

Units of measurement

1 Match 1–9 with a–i.

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|----------------|--------------------|
| 1 a century | a 1,000 years |
| 2 a minute | b 365 days |
| 3 a millennium | c 10 years |
| 4 a decade | d 60 minutes |
| 5 a kilometre | e 24 hours |
| 6 a second | f 1,000 metres |
| 7 an hour | g 100 years |
| 8 a day | h 60 seconds |
| 9 a year | i 1/60 of a minute |

2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

decade fraction kilo metre
millennium minutes
moment quarters tons

- 1 It takes three or four _____ to boil an egg.
- 2 An African elephant weighs between three and seven _____.
- 3 A _____, e.g. $\frac{1}{8}$, is a small part of a whole.
- 4 The year 2000 was the beginning of the third _____.
- 5 A _____ is a few seconds.
- 6 There are ten years in a _____.
- 7 You can bake a loaf of bread with half a _____ of flour.
- 8 A _____ is 100 centimetres.
- 9 There are four _____ in a whole.

Jobs and skills

3 Label the pictures.



1



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3



4



5



6



7



c h e s s p l a y e r

1 a _____

2 i _____

3 m _____

4 m _____

5 s _____

6 w _____

7 c _____

4 Correct the words in bold. Use the words in the box.

champion expert genius
professor winners

- 1 Jessica Ennis Hill is a famous athlete.
She's a gold medallist and a world **winner**.

- 2 **Expert** Brian Cox is a popular scientist and TV
presenter. _____
- 3 Malala Yousafzai and Kailish Satyarthi were
geniuses of the Nobel Peace Prize in 2014.

- 4 Judit Polgár is a number one chess player. She's
a **professor** at chess! _____
- 5 Einstein was a brilliant scientist and a **player**.
