

STUDENT SAMPLE LEVEL 3

Color Solutions Activity 2

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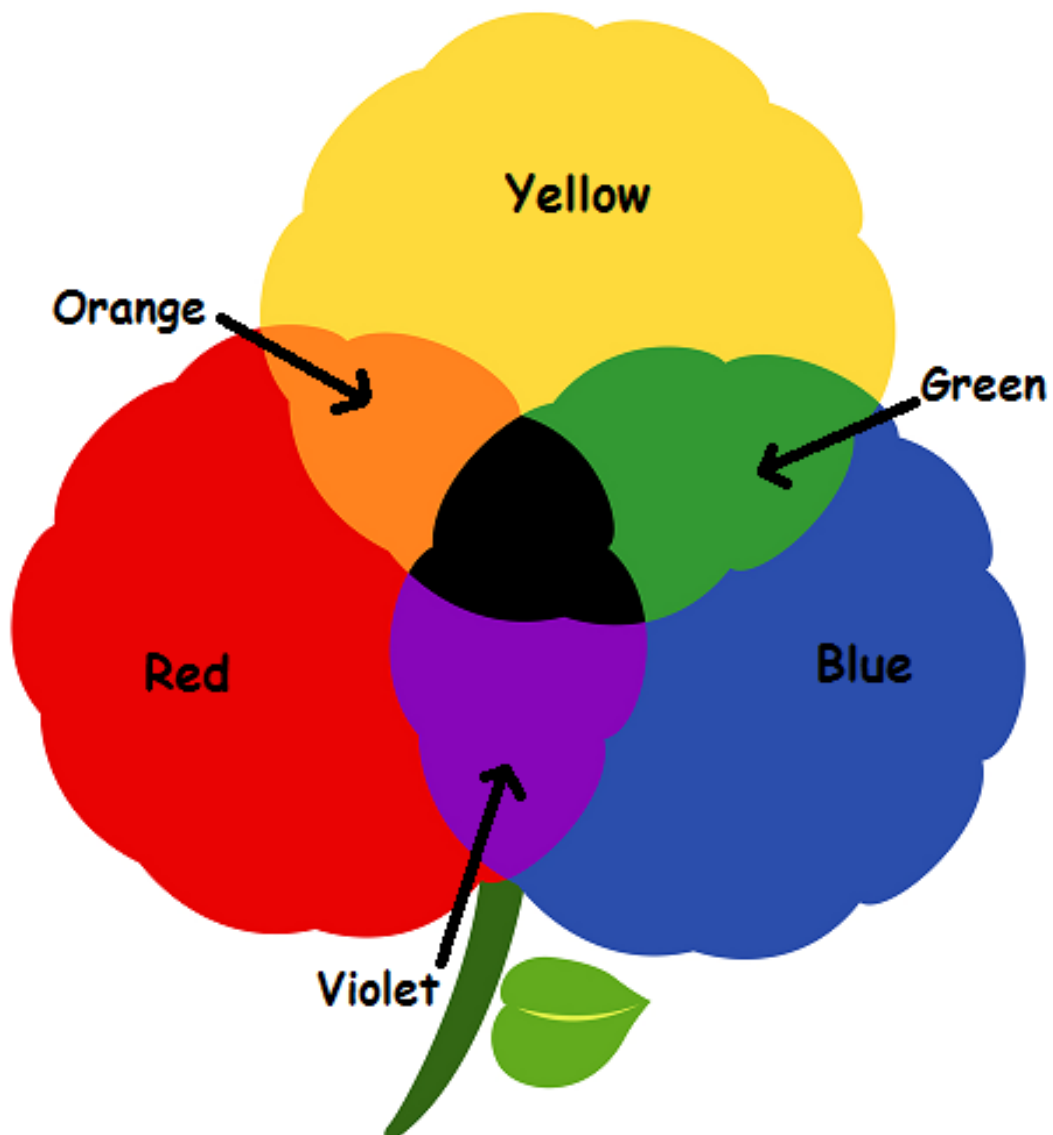


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Student Materials

- **Spot Plate**
- **Stir Rod**

Student Pipette Instruction

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There are now three beakers with three different colored waters.

Why did the tablets fizz?

The color tablets are a **mixture** of soda and citric acids. When dropped in the test tube of water, the tabs **reacted** to the water. The reaction between the soda, acid, and water made a **gas**.



Gas is always **lighter** than liquid, so the gas bubbles floated to the top escaping in the air. Notice how the color tabs are **dissolving** in the water. Dissolve means the substances cannot be separated.

1. Was this a physical change or a chemical change? _____

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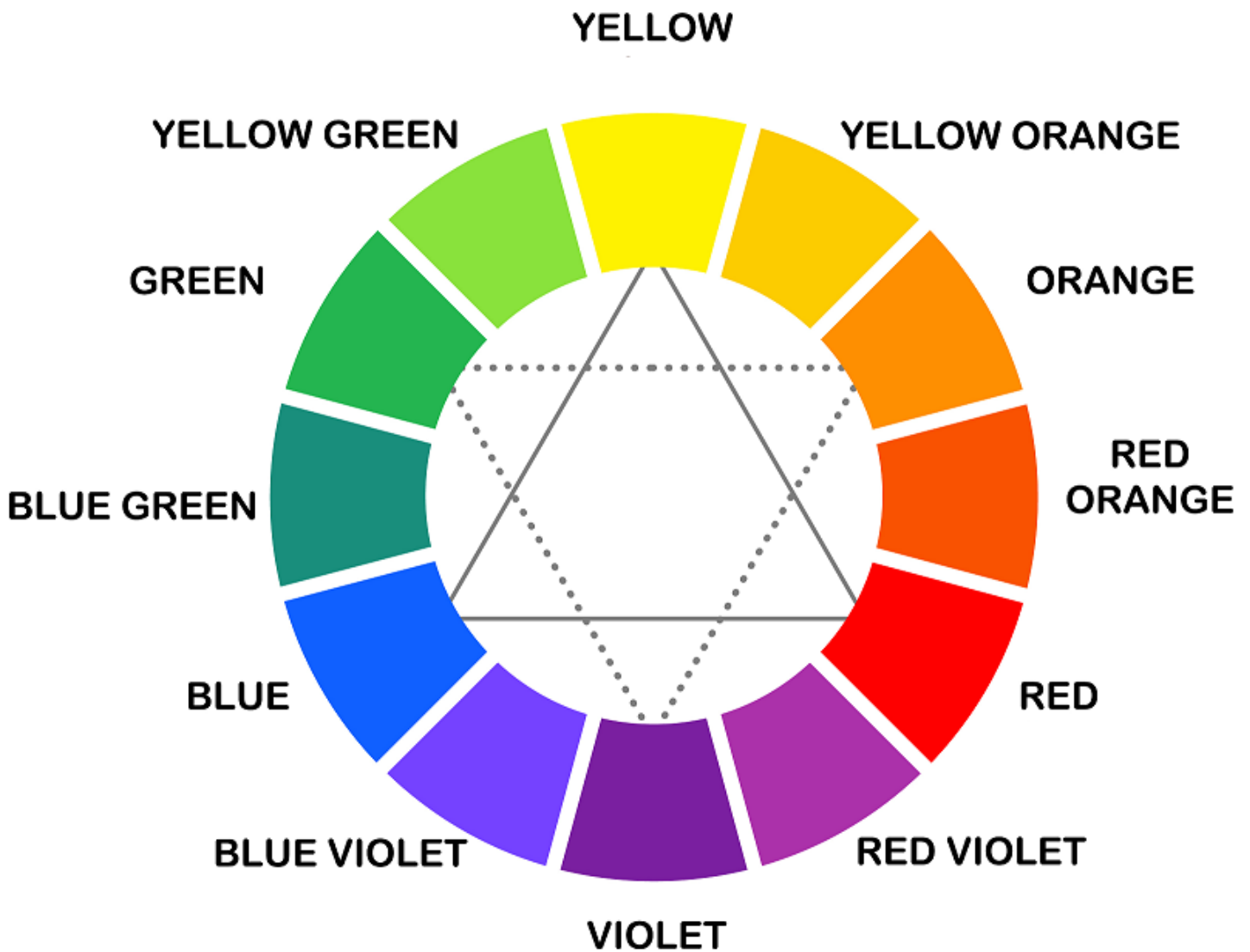
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❖ *Sun Shadows*

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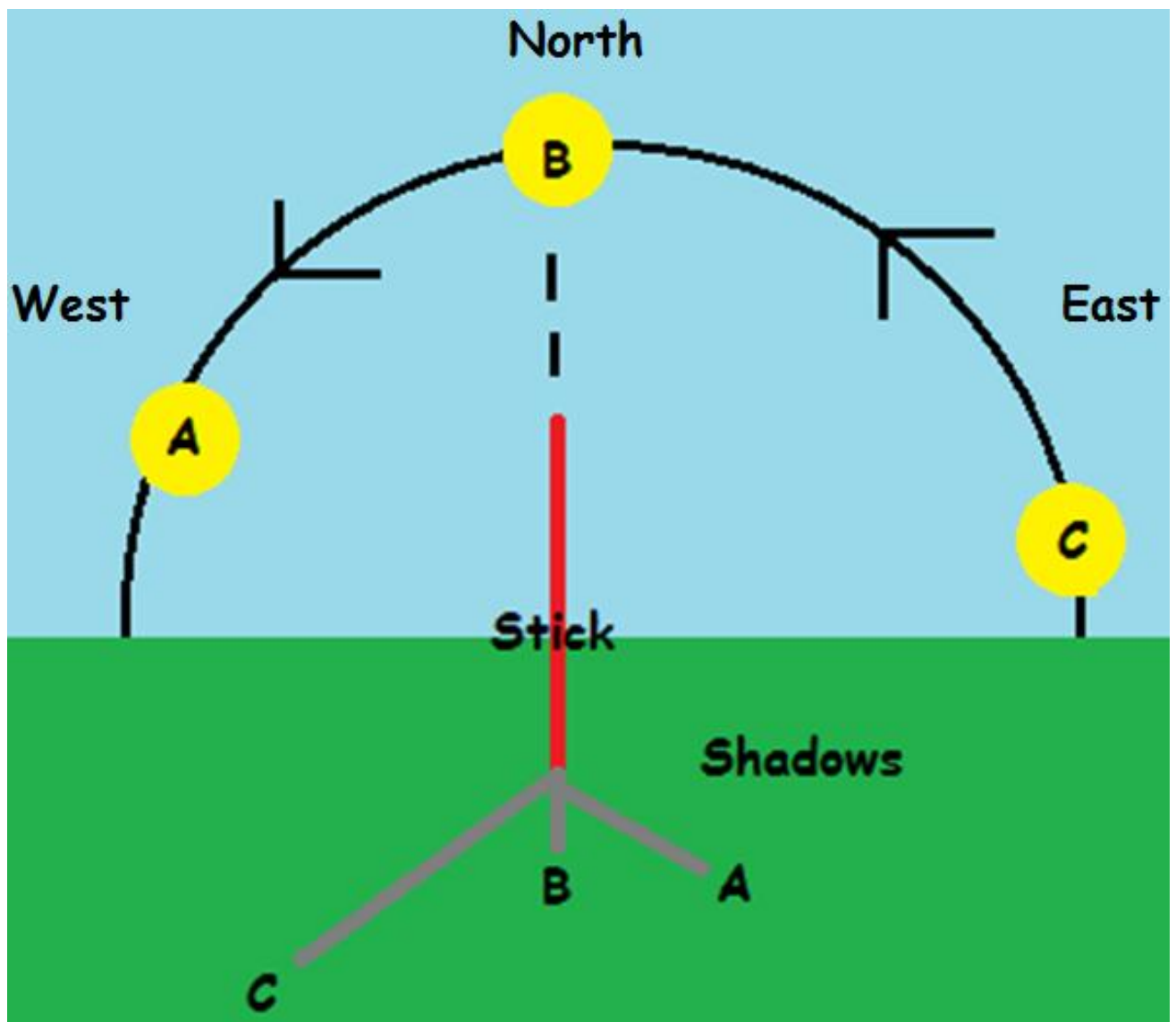


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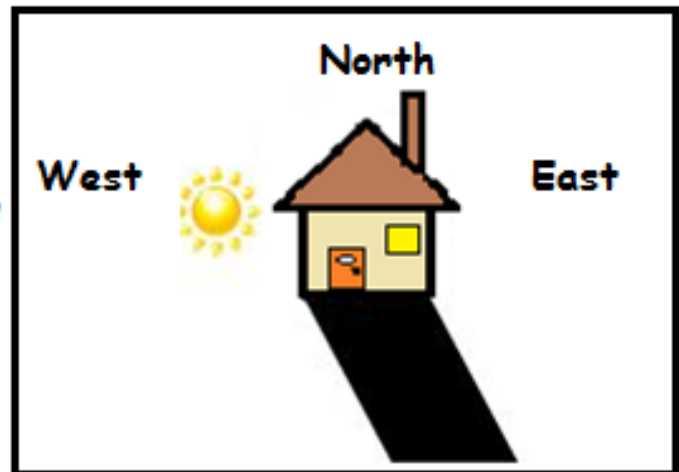
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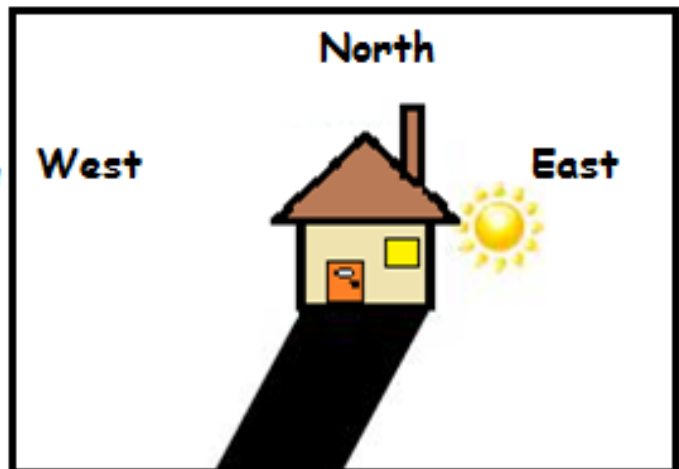
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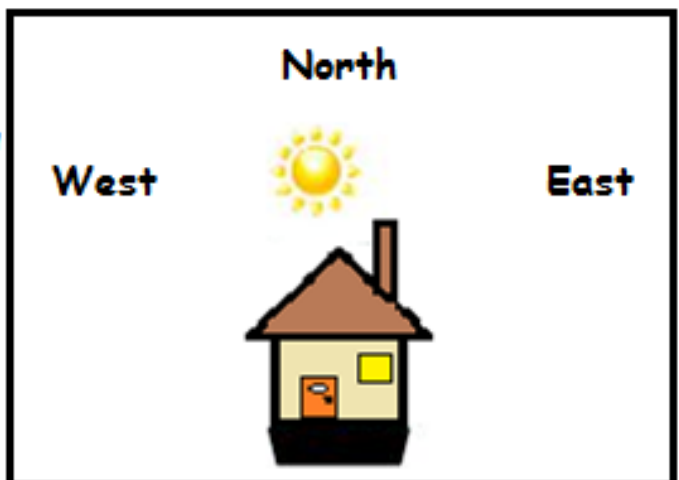
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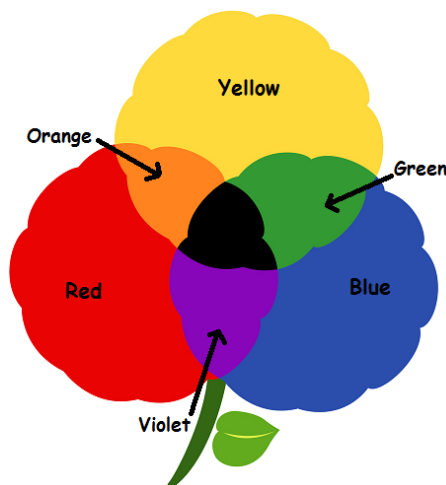


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Teacher Materials

- BEAKERS GLASS 250ml (3)
- COLOR BURST TABLETS; RED, YELLOW, AND BLUE
- PIPETTES

Student Materials

- SPOT PLATE
- STIR ROD

TEACHER NOTE: Above materials will be needed for each experiment. Colors will be used for Activity 3.

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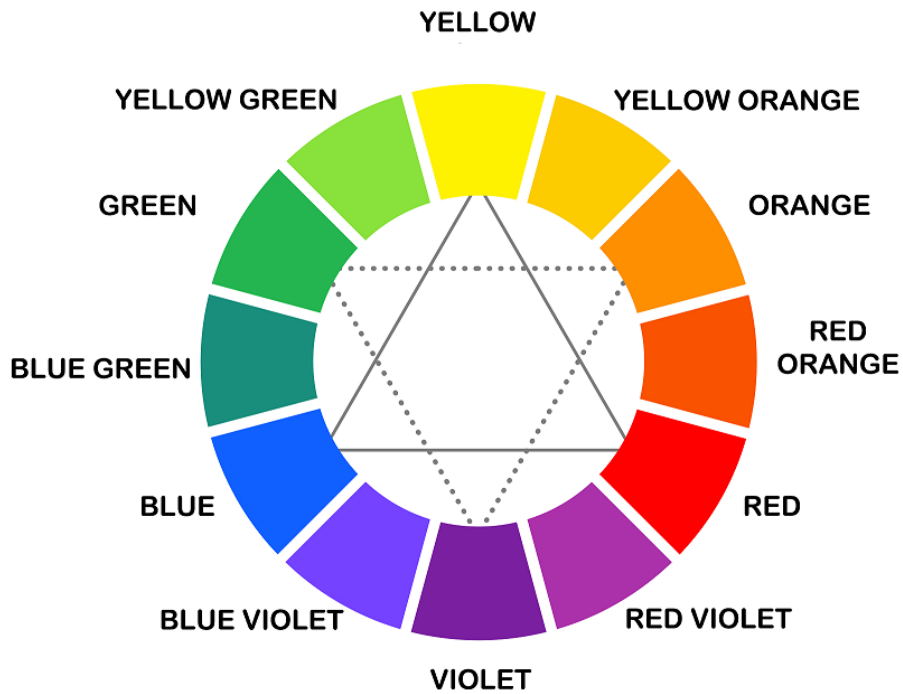
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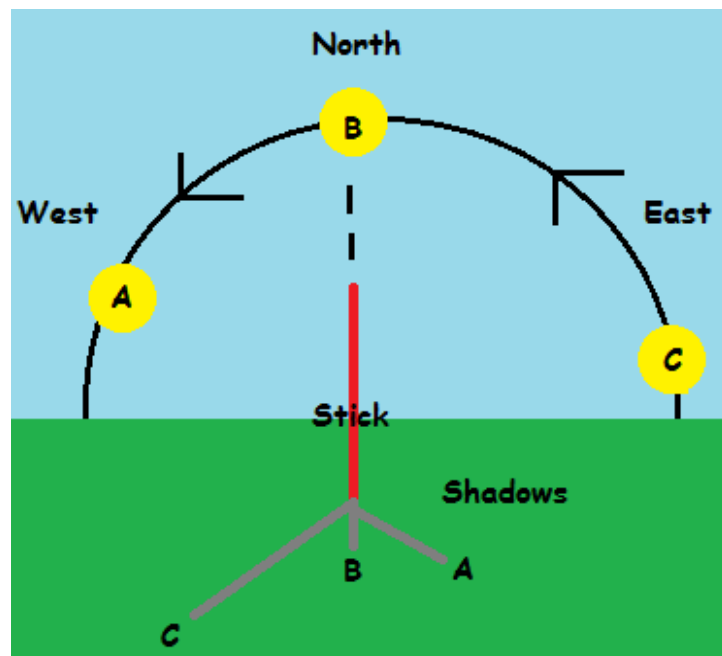


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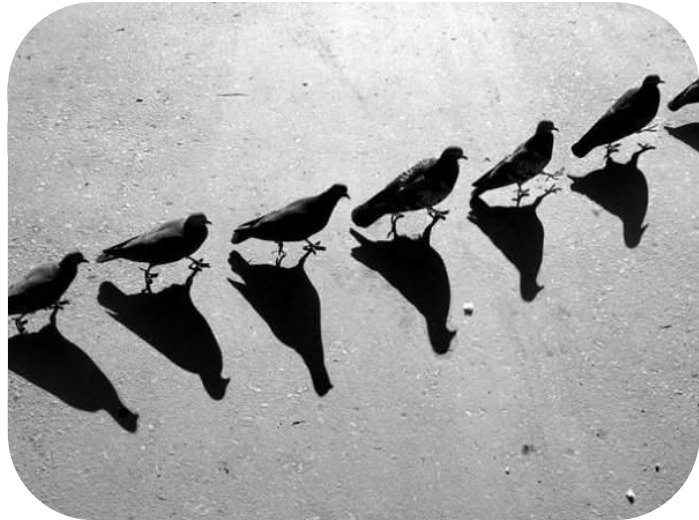
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Which Way Am I Going? Activity
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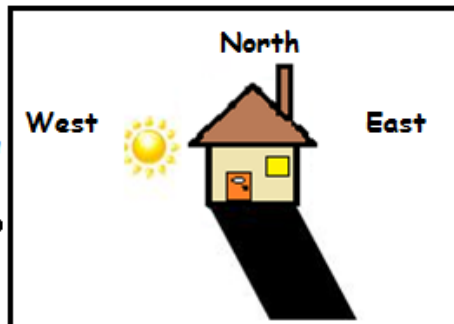
Is there a way to know directions without a compass? Yes! In the morning, because the sun rises in the east, shadows from the sun will stretch to the **west**. As the sun sinks in the west, shadows will stretch toward the **east**. The length of shadows is also a clue. Long shadows mean early morning or late afternoon. Short shadows or none at all indicate it is around noon.



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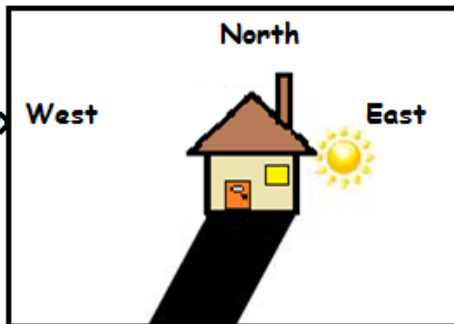
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