## Measuring length lesson plan

DAY	We Are Learning To (WALT):	MODEL / INTRODUCTION	INDEPENDENT WORK	PLENARY
	Mental: Main: Estimate and measure length	<ul> <li>Mental:</li> <li>Main:</li> <li>Ask children to think, pair, share what equipment we can use to measure length</li> <li>Show children a range of equipment for measuring length (ruler, metre stick, metre wheel, tape measure)</li> <li>Ask children to think, pair, share what units we use to measure length</li> <li>Go through PowerPoint with: <ul> <li>Range of measuring tools</li> <li>Units of length and how they relate to each other</li> <li>Choosing which unit to measure a sharpener, an ice-cream, a coach and a flight</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	TA to take one group at a time to measure in the hallway / assembly hall with metre wheels and metre sticks, so that all children have a turn doing this. TA to emphasise the importance of having the metre wheel start at 0cm Lower ability – measure the length of objects (cm and m and <b>told the unit</b> to use)	Have children write down an estimate of the length of an

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