Shape Name	Sketch	Description
Linear	O <b></b> O	Only two outer atoms surround the central atom. There are no lone pairs on the central atom. Outer atoms are arranged opposite to each other. The bond angles are exactly 180°.
Trigonal Planar		Three outer atoms surround the central atom. There are no lone pairs on the central atom. The central and outer atoms all lie in the same plane (molecule is flat). Bond angles are exactly 120°.
Bent		Two outer atoms and one lone pair surround the central atom. Bond angles are slightly less than 120°.
Tetrahedral		Four outer atoms surround the central atom. There are no lone pairs on the central atom. The four outer atoms are evenly arranged in 3D around the central atom as if at the corners of a regular tetrahedron. The bond angles are exactly 109.5°.
Trigonal Pyramidial		Three outer atoms and one lone pair surround the central atom. Here the central atom is located slightly above the three outer atoms, like a tripod. The bond angles are slightly less than 109.5°.
Bent		Two outer atoms and two lone pairs surround the central atom. Bond angles are slightly less than 109.5°.