



Comparing Events

I can compare activities in minutes and seconds.



Six children ran a race. Here are their times:

Lucy	27 seconds
Gavin	21 seconds
Tyrol	25 seconds
Pamela	30 seconds
Sukhi	39 seconds
Hamaad	32 seconds



1) Answer these questions. Show your working out.

a) Who was the fastest?

b) Who was the slowest?

c) Order the children from fastest to slowest.

fastest	←	→				slowest

d) How much faster was Tyrol than Sukhi?

e) How much slower was Hamaad than Gavin?



Theresa has been learning her 4 times table. This is how long it took her to say the whole table across a week.

Monday	2 minutes 30 seconds
Tuesday	2 minutes 25 seconds
Wednesday	2 minutes 15 seconds
Thursday	2 minutes 20 seconds
Friday	2 minutes 10 seconds
Saturday	1 minute 55 seconds
Sunday	2 minutes 5 seconds



2) Answer these questions. Show your working out.

a) On which day did Theresa say the 4 times table in the least time?

b) On which day did Theresa take 2 minutes and 20 seconds to say the 4 times table?

c) Order the days from the most time taken to the least time.

most time	←—————→						least time

d) How much longer did it take Theresa to say the 4 times table on Tuesday than Friday?

e) How much less time did it take Theresa to say the 4 times table on Saturday than Monday?



Comparing Events **Answers**

Question	Answer
1. Answer these questions. Show your working out.	
a.	<i>Gavin</i>
b.	<i>Sukhi</i>
c.	<i>Gavin, Tyrol, Lucy, Pamela, Hamaad, Sukhi.</i>
d.	<i>14 seconds.</i>
e.	<i>11 seconds</i>

2. Answer these questions. Show your working out.	
a.	<i>Saturday</i>
b.	<i>Thursday</i>
c.	<i>Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Wednesday, Friday, Sunday, Saturday.</i>
d.	<i>15 seconds</i>
e.	<i>35 seconds</i>