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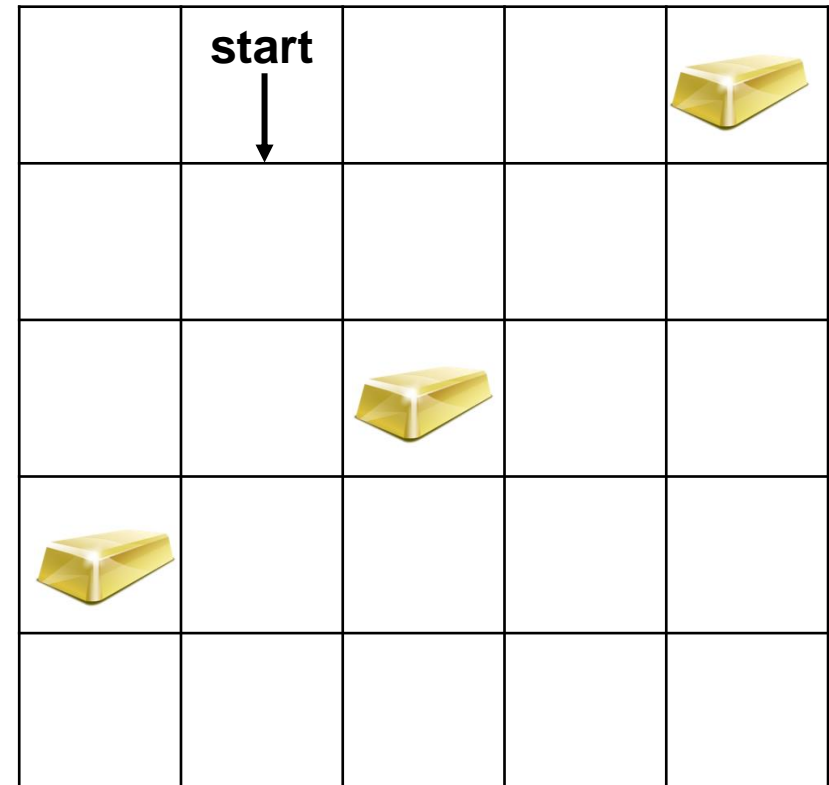


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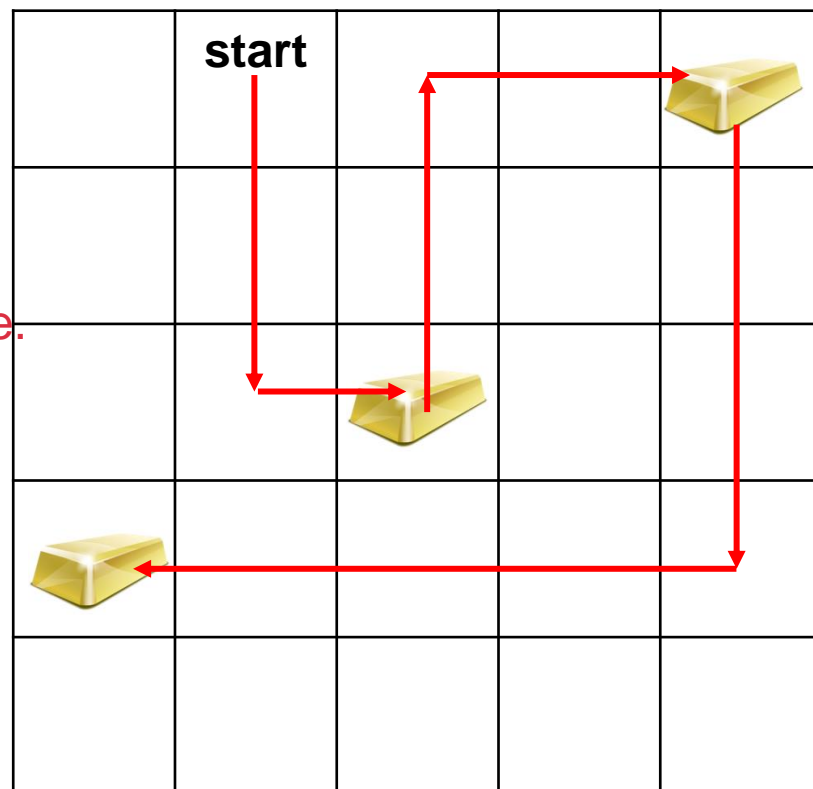
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Forwards 2 squares. A quarter turn anti-clockwise.  
 Forwards 1 square. A quarter turn anti-clockwise.  
 Forwards 2 squares. A quarter turn clockwise.  
 Forwards 2 squares.  
 A three-quarter turn anti-clockwise.  
 Forwards 3 squares.  
 A quarter turn clockwise. Forwards 4 squares.



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## Talking Time:

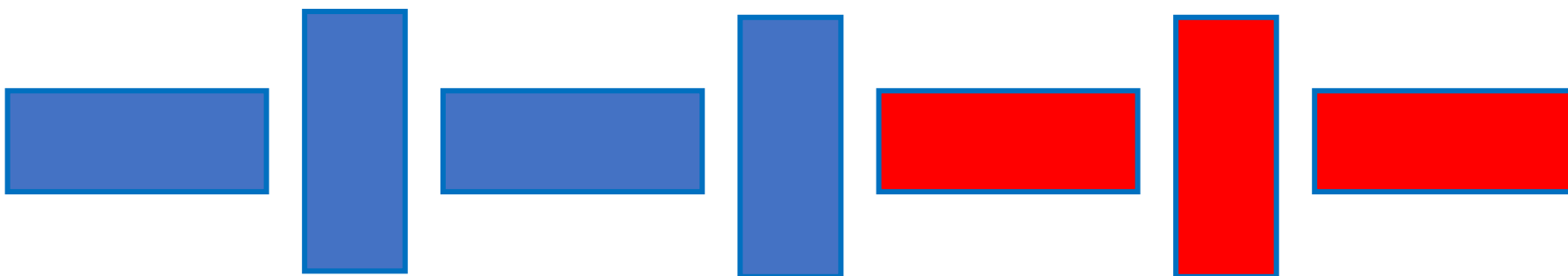
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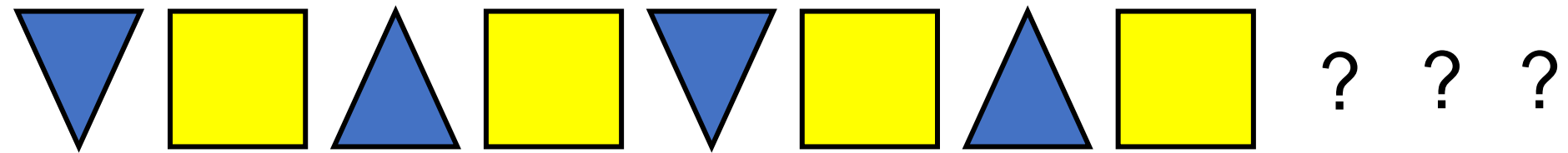
The pattern is using the same rectangular shape.  
The rectangle is being turned a quarter turn or a three-quarter turn each time.  
It could be in a clockwise or an anti-clockwise direction.

So, one answer could be that the rectangle is being turned a quarter turn each time in a clockwise direction.

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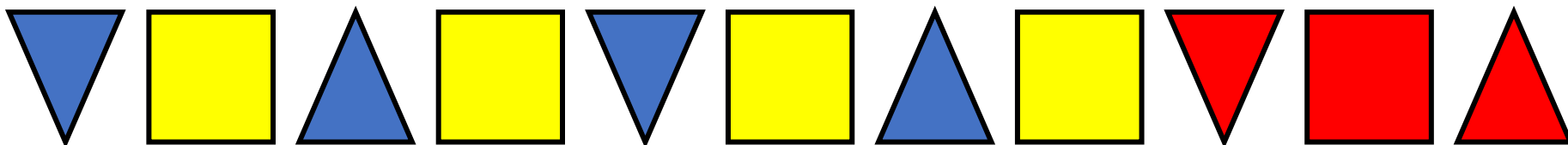
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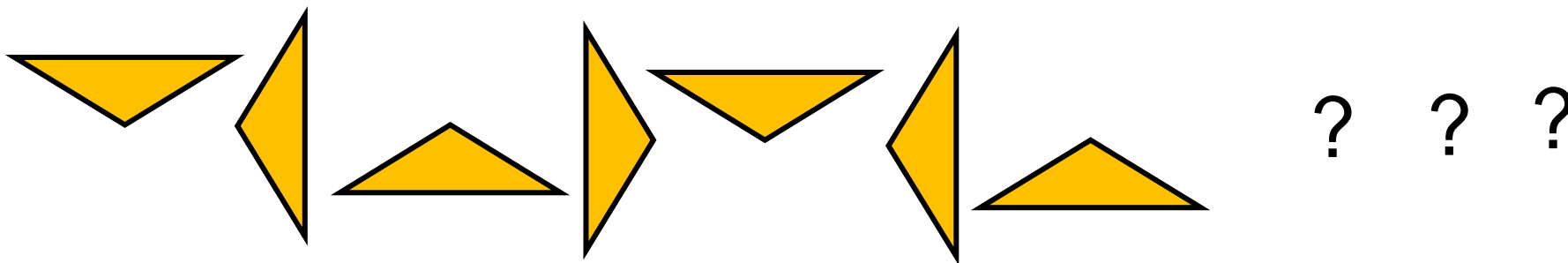
triangle, square, triangle after a half-turn, square, triangle after a half-turn, square, triangle after a half turn and so on



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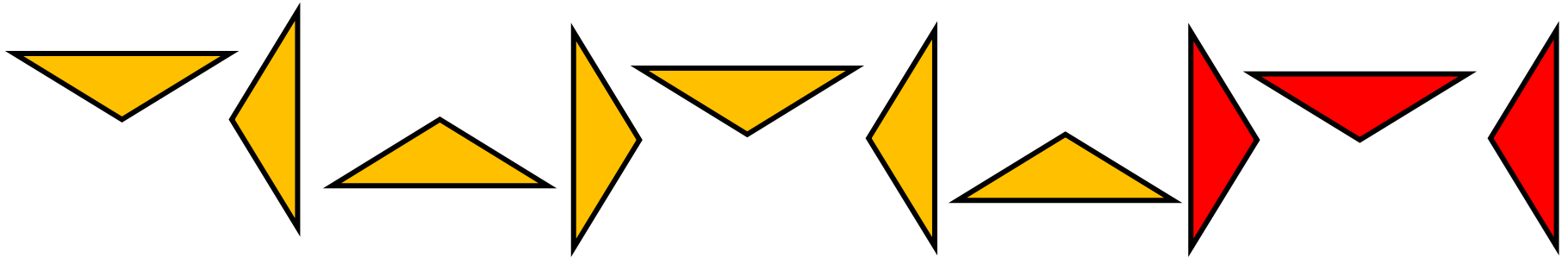
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The pattern is using the same triangular shape.

Possible answers:

The triangle is being turned a quarter turn in a clockwise direction each time.

The triangle is being turned a quarter turn in an anti-clockwise direction each time.

The triangle is being turned a three-quarter turn in a clockwise direction each time.

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## To make patterns with shapes

### Activity 1:

Here is a shape.



Can you make a pattern for this shape where it is turning

a half turn each time?




a quarter turn each time in a clockwise direction?

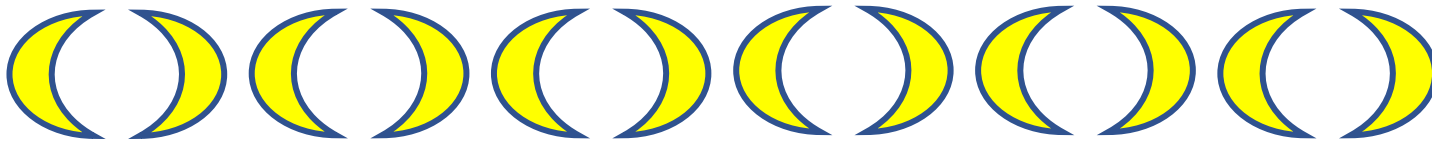


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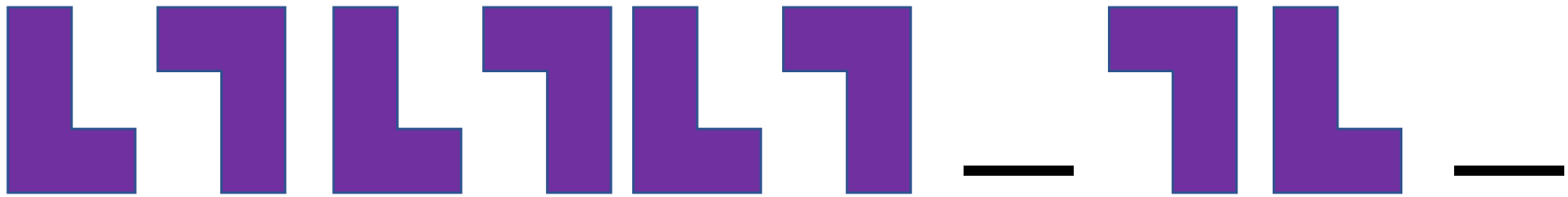
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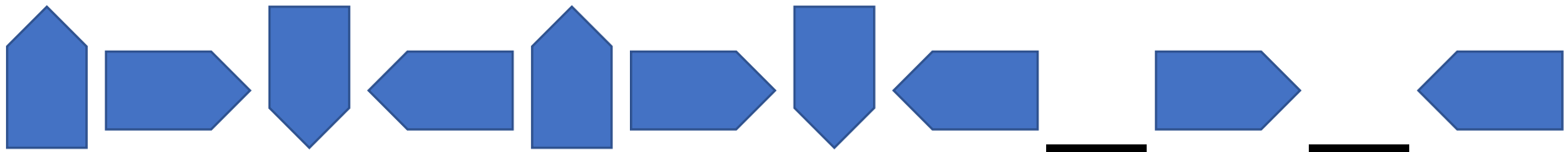
The missing shapes in the pattern are in red.

The pattern is turn the shape a half turn each time.

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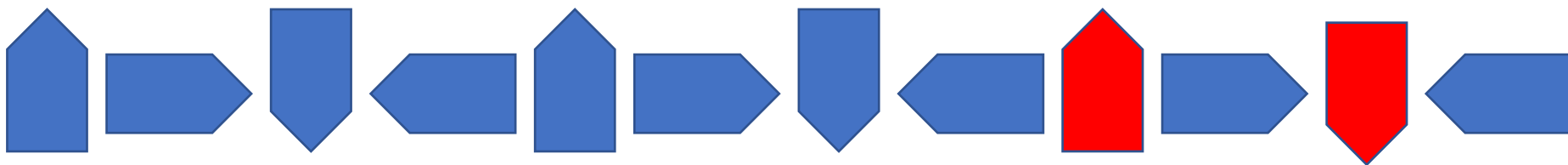


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Can you fill in the shapes that are missing from this pattern?

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The missing shapes in the pattern are in red.

The pattern **could be** turn the shape a quarter turn in a clockwise direction each time.

### Extension:

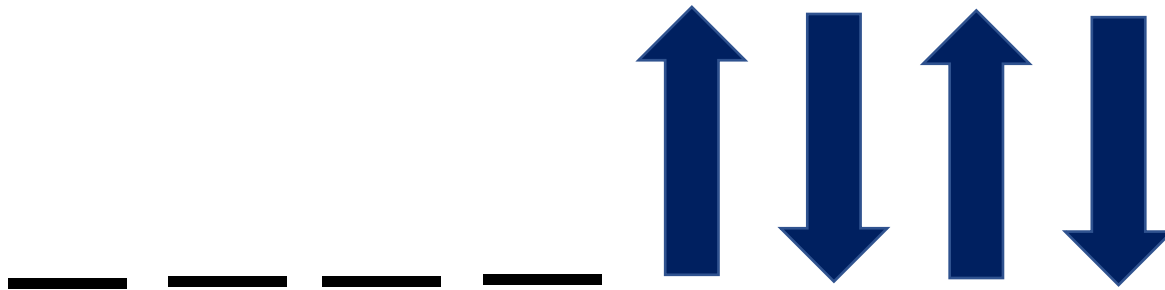
This is one way of describing the pattern. Are there any other ways? Can you find at least one other way of describing this pattern?



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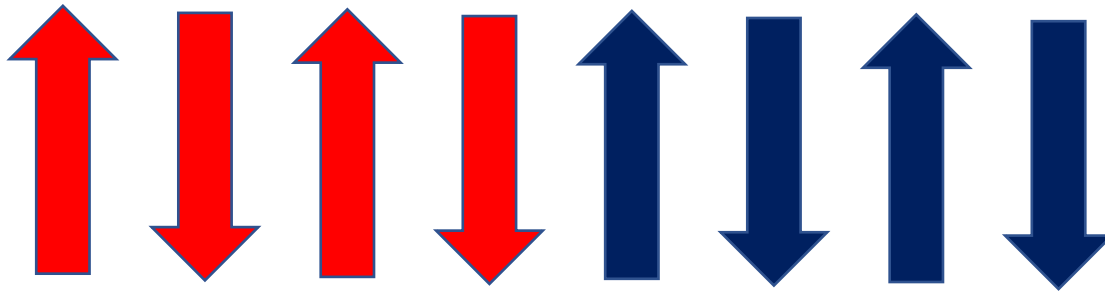
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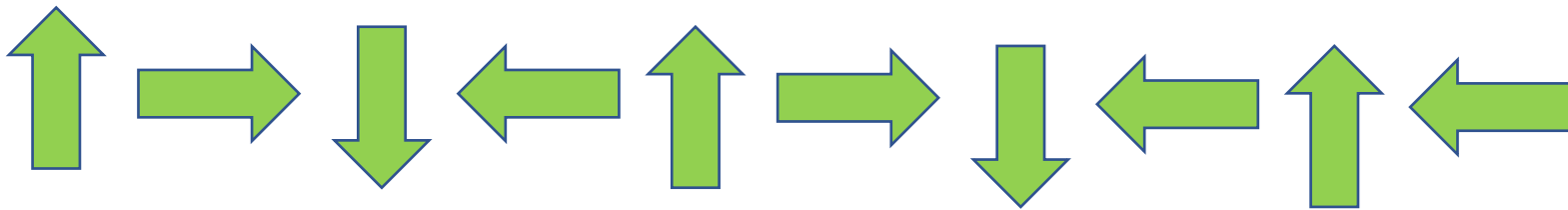
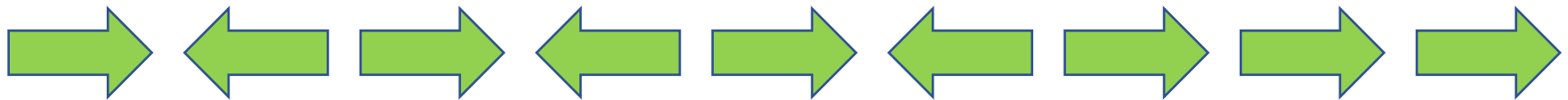


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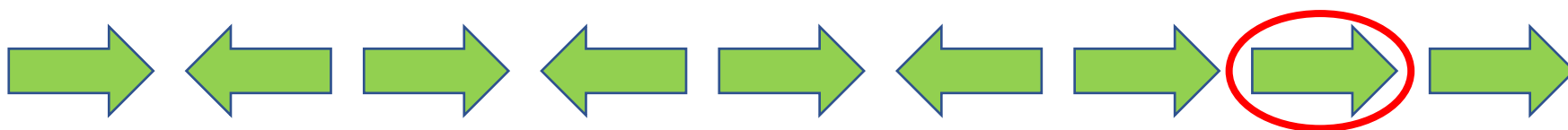
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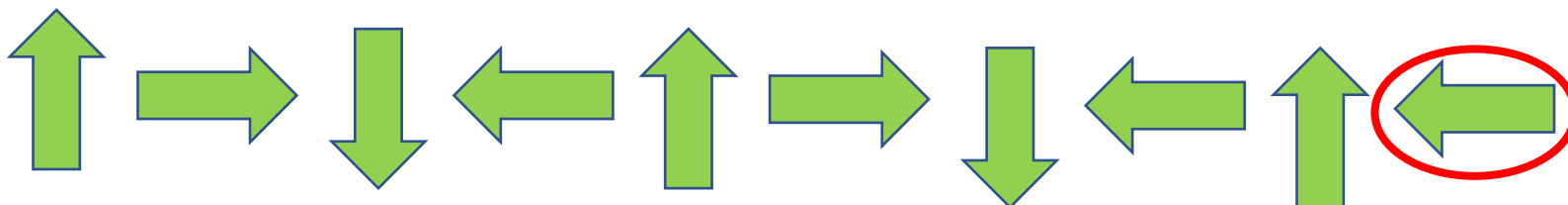
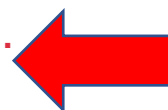


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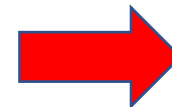
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The mistake is that the arrow is facing the wrong direction.  
It should have been turned a half turn to look like this.



The mistake is that the arrow is facing the wrong direction.  
It should have been turned a quarter turn, or a three-quarter turn to look like this.



## To make patterns with shapes

**Talking Time:** Aisha asks Riley to make a pattern.  
Has Riley made the correct pattern?  
What would the next shape look like?



Can you make a pattern  
using a triangle to show  
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Can you make a pattern using a triangle to show a half turn each time?



Yes.

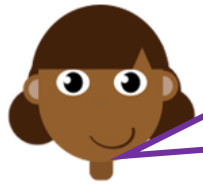
Riley has made the pattern using the same triangle that has been turned a half turn each time.

The next shape in the pattern would look like this.



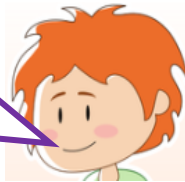
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**Talking Time:** Riley makes a pattern for Aisha.  
Do you agree with Aisha or Riley?  
Can you explain your thinking?



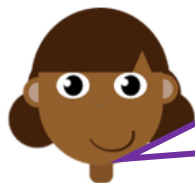
I think the pattern is turn the triangle a three-quarter turn in a clockwise direction.

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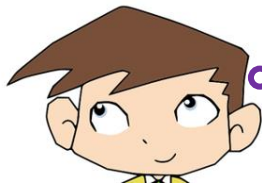
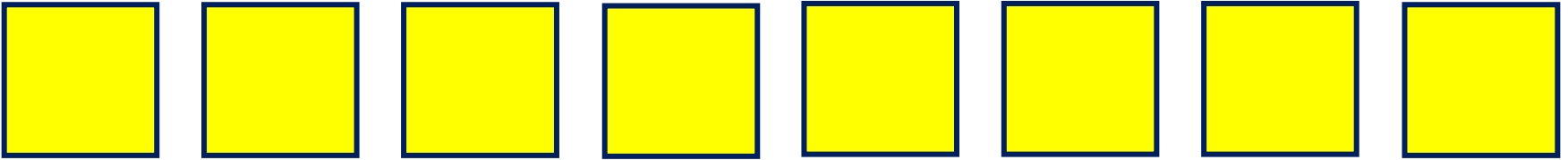
Both children are correct.

If you turn the triangle a three-quarter turn in a clockwise direction or a quarter turn in an anti-clockwise direction, the result will be the same.



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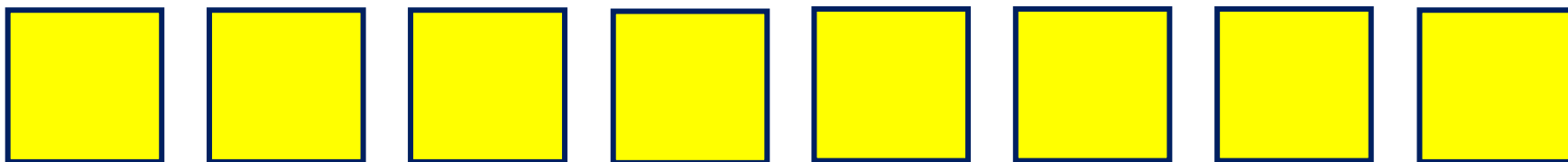
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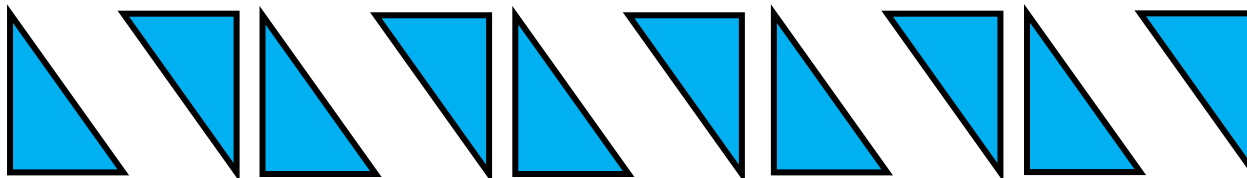
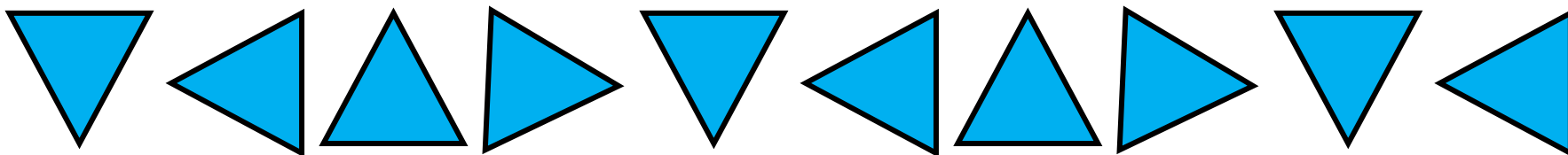
However, it is possible that the square has moved a full turn, a half turn, a quarter turn or a three-quarter turn each time.

All the sides are the same length, so it is hard to tell.

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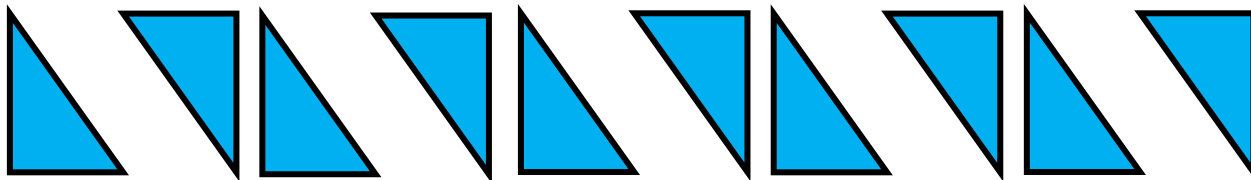
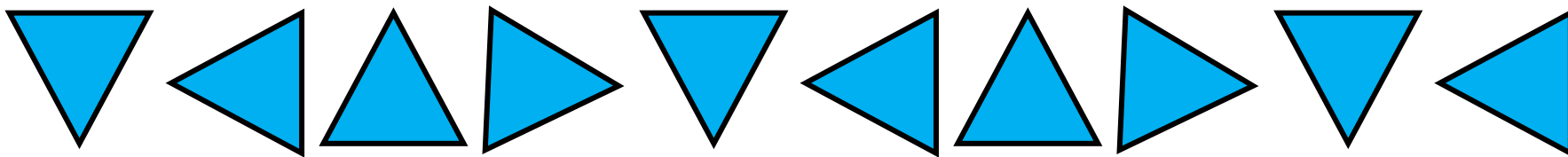
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**Evaluation:** What is the same and what is different about these patterns?



**The same** – both patterns use a triangle. Both patterns have 10 triangles.


**Different** – the first pattern is a quarter or three-quarter turn, but the second is a half turn. The triangles are different types. There are four different positions in the first pattern and there are only two in the second pattern.

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