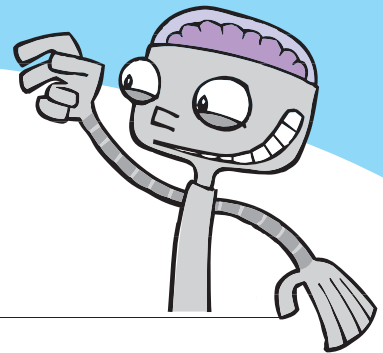


FEET FIT



Many people measure their rooms in units called feet (1 foot = 12 inches). But most people's feet are actually much smaller than 12 inches.

How long are your feet? What if people measured their rooms using their own feet?

WHAT YOU'LL NEED

- Paper
- Pencil

WHAT TO DO

1 Use your own feet to measure your bedroom or classroom. How long is your room at home? How wide? How about your classroom? (You can use your own feet or a tracing of your foot.)

2 Now measure again using someone else's feet—your mom's or dad's, your teacher's, or your classmate's. (You can use their real feet or tracings of their feet.)

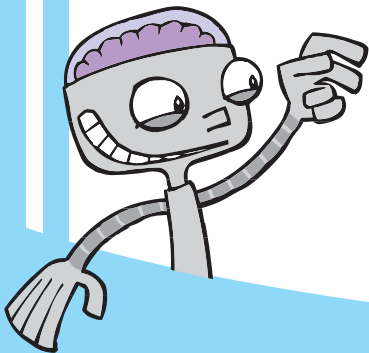
	Measurements			
	My Feet	My Parent's Feet	My Teacher's Feet	My Classmate's Feet
Bedroom Length				
Bedroom Width				
Classroom Length				
Classroom Width				

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3 When you used someone else's foot length to measure, did the measurement come out the same as using your foot? If not, how was the measurement different?

4 Try measuring other things—like a table or a rug—using your feet tracings.



Did You Know?

- Most adult feet are smaller than 12 inches long.
- A human foot (inside a boot) was the first body part to touch the moon.