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# Key words:

- Add
- Subtract
- Millimetre (mm)
- Centimetre (cm)
- Metre (m)

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# Fluency in 5! 😊

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/daily10>

- Choose what you are comfortable with!
- I usually click on Level 2, then choose a times table/group of times tables to focus on 😊
- We should all know  $2x$ ,  $5x$  and  $10x$ , but focus on these if you're still not confident,
- The main tables we should be focusing on are  $3x$ ,  $4x$  and  $8x$  😊

# Measurement Bingo!

Draw a grid with 6 squares,

Write 6 numbers between 1-20 metres,

Example:

4m	10m	18m
1m	6m	11m



Warning! It may not be as easy as it sounds...

You may need to convert centimetres...

# What have we learnt?

This is Blorb, an alien from Planet Zorbo,  
He is new to planet Earth...

I don't know anything about measurement!  
What can you teach me?





A giant monster measured parts of its body.

His left arm was 86cm long.

His left leg was 123cm long.



How long are his arm and leg **altogether**?

How would we work this out?

**CHALLENGE!** Can you convert the answer from cm to m and cm?



101 cm



77 cm



112 cm

These 3 children measured their heights.  
They want to work out the total height of all  
3 children.

How can they do this?

# Quick estimation round!

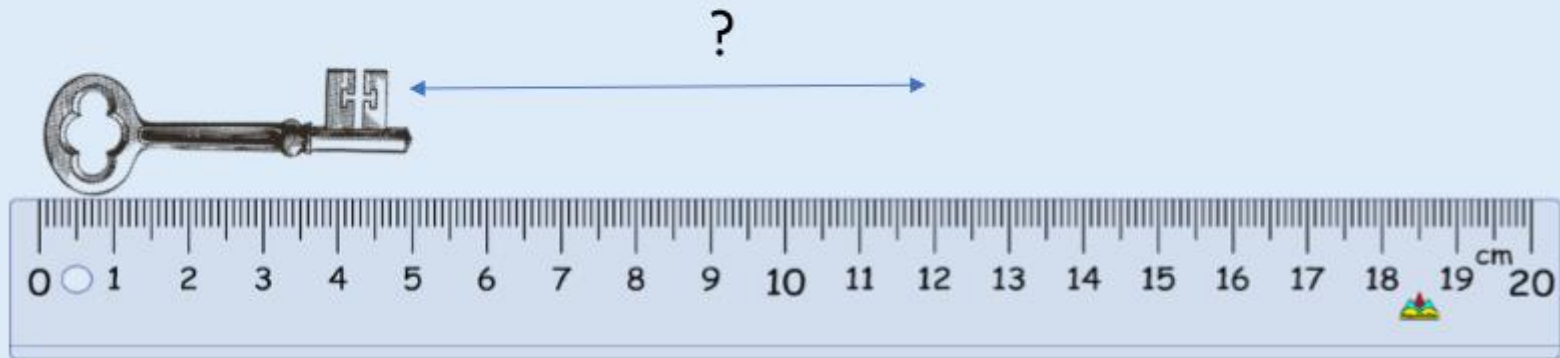
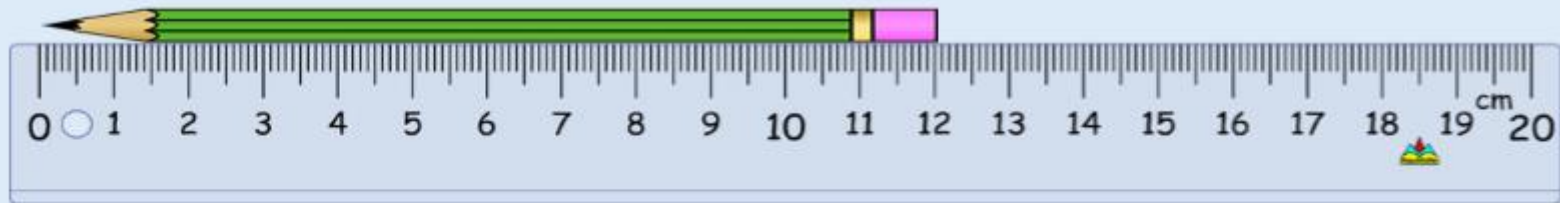
Estimate the length of these objects:

- An item in the kitchen,
- A pencil,
- Your left arm.



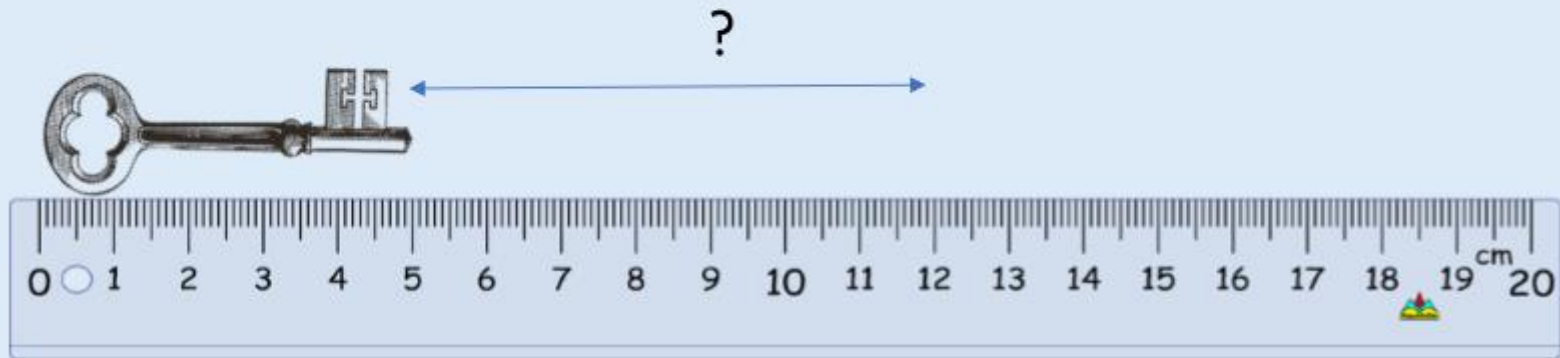
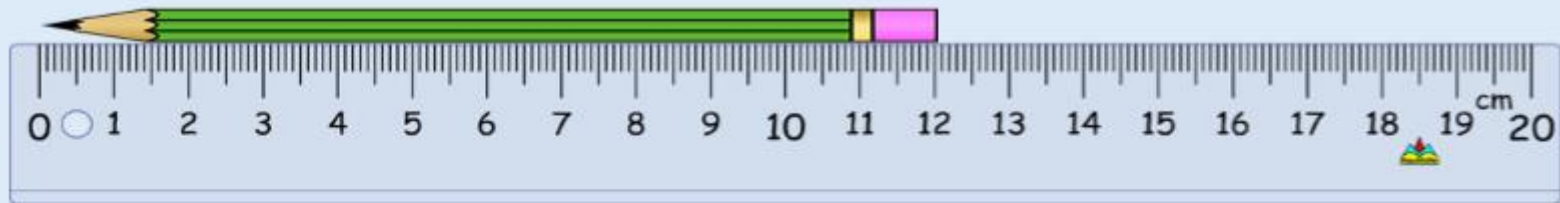
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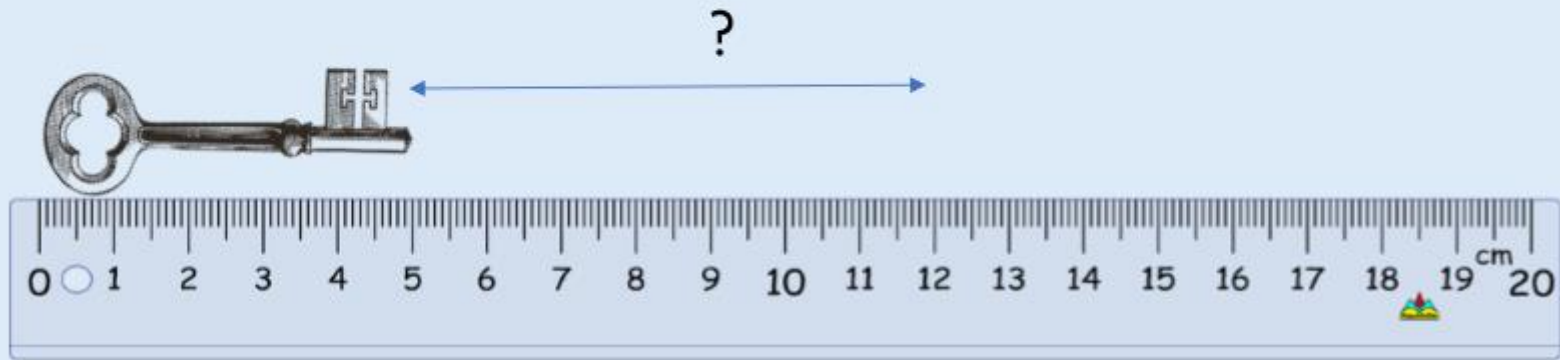
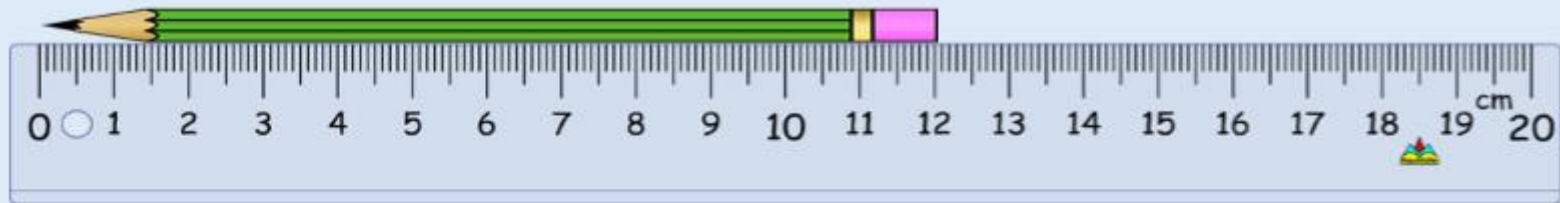
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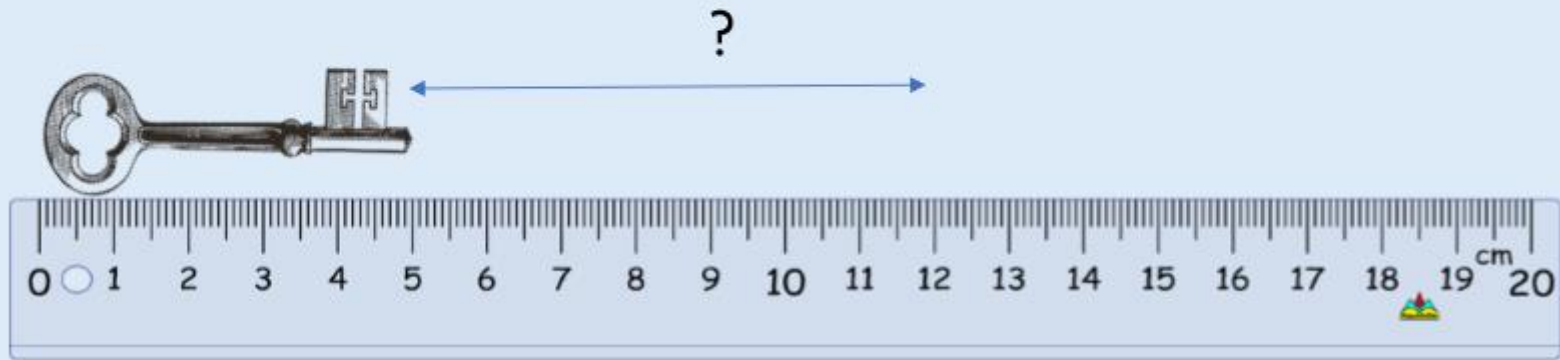
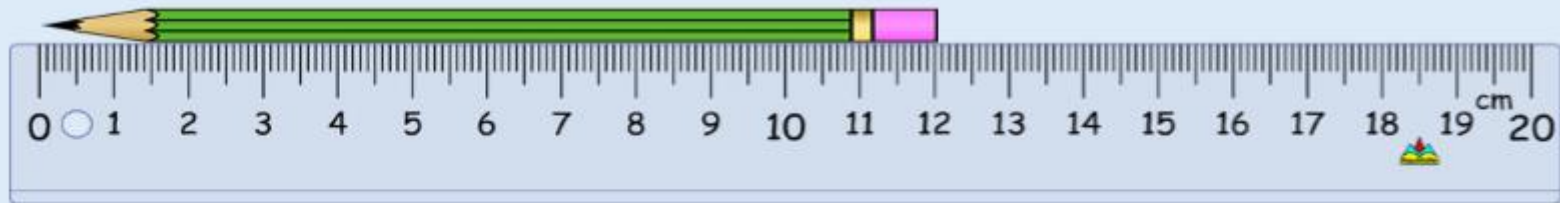
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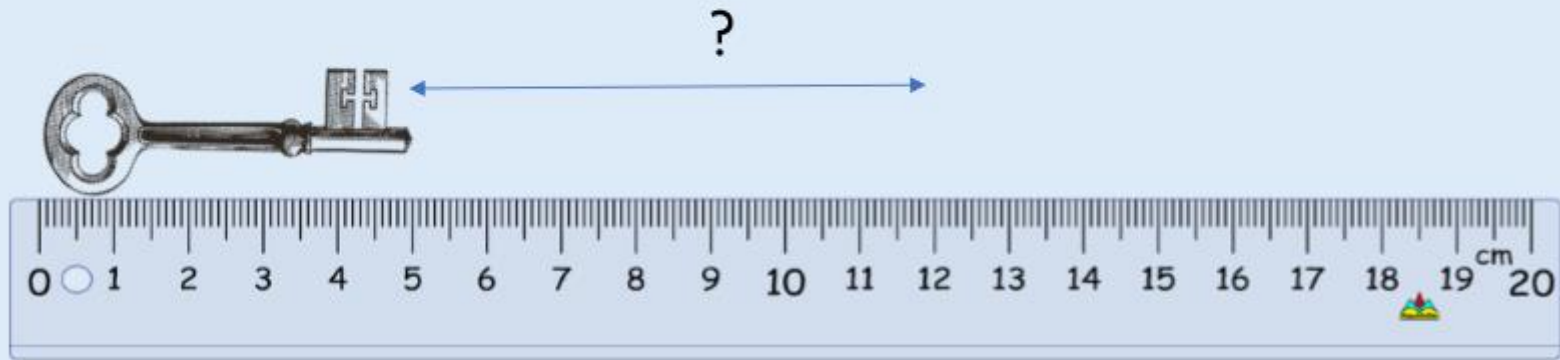
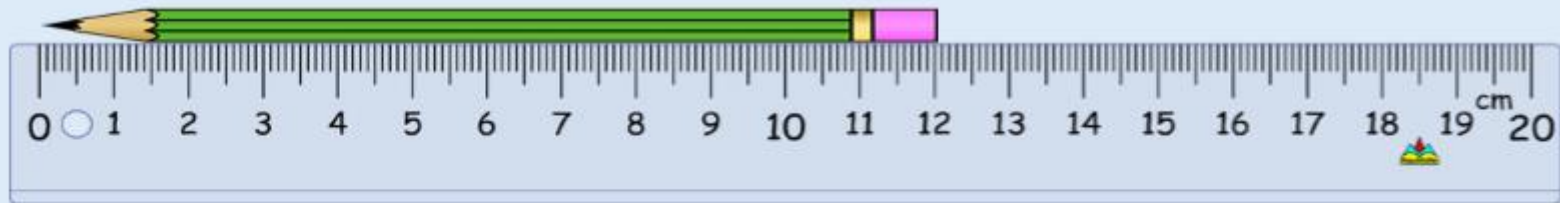


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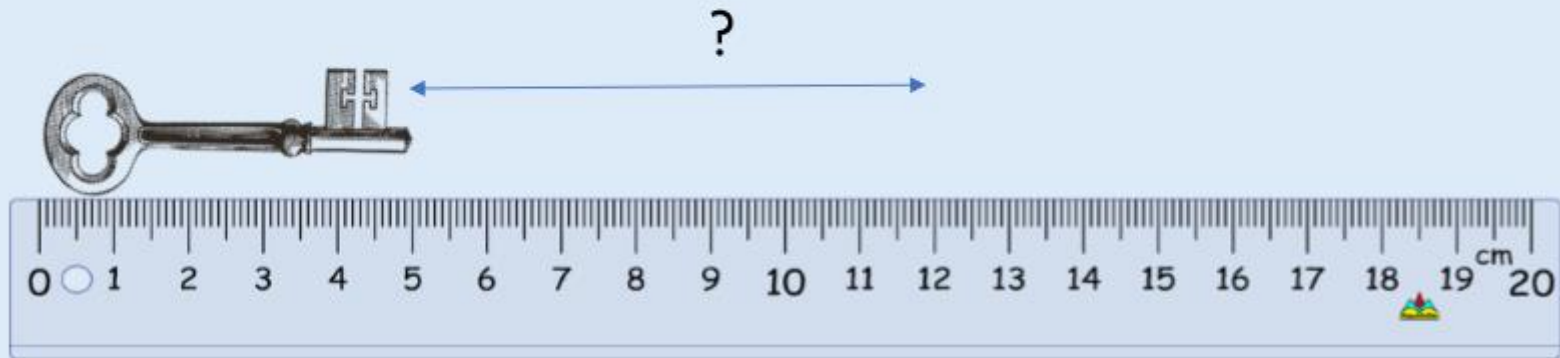
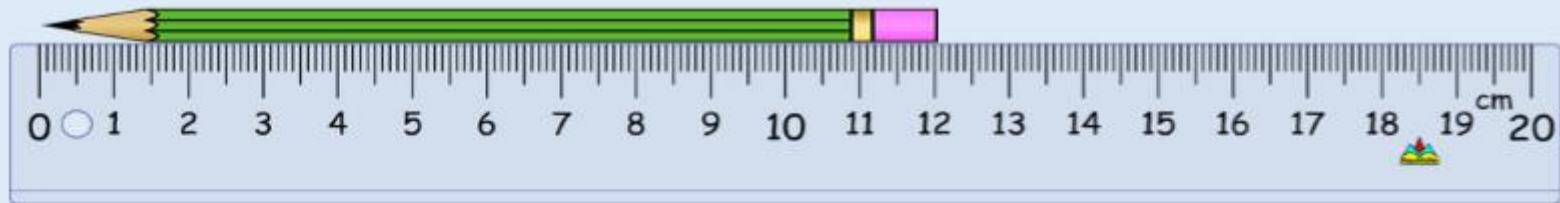
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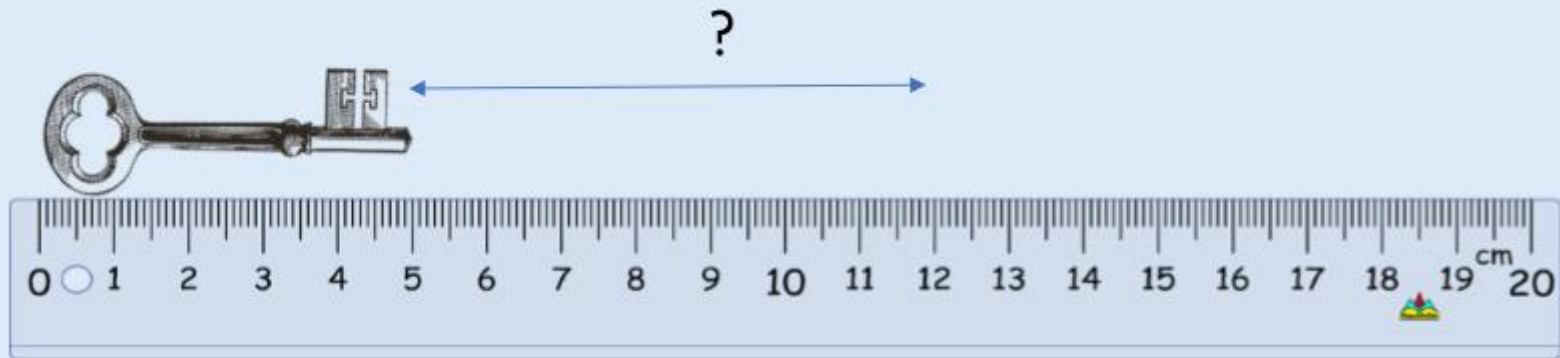
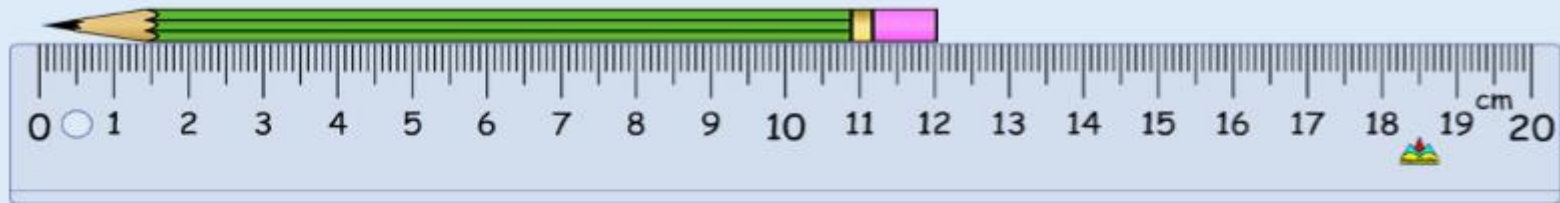


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$$16\text{cm} - 5\text{cm} = 11\text{cm}$$

# Task time!

Remember:

$1\text{m} = 100\text{cm}$

$1\text{cm} = 10\text{mm}$

2. Jenny and her brother Alex measured the height of their family.



Jenny thinks their total height is 5 m and 50 cm

Alex thinks their total height is 6 m and 84 cm

Who is correct? Prove it.

1.

Frank needs to travel to his friend's house. He wants to take the shortest possible route. Which way should Frank go?



3. Mark has just used 109cm of tape to wrap a present. He has 212cm of tape left. How much tape did Mark start with?

Challenge - how much is this in m?

4.

Megan has a 3m roll of ribbon. She is cutting it up into 50cm lengths. How many lengths can she cut? **Convince me.**



And lots of challenges at the front of the classroom!



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