Dear Family,

We are starting a new unit called Measurement. First we will talk about time and work with calendars. Then, we will compare length, height, area, weight, capacity, and temperature. You can help me learn these vocabulary words and we can do the Math Activity together.

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**Vocabulary**

- **calendar**: A chart showing the days of the week and the months of the year.

- **longer, shorter, taller**: Words used to compare length and height.

  ![Calendar Chart]

- **shorter**

- **longer**

- **shorter**

- **taller**

**Family Math Activity**

- Have your child use a calendar to name the days of the week and months of the year.
- Help your child compare lengths of household objects, using the words longer, shorter, longest, and shortest.

**Literature**

These books link to the math in this unit. We can look for them at the library.

- **The Pig Is in the Pantry, The Cat Is on the Shelf** by Shirley Mozelle (Clarion Books, 2000)
- **Big and Little** by Margaret Miller
- **Inch by Inch** by Leo Lionni

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