

VOCABULARY • Unit 5

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

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

3 Choose the correct word.

- Some people think the brain is a big *cell* / *muscle* / *blood vessel*.
- Blood *cells* / *muscles* / *vessels* are very important tubes that carry blood around your body to your brain.
- Sugar, alcohol and some *food additives* / *brain food* / *artificial* are some of the worst things for your brain.
- The human brain has billions of tiny brain *cells* / *muscles* / *vessels*.
- You get a better *intelligence quotient* / *score* / *average* if you sleep and exercise enough.
- Our brain *measures* / *contains* / *weighs* around 1.35 kilos.

Task 4



Find the following words in the puzzle.
Words are hidden → and ↴.

ADDITIVE
ARTIFICIAL
AVERAGE
BRAIN FOOD
CONTAIN

EXERCISE
INGREDIENTS
RECKON
SCORE
WIDE

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SCROLL DOWN

