

Measuring Length

Name _____

Measuring is an important part of a scientist's job. A scientist measures the amount of the materials he needs for an experiment. He also records measurements as he does an experiment. All his measurements must be accurate.

Materials

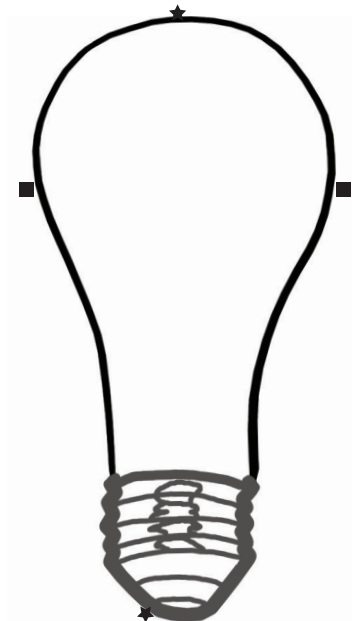
centimeter ruler
string
scissors

Practice measuring length and distance. Round to the nearest whole centimeter.



Mark each box after you finish the task.

- 1. Measure the length of the light bulb between the stars. _____ cm
- 2. Measure the length of the light bulb between the squares. _____ cm



- 3. Measure the length of your partner's hand. _____ cm
- 4. Measure the distance from the floor to the top of your desk. _____ cm