

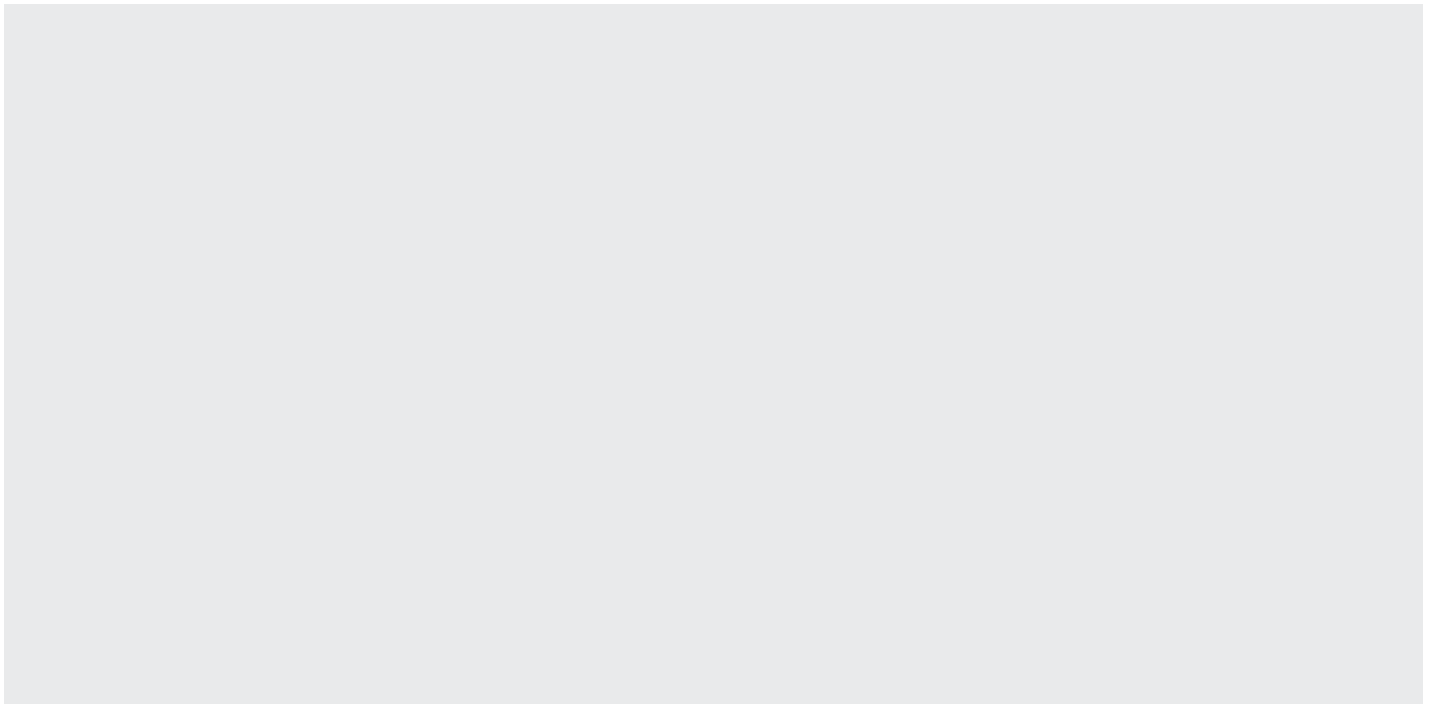
Grandfather Tang's Story

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A tangram puzzle is a Chinese puzzle with 7 pieces. Each piece is called a "tan." Punch out the tangram pieces on the cover. Ask a friend to play tangrams with you. Find a tangram picture in the book. 1-2-3-GO! Who can make it fastest? Try several and see if you get better at it.

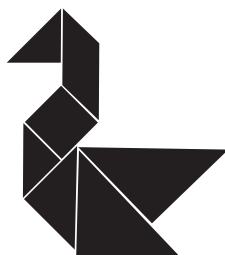
1. Which tangram picture is your favorite? Make it here. Then make up a story to go with the tangram design you made.



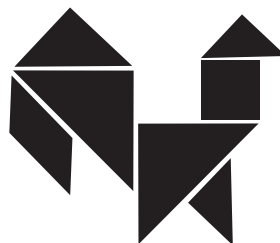
2. If you get really good, try these tangram pictures. (They're harder to do when you can't see the guidelines!)



bunny



swan



rooster



baby carriage

3. Can you make the original 7-piece tangram square, without looking?