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Use what you know! Measuring skills activity for 8th grade

**Directions: This activity will test your ability to put your measuring skills to work. Please read all parts of this activity**

1. Activity
2. Create a powerpoint with no less than five slides which demonstrates a creative way to teach someone else how to measure in inches. Include the following items in your powerpoint:

* A title page with a title of your choice, your name and hour (include a fun graphic or border)
* A picture of an inch with all of the parts labeled like our cheat sheet. (done on one slide)
* Four examples of how measuring is used in industry, at home, in a career or any other way you can think of.
* Five examples of how to simplify fractions used in measuring. (can be done on one slide)
* List three websites students can use to play games about measuring or learn more about how to measure using inches, feet and yards.
* Use timings and animation in your power point.

1. Partner section
2. Once you have finished the activity ask a partner to check your power point and make sure that you have followed all of the directions correctly. The partner is to then write in the space below about any changes you need to do to improve your activity. If there are no changes needed then the partner should write some positive things about your hard work. Partners name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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1. Rubric
2. Student has five slides. \_\_\_\_\_ / 2 points
3. Student has a title slide, picture of an inch, four examples of

how measuring is used, five simplified fractions, three websites

and timings. \_\_\_\_\_ / 7 points

1. Partner section has been completed by another person \_\_\_\_\_ / 1 point

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 points summative

Grade: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_