

Choose the Correct Unit of Measure

Directions

1. Look at the table below. Write each Customary and Metric Unit on a separate sheet of paper.
2. Work with a partner to measure the length of each object below in Customary and Metric units.
3. Use the following sentence frame to talk about it:

My _____ measures _____ in customary units
and _____ in metric units.

Customary Units	Metric Units
12 inches (in) = 1 foot (ft)	10 centimeters (cm) = 1 decimeter (dm)
36 inches (in) = 1 yard (yd)	1 meter (m) = 100 centimeters (cm)
3 feet (ft) = 1 yard (yd)	1 kilometer (km) = 1,000 meters (m)
Measure these objects: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Your backpack • Your partner's notebook • Your desk • Your partner's arm 	