## **Activity 9 Assessment Investigating Relationships Among Units**

## **Understanding Relationships Among Metric Units**

Understands some metric relationships: 1 kg = 1000 g, 1 L = 1000 mL, and 1 km = 1000 m.

1.88 kg of flour

"I know that 1 kg = 1000 g, so 1.88  $kg = 1000 g \times 1.88 = 1880 g.$ "

Uses metric relationships to convert between units (calculates in steps).



Write the height of the basketball net, 2.60 m, in millimetres.

"I multiplied by 10 three times:  $2.60 \times 10 = 26$ ;  $26 \times 10 = 260$ ; 260 × 10 = 2600:  $2.60 \text{ m} = 2600 \text{ mm.}^{\circ}$ 

Uses metric relationships to convert between units efficiently.



Write the height of the basketball net, 2.60 m, in millimetres.

"To convert from metres to millimetres, I multiplied by 1000:  $2.60 \times 1000 = 2600$ : 2.60 m = 2600 mm."

Flexibly and efficiently converts between metric units and solves problems.





208 L

Rewrite the measure using 3 different units.

"208 × 10 = 2080; 2080 dL 208 × 1000 = 208 000; 208 000 mL 208 ÷ 1000 = 0.208; 0.208 kL I think 208 L is most reasonable as it is a unit that people can easily relate to. A number such as 208 000 mL is difficult to visualize."

## Observations/Documentation