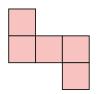
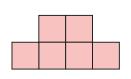
Compare areas

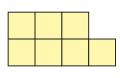


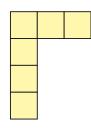
a) Which shape has the greater area?





b) Which shape has the smaller area?



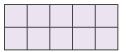


Write <, > or = to compare the areas of the shapes.

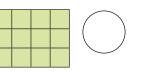
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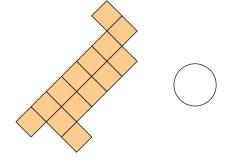
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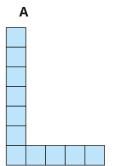




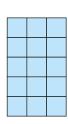




Tiny draws these two shapes.





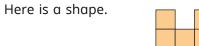


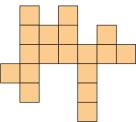
Shape B must have a smaller area than shape A because it is shorter and thinner than shape A.



Do you agree with Tiny?

Explain your reasoning.





- a) What is the area of this shape?
- **b)** Draw a different shape with an area that is 2 squares greater.





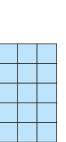
Compare areas



3 Tiny draws these two shapes.



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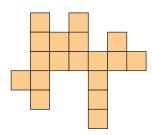
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Shape B must have a smaller area than shape A because it is shorter and thinner than shape A.

Do you agree with Tiny? Explain your reasoning.



4 Here is a shape.

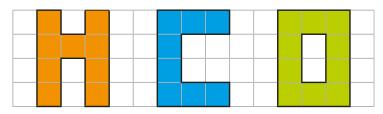


- a) What is the area of this shape?
- **b)** Draw a different shape with an area that is 2 squares greater.



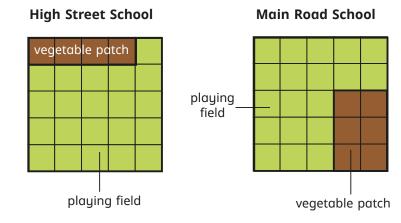
5 Put these letter shapes in order of size.

Start with the shape with the smallest area.



6 Here are the plans of two school fields.

Each has a playing field and a vegetable patch.



- a) What is the difference in the area of the playing fields?
- b) What is the difference in the area of the vegetable patches?
- c) High Street School doubles the size of its vegetable patch. Main Road School adds 1 square to its vegetable patch. Which school now has the larger vegetable patch? Show your workings.

