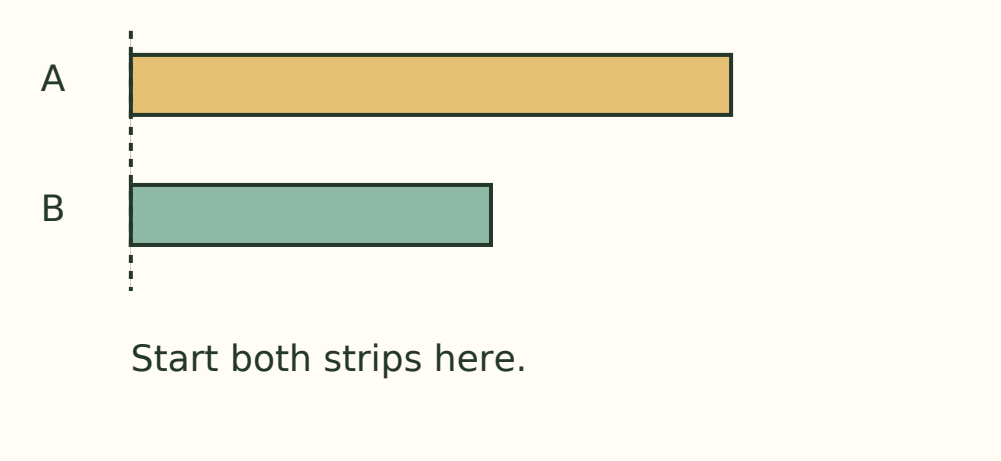
Comparing lengths

6 practice questions

1. Use the picture. Which strip is shorter?



The starts match.

B does not reach as far.

Answer: B

2. A straw is longer than a spoon. Which is shorter?

Longer and shorter compare the same pair.

Answer: The spoon.

3. Two strings have matching starts and matching ends. Finish: They have the ___ length.

Both ends match.

Answer: same

4. Two pencils start in different places. What should you do before comparing their lengths?

Use the same starting place.

Answer: Line up one end of the pencils.

5. Does turning a pencil around change its length?

It is still the same pencil from end to end.

Answer: No.

6. Find two safe objects. Draw them with one end lined up. Label the longer object.

Compare actual objects after lining up one end.

Answer: Answers vary: the drawing lines up one end and correctly labels the object reaching farther.