

COMPARING OBJECTS

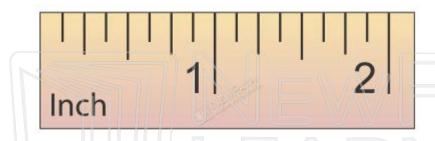
When you compare two objects, you identify how the objects are **ALIKE** and how they are **DIFFERENT**.

When comparing two objects, you can compare the objects' characteristics, such as:

HOW LONG AN OBJECT IS (Length):



Inches are used to measure small objects, like a pencil.



A ruler is 12 inches long



Feet

Used to measure larger objects, like a person

One foot = 12 inches

Yards

Used to measure even larger objects, like a field

1 yard = 3 feet or 36 inches

Centimeters







HOW WIDE AN OBJECT IS (Width)



The elephant weighs MORE than the caterpillar.



Units of measurements used when measuring weight:

Ounces (oz = abbreviation for ounce)

5 nickels and three dimes together weigh about 1 ounce.

1 ounce = a little more than 28 grams...so 1 ounce weighs MORE than 1 gram.

Grams (g = abbreviation for gram)

2 nickels and 2 dimes together weigh about 1 gram.



A gallon holds **MORE** milk than a cup.



<u>Units of measurements used when measuring how much liquid an object holds:</u>



Pint:



