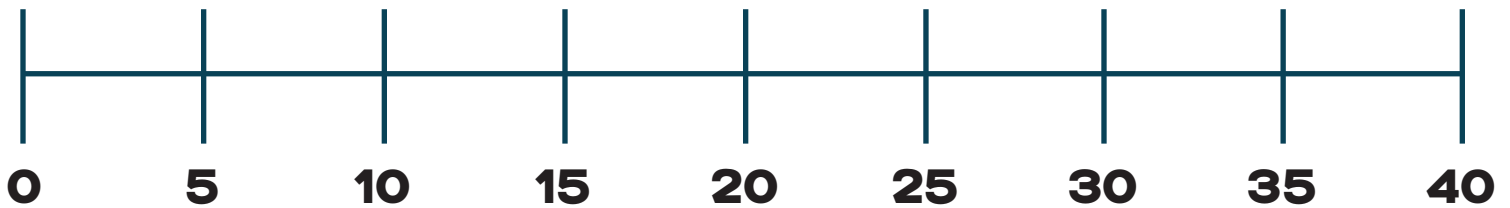




Sweet Potatoes

Estimation Station

An estimate is a good guess. It's not too high. It's just right! Looking at the picture of sweet potatoes on this page, how many do you think you could fit in your bookbag? Use the number line to show your estimation.



What would be too high?

What would be too low?

What would be just right?

K-2 Menu

Option 1: Write or draw a story problem about sweet potatoes.

Option 2: Go to the grocery store or farmers market with an adult. Hold a sweet potato in one hand and a yellow onion in the other. Do they weigh the same? Which is heavier?

Option 3: Look around. Can you find something that is about the same size as a sweet potato? Can you find something that weighs about the same?

3-5 Menu

Option 1: Which would take up more space, 10 pounds of sweet potatoes or 10 pounds of marshmallows? Explain why.

Option 2: Go to the grocery store or farmers market with an adult. How much does one sweet potato weigh? Using that weight, how much would 10 sweet potatoes weigh? 100 potatoes?

Option 3: Find a sweet potato recipe to make with an adult. What math is used to make the recipe?