



3M028A Guidance Sheet

Master Measuring Length in Mixed Measures (m and cm) A

Our practical task cards for Master Measuring Length in Mixed Measures (m and cm) can be given to pupils to assess their ability to measure the lengths and heights of given items using mixed measurements.

This guidance should be used in conjunction with the task cards.

Preparation of Tasks

Pupils will need access to metre sticks and tape measures to complete the tasks. The tasks which require pre-measured items are detailed below.

Task 1

Measure lengths of various pieces of ribbon to different mixed measures in m and cm. We would recommend preparing a good variety of measurements for the children. For example, 1m and 45cm, 2m and 7cm, and 3m and 80cm.

Task 2

Find items that can have mixed measurements in m and cm for pupils to measure around the classroom. Again, we would recommend finding a broad variety of lengths for the children to practice measuring.

Task 3

Find items of varying heights that you can estimate and measure the height of safely in and out of your classroom using a metre stick or tape measure.

