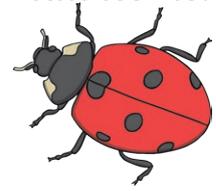
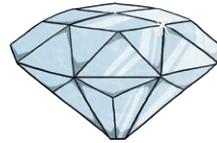
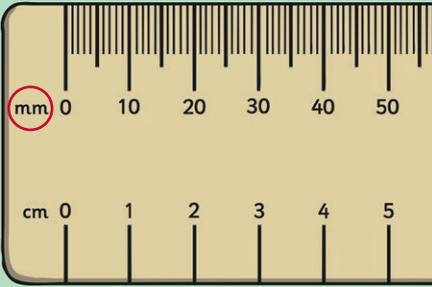


Measuring Length

We use a ruler to measure very small items.

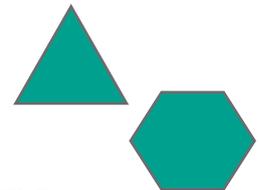
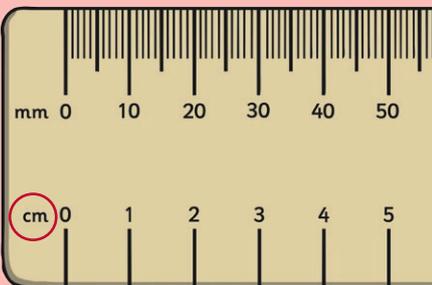


We measure these in millimetres.

We write this as **mm**.

$$10\text{mm} = 1\text{cm}$$

We use a ruler to measure some larger items.

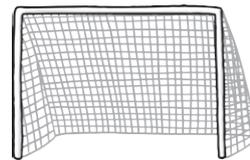
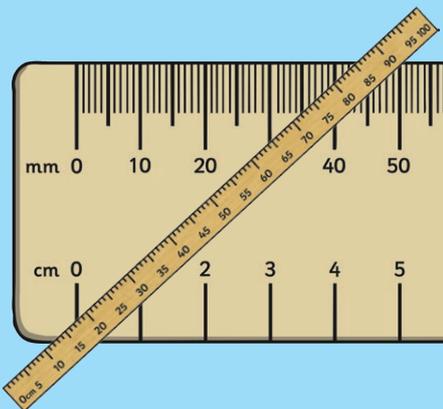


We measure these in centimetres.

We write this as **cm**.

$$100\text{cm} = 1\text{m}$$

We use a metre stick to measure even larger items.



We measure these in metres.

We write this as **m**.

$$100\text{cm} = 1\text{m} \quad 1000\text{m} = 1\text{km}$$

Other items we can use to measure length:

wind-up
tape measure



metre
wheel



tape
measure



tape
measure

