Year 1

Tuesday 23rd February 2021

LO: I am getting better at using a non -standard unit of measure.

A non –standard unit of measure is using items such as cubes, hands and straws to measure length and height.

It is important that the units you use need to be of equal length and when you place them they need to be touching. (If you don't have cubes then some Lego bricks will be perfect, but they need to be all the same).

Remember the height or length is how tall / long something is and the width is how wide it is.

Can you choose your item and then after looking at the lesson video fill in the information in the table below.

Item	Non -standard unit (how many)
Pencil	
Book	
Height of your favourite toy	
Felt tip pen	
Can of food	
Your foot	

•	Which is the longest item?
•	Which is the shortest item?
•	What is the difference between the longest and shortest item?
•	Can you put your items in order from longest to the shortest?







