## Worksheet 1: Symmetries

1. How many symmetries do

have? What makes two symmetries different?
2. For each of the shapes in 1 , number the corners.
(a) Is there a way to view a symmetry as a function whose domain an codomain are the set of corners?
(b) From this point of view, give an example of a function on the corners that is not a symmetry of the above objects.
3. What might a symmetry of a deck of cards look like?
4. Classify the symmetries of

(Also be sure to say what it means to classify!)
5. Lists some properties that a symmetry (as a function) should have.

Write-up (due September 06, 2019): Write an introduction to mathematical symmetry.

- What is a symmetry?
- What kinds of things can it be applied to?
- Illustrate with the example of problem 4.

