## Geometry Parent Letter-3rd Grade

## The study of shapes

Geometry is the study of shapes. Examples of shapes are in the chart below. Shapes can be described by the number of sides and angles they have.


Use the chart to answer the following types of questions:

1. What shape(s) has less than 4 sides?
2. Which shape(s) have exactly 4 angles?
3. What shape(s) has more than 4 sides?

Quadrilaterals are shapes that have 4 sides.
4. Which shapes are quadrilaterals?

Parallel lines are 2 lines that never meet.


