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Class period _____

Metric Basics

1. A _____ is used to measure length.
2. To measure weight, or mass, we use _____.
3. To measure volume, scientists use _____.
4. In the _____ temperature scale, water freezes at _____ °C and boils at _____ °C.
5. When using length, we will most often use _____, _____, _____, and _____.
6. When measuring mass (weight), we will mostly use _____, _____, and _____.
7. When measuring volume, we will mostly use _____, _____, and _____.
8. What is one unit of measurement not used anymore? _____
9. What system is most commonly used in America? _____
10. What system is most commonly used throughout the world? _____
11. How did we get the meter? _____
12. How does most of the world spell meter? _____
13. What does meter and metric mean? _____
14. How did scientists invent the gram? _____
15. How did they invent the liter? _____
16. What is one way the U.S. uses metrics? _____

Abbreviate

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| 1. Meter _____ | 1. Kiloliter _____ | 1. Kilogram _____ |
| 2. Liter _____ | 2. Gram _____ | 2. Milliliter _____ |
| 3. Milligram _____ | 3. Centimeter _____ | 3. Hectometer _____ |