

Study the following.

- measure- (**mez**h-ur) 1. to find the size, weight, etc. of something. (please measure the height of this table.)
2. to have as a measurement. (The table measures three feet high.)
 3. a unit of measure or a fixed amount used for measuring. (An inch is a measure of length.)

unit of measure- (**yoo**-nit of **mez**h-ur) a fixed amount used for measuring. (An inch is a unit of measure.)

unit (**yoo**-nit) - (same as a unit of measure) – a fixed amount used for measuring. (An inch is a unit used to measure length.)

All three words can be used to mean unit of measure.

Some examples are : inches, feet, pounds, gallons, minutes, meters.

List any other units you can think of:

Say each word out loud and write it in the blank.

measure _____

unit _____

Write each definition in your own words.

measure (definition 1)

measure (definition 2)

measure (definition 3)

unit of measure

unit

Write 2 sentences using each word.

measure (definition 1)

1.

2.

measure (definition 2)

1.

2.

measure (definition 3)

1.

2.

unit of measure

1.

2.

unit

1.

2.

Matching.

measure

a fixed amount used for measuring

unit of measure

a fixed amount used for measuring

unit

a fixed amount used for measuring

Study the following.

US Measurement System- the way things are usually measured in the United States using units like inches, gallons, and pounds.

Customary Measurement System (**kuss-tuh-mer-ee**) – another name for US Measurement System

Metric System (**met-rik**) – the way things are measured in other countries and sometimes in the United States, using units like meters, liters, and grams.

Say each word out loud and write it in the blank.

customary _____
metric _____

Write each definition in your own words.

US Measurement system

Customary measurement

Metric system

Write two sentences using each group of words.

US Measurement system

1.

2.

Customary Measurement system

1.

2.

Metric system

1.

2.

Write down some units of measure you know in the US or Customary System.

Write down some units of measure you know in the Metric System.

Write down some units of measure you know that are used all around the world. (Hint: time units.)

Matching

US Measurement System

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Customary Measurement System

the way things are measured in other countries and sometimes in the United States, using units like meters, liters, and grams.

Metric System

another name for US Measurement System

Study the following.

length (**leng**kth) - how long something is

weight (**wate**) – how heavy something is

volume (**vol**-yuhm) or capacity (kuh-**pass**-uh-tee) – how much a container can hold

time (**time**) – how long something takes

temperature (**tem**-pur-uh-chur) – how hot or cold something is

Say each word out loud and write it in the blank.

length _____
weight _____
volume _____
capacity _____
time _____
temperature _____

Write each definition in your own words.

length

weight

volume

capacity

time

temperature

Write one sentence using each word.

length

1.

weight

1.

volume

1.

capacity

1.

time

1.

temperature

1.

Matching

length

how long something is

weight

how long something takes

volume

how much a container can hold

capacity

how much a container can hold

time

how heavy something is

temperature

how hot or cold something is

Write two examples of units of each if you can.

length-

weight-

capacity or volume-

time-

temperature-

Review.

What is a unit?

Give five examples of units.

What does measure mean?

What is the US Measurement System?

What is the Metric System?