Geometry: Angles



Camelot Knowledge Organiser – Year 5

Identifying Angles

Acute Angles

Any angle that measures less than 90° is called an **acute** angle.



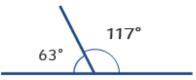
Obtuse Angles

Any angle that measures greater than 90° and less than 180° is called an **obtuse** angle.

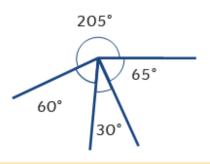
Reflex Angles

Any angle that measures greater than 180° is called a **reflex** angle.





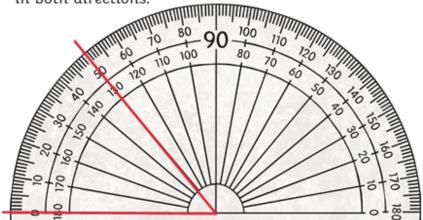
Angles on a straight line always total 180°.



Angles around a point always total 360°.

Measuring and Drawing Angles

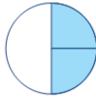
To measure angles, we use a protractor. Look carefully at how the numbers on the scale count from 0° to 180° in both directions.



Multiples of 90° can be used as descriptions of a turn.



 $\frac{1}{4}$ turn = 90°



 $\frac{1}{2}$ turn = 180°



 $\frac{3}{4}$ turn = 270°



1 turn = 360°

Key vocabulary



angle right angle horizontal acute vertical obtuse parallel

reflex perpendicular protractor polygon

