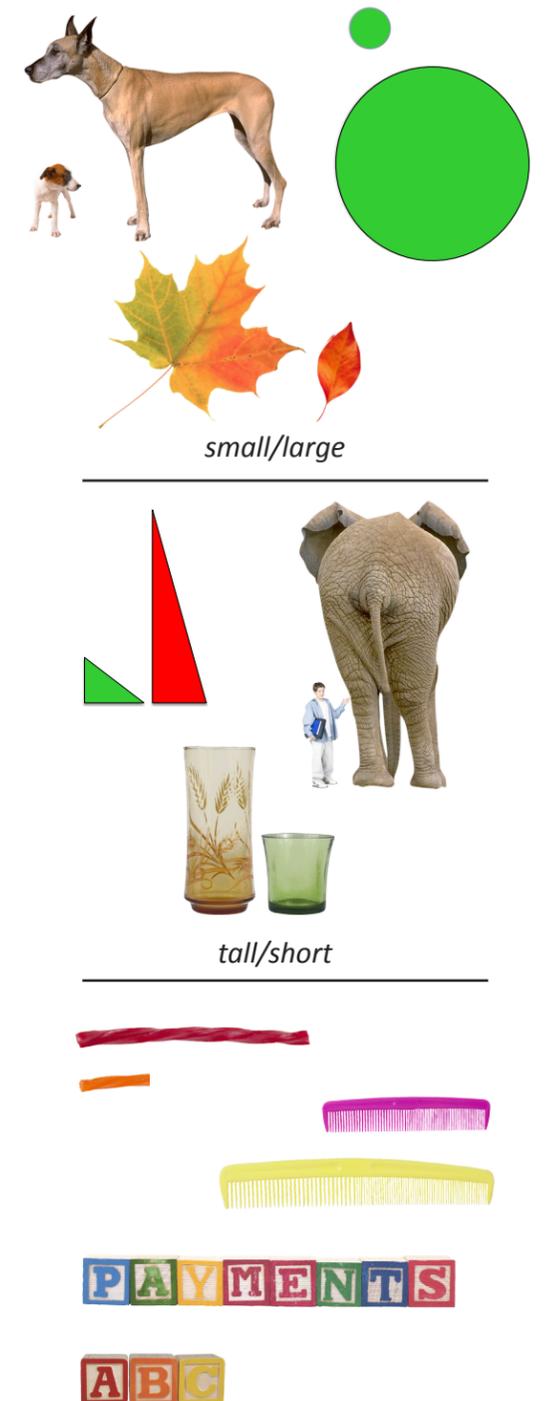
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## Place



and more ...

## Size



and more ...

# Inventory of **Basic Conceptual Systems** and examples of their **Basic Concepts** (Abbreviated version)

## 1. Color:

*Red, blue, yellow, etc.*

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## 2. Shape:

*Linear shapes: straight line, bowed or curved line, angular.  
Surface shapes (2D): round, triangular, four-sided, etc.  
Spatial shapes (3D): spherical, cubic, prismic, cylindrical, etc.  
Shapes named according to the look of the object: egg shape, heart shape, star shape, (crescent) moon shape, etc.*

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## 3. Position:

*Vertical, horizontal, diagonal, sitting, kneeling, lying, etc.*

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## 4. \*Place:

*Spatial placement - Placed on, under, at, over, beside/next to, to the left/right of ...etc.  
Linear placement - Placed first, second, behind, between, in front of, etc. in a sequence/series etc..*

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## 5. \*Size(s):

*1-dimensional, 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional sizes in relation to ..., and their units of measurement. (E.g. for line sizes: large/small, larger/smaller, etc., in length, in height, in width, in depth in relation to ...), etc.*

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## 6. Direction:

*From the left to the right, from the right to the left, up/upwards, down/downwards, etc.*

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## 7. \*Number:

*Small/large etc. number in relation to..., etc. Number of ones, of tens, to increase/decrease numbers etc. (Also exact numerals symbolizing numbers).*

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## 8. Sound/speech sounds - phoneme:

*General sounds in the environment. Speech/letter sounds: /a/, /f/, /g/, etc.*

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## 9. Surface Pattern:

*Dotted/spotted, striped, checkered, flowered, etc.*

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## 10. Use or function:

*To drink from, to sit on, to write with, etc.*

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## 11. Substance/Material:

*Wood, glass, metal, plastic, leather, paper, etc.*

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## 12. Surface Attributes:

*Smooth, rough, glossy, matt, painted, etc.*

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## 13. Attributes of a Substance/Material:

*Hard, soft, elastic, firm, etc.*

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## 14. \*Weight:

*Large/heavy, small/light in weight in relation to..., etc. Also precise measures of weight.*

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## 15. \*Temperature:

*Cold, warm, boiling hot temperature, freezing cold temperature, exact temperatures, etc.*

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## 16. Smell:

*Nice/pleasant, unpleasant, the smell of different foods, etc.*

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## 17. Taste:

*Sour, sweet, bitter, the taste of apple, the taste of apple orangee, the taste of apple meat, etc.*

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## 18. Time:

*Long amount of time, short amount of time, exact measures of time, etc.*

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## 19. Change in ... :

*Color, shape, position, etc.*

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## 20. Speed/Movement:

*Fast in speed, slow in speed, exact measures of speed, etc.*

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## 21. \*Value:

*High value, low value, monetary value, sentimental value, etc.*

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## 22. Gender:

*Male, female.*

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## 23. Living state:

*Living thing, not a living thing, dead (lifeless).*

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