

## Where can I see Crescents?

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Robby had to find crescents.  
His teacher gave him another assignment in math class.  
He had to find crescents in everyday life.  
It seemed very difficult.



He wasn't even sure what a crescent was at first!  
He had to look it up in the dictionary.  
Crescent: a curved shape that is wide in the middle and pointed at the ends.  
That helped a little bit, but he still had to think.

Then, he found one staring right back at him in his breakfast.  
A banana was a crescent.  
It was curved, thick in the middle, and pointy at the ends.  
After that, it became a little easier.



The moon at night can be a crescent.  
Sometimes, it's a thick crescent and sometimes it's thin one.  
Some countries' flags have crescents on them.  
He saw them on a map on his bedroom wall.  
In math class they made crescents by covering up rounded parts of circles.  
The leftover was a crescent.  
Croissant rolls were crescent-shaped.  
It was even French for crescent.

Crescents were hard to find, but they were around.  
Robby just had to look for them.