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What this chapter teaches.

The units mm, cm, m, and km, and how they relate ($10\text{ mm} = 1\text{ cm}$, $100\text{ cm} = 1\text{ m}$, $1000\text{ m} = 1\text{ km}$); converting between units; estimating distances before measuring (like the length of a classroom or the distance to school); and measuring real objects like a growing sprout, a pencil, or a line drawn on paper.

Activity 1 — Estimate and Measure.

Children estimate the length of an object (like a table or a book) in cm, then measure it with a ruler to check how close their estimate was.

Activity 2 — Measure a Sprouting Plant.

Children track the height of a growing plant over several days, recording measurements in cm and observing growth.

Activity 3 — Real Distances.

Children look up or estimate real distances (home to school, city to city) and practise expressing them appropriately in m or km.

Why This Chapter Matters

Choosing the right unit for a measurement (mm for tiny things, km for long distances) is a skill used constantly in science, cooking, sports, and everyday planning.

How to Use These Solutions

Practise with a real ruler or measuring tape at home — measure a few household objects and compare estimates to actual measurements. Download the full chapter from our [Class 5 Maths NCERT book page](#), or browse the [Class 5 hub](#).