Unit 5: Working with Shapes & Elements

# **Buying a Car 2**

Working with Illustrations

### Lesson Overview

You decide to share your car buying research with your friends, but you want to improve the appearance by adding pictures, shapes and other visual effects first. You hope they will use this information to help them make an informed decision before purchasing.

In this lesson, you will open a previously created worksheet to improve the appearance of it before sharing the information with friends.

### **New Skills**

- Inserting Online Pictures
- Inserting Shapes
- Inserting SmartArt

## Tools & Terms You'll Use

Review the following tools and terms that you will practice in this lesson, as you may be required to take a written assessment test after completing this unit.

#### **Online Pictures:**

Use this icon to find and insert pictures from a variety of online sources.







#### SmartArt:

Use this icon to visually communicate information such as an organizational chart or a flow chart.

#### Shapes:

Use this drop-down menu to insert ready-made shapes, such as circles, squares, and arrows.



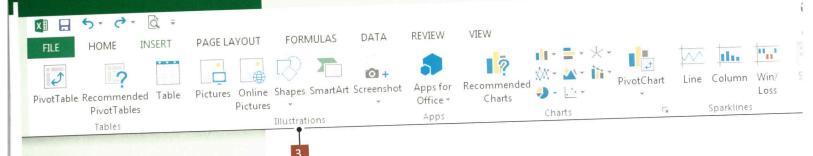
#### Recently Used Shapes

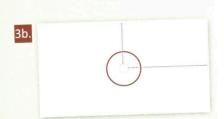
Basic Shapes

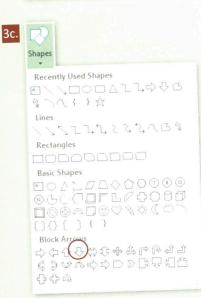
[]{} [] { } Block Arrows

# Lesson 5.2

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## Instructions

- 1. Open your existing workbook 5.1 Buying a Car.
- 2. Save the file as 5.2 Buying a Car 2 in your My Excel Projects folder.
- 3. From the INSERT tab, Illustrations group, do the following:
  - Using the Online Pictures icon, insert a car-themed picture by keying the text [car] in the Office.com Clip Art search box (as shown below)

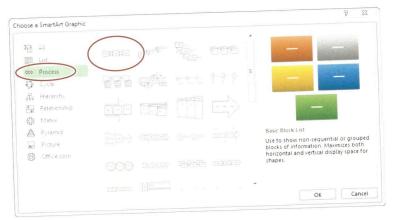


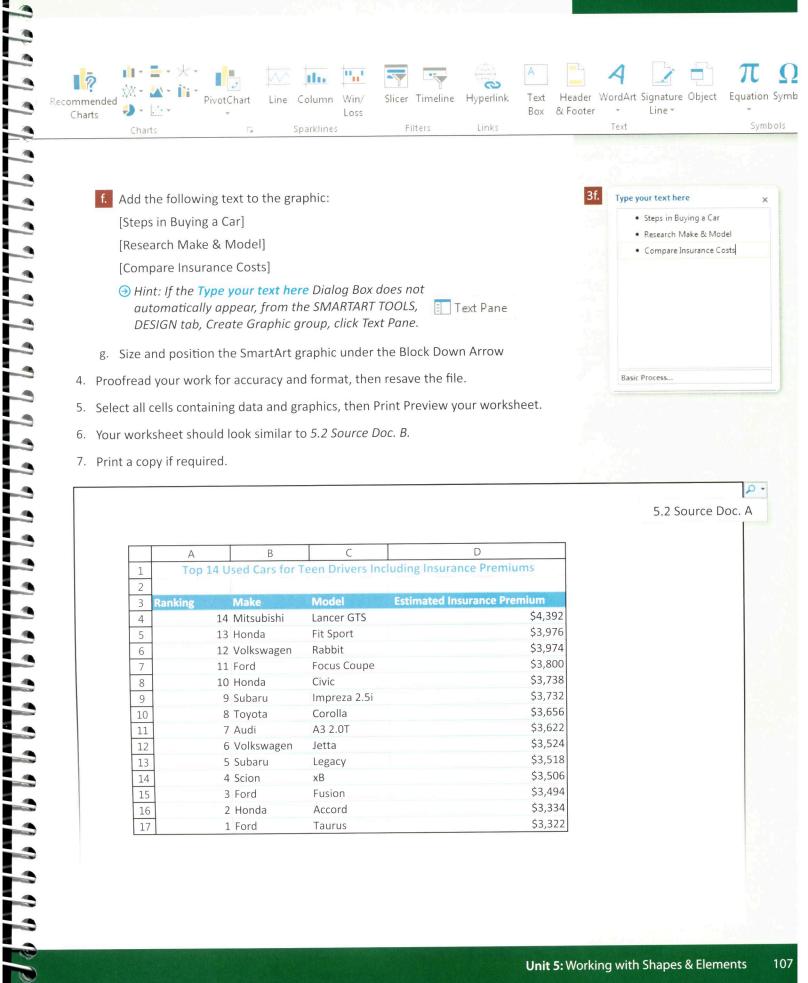


- → Note: Images may vary. Use your best judgment when selecting an image.
- b. Use the handles around the picture to size it appropriately and position the picture under the table
  - → Note: Use 5.2 Source Doc. B as a visual reference when resizing the picture.
- c. Insert the Block Down Arrow from the Shapes drop-down menu
- d. Size and position the Block Down Arrow shape under the picture of the car

  One Note: Use 5.2 Source Doc. B as a visual reference when positioning the shape.
- e. From SmartArt, insert the Process, Basic Process graphic (as shown below)







f. Add the following text to the graphic:

[Steps in Buying a Car]

[Research Make & Model]

[Compare Insurance Costs]

- → Hint: If the Type your text here Dialog Box does not automatically appear, from the SMARTART TOOLS, Text Pane DESIGN tab, Create Graphic group, click Text Pane.
- g. Size and position the SmartArt graphic under the Block Down Arrow
- 4. Proofread your work for accuracy and format, then resave the file.
- 5. Select all cells containing data and graphics, then Print Preview your worksheet.
- 6. Your worksheet should look similar to 5.2 Source Doc. B.
- 7. Print a copy if required.

Type your text here · Steps in Buying a Car • Research Make & Model Compare Insurance Costs Basic Process..

5.2 Source Doc. A

	А	В	С	D
1	Top 14 U	sed Cars for T	een Drivers Inc	luding Insurance Premiums
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3	Ranking	Make	Model	Estimated Insurance Premium
4	14	Mitsubishi	Lancer GTS	\$4,392
5	13	Honda	Fit Sport	\$3,976
6	12	Volkswagen	Rabbit	\$3,974
7	11	Ford	Focus Coupe	\$3,800
8	10	Honda	Civic	\$3,738
9	9	Subaru	Impreza 2.5i	\$3,732
10	8	Toyota	Corolla	\$3,656
11	7	Audi	A3 2.0T	\$3,622
12	6	Volkswagen	Jetta	\$3,524
13	5	Subaru	Legacy	\$3,518
14	4	Scion	xВ	\$3,506
15	3	Ford	Fusion	\$3,494
16	2	Honda	Accord	\$3,334
17	1	Ford	Taurus	\$3,322

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5.2 Source Doc. B

Top 14 Used Cars for Teen Drivers Including Insurance Premiums

	Make	Model	Estimated Insurance Premium
Ranking		Lancer GTS	\$4,392
	14 Mitsubishi		\$3,976
	13 Honda	Fit Sport	\$3,974
	12 Volkswagen	Rabbit	\$3,800
	11 Ford	Focus Coupe	
	10 Honda	Civic	\$3,738
	9 Subaru	Impreza 2.5i	\$3,732
	8 Toyota	Corolla	\$3,656
		A3 2.0T	\$3,622
	7 Audi		\$3,524
	6 Volkswagen	Jetta	\$3,518
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	4 Scion	xВ	\$3,494
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All lines