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# Going Outdoors

Questions – How high / tall / long / heavy

How tall is the flower?

It's 20 cm tall.



How long is that bridge?

It's 3 m long.



I see. You really know a lot!



## Grammar in Focus

We use 'How heavy' and 'How long' to ask questions about weight and length respectively.

How	heavy	is	the school bag?
	long		Tsing Ma Bridge?

It's	4 kilograms.
	2160 metres (long).

We use 'How tall' to ask questions about the height of people, animals, buildings or plants, while we use 'How high' to ask questions about the height of mountains or walls.

How	tall	is	that little tree?
	high		Mount Fuji?

It's	50 centimetres (tall).
	3776 metres (high).



Mistakes Corner

✓ How tall is the building?

✗ How high is the building?

1. How ( **A** tall / **B** high ) is the wall?

2. How ( **A** tall / **B** high ) are the trees over there?

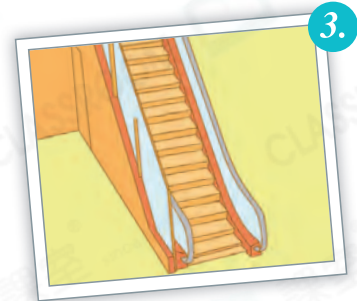
**A. Mr Metal is showing William some pictures. William is asking him about the things in the pictures. Write the correct letters in the spaces.**

**How long / How high is / are the...?**



1. m \_ \_ \_ n \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

2. s \_ \_ a \_ \_ \_ s \_ \_



3. e s \_ \_ \_ l \_ \_ \_ o \_ \_

4. b \_ \_ i \_ \_ \_ e \_ \_



**B. Mr Metal is asking some questions. Circle the correct answers.**

1. How ( long / heavy ) is the bridge?
2. How ( high / tall ) is the building?
3. How ( high / long / heavy ) is Yellow River?
4. How ( heavy / long / high ) is the chicken?
5. How ( high / heavy / long ) are the pears?
6. How ( heavy / high / long ) is Nathan Road?
7. How ( high / heavy / long ) is the baby?
8. How ( high / heavy / tall ) is the mountain?
9. How ( heavy / tall / high ) is this clock tower?
10. How ( high / heavy / tall ) is the Berlin Wall in Germany?
11. How ( high / tall / long ) are your classmates?
12. How ( heavy / tall / high ) is Tai Mo Shan?





**C.** William is talking to Mr Metal in a park. Fill in the blanks and match the questions to the correct answers.

*e.g.* How long is Pink River? ( C ) A) It's 800 \_\_\_\_\_(g).





1. How heavy is the mango? ( ) B) It's 2 \_\_\_\_\_(m) tall.

2. How long is that dog's tail? ( ) C) It is 5456 \_\_\_\_\_kilometres \_\_\_\_\_(km) long.

3. How tall is that elephant? ( ) D) It's 20 \_\_\_\_\_(cm) long.

4. How high is The Peak? ( ) E) It's 552 \_\_\_\_\_(m) high.

**D.** William is asking Mr Metal some questions about what they see now. Look at the pictures and complete their conversation using the given words.

<p><i>e.g.</i></p>  <p>2.5 m</p>	<p>1.</p>  <p>1.4 kg</p>	<p>2.</p>  <p>1.7 m</p>	<p>3.</p>  <p>9 km</p>
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the rabbit statue      the rocky road      the Christmas tree      the pineapple

*e.g.* How tall \_\_\_\_\_ is the Christmas tree \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
It's \_\_\_\_\_ 2.5 metres tall \_\_\_\_\_.

1. How \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
It's \_\_\_\_\_.

2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



# Usage



# Text Type: Questionnaire

**E.** William wants to know more about other cities so he made a questionnaire. Complete the questionnaire with the help of the given words.

the longest river

the tallest building

the highest wall

the tallest man

the heaviest potato

the tallest woman

## Questionnaire

e.g. \_\_\_\_\_ How tall is the tallest building \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

It's 150 \_\_\_\_\_ metres \_\_\_\_\_ (m) tall.

1 \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

It's 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (kg).

2 \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

It's 10 \_\_\_\_\_ (m) high.

3 \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

It's 15 \_\_\_\_\_ (km) long.

★  
4 \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

He's 2.1 \_\_\_\_\_ (m) tall.

★  
5 \_\_\_\_\_ in your city?

She's 1.93 \_\_\_\_\_ (m) tall.

Thank you very much for your time!

Be curious to explore the world.