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Estimate the length of an object. Then check your estimate by measuring the length with an inch ruler.

![Image of chalk]

Helpful Hint
A small paper clip is about 1 inch long.

The chalk is 2 inches long.

Practice
Find the object. Estimate the length. Measure each object in inches.

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about ____ inches  about ____ inches

about ____ inches  about ____ inches
Find two objects. Draw them. Estimate the length. Measure each object in inches.

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5. A red piece of yarn is 22 inches long. A green piece of yarn is 34 inches long. How much longer is the green piece of yarn?

___ inches

Vocabulary Check

Circle the correct answer.

- estimate
- inch
- measure
- length

6. An ___ is a unit for measuring length.

Math at Home: Ask your child to measure the length of a fork and a spoon using an inch ruler.