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Measuring Our World

How do these items in Maria's classroom compare with those things in your classroom? Measure to find out.

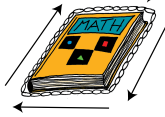Maria's desk is 18 links tall.

1. My desk is _____ links tall.

Maria's desk is 16 links long.

2. My desk is _____ links long.

Maria measured the distance around her math book. The distance around an object is called the **perimeter**. The perimeter of Maria's math book is 39 links.

3. The perimeter of my math book is _____ links.

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1–2.* Answers will vary.

3.* 6 + 6 + 8 + 8 = 28 links

4–6. Answers will vary.

7. A. Mark's
   B. Josh's
   C. 2 links
   D. 3 links
   E. Possible response: I started with 11 links and counted on 3 more to get to 14.

8. crazy

9. could be

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Measuring Ourselves

✓ Check-In: Questions 4-9
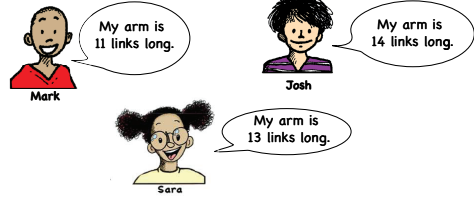
Julio's arm is 12 links long.

4. My arm is _____ links long.

Julio's foot is 5 links long.

5. My foot is _____ links long.

6. Use links to measure another part of your body. Draw a picture to show what and how you measure.

My _____ is _____ links long.

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7. Mark, Josh, and Sara each measured their arm. Include labels.

My arm is 11 links long. — Mark
My arm is 14 links long. — Josh
My arm is 13 links long. — Sara

A. Whose arm is shortest? _____
B. Whose arm is longest? _____
C. How much longer is Sara's arm than Mark's arm?
D. How much shorter is Mark's arm than Josh's arm?
E. Show or tell how you solved Question D.

Circle your answer.
8. Frank said his hand is 12 links long. Could be or crazy?
9. Anna said her hand is 4 links long. Could be or crazy?

*Answers and/or discussion are included in the lesson.

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