## **Converting measurements**

This is a pretty straightforward process once you understand the calculations you need to make.

Centimetres to metres Divide the centimetres by 100 (100 centimetres = 1 metre)	
300 centimetres equals 3 metres	300 ÷ 100 = 3
75 centimetres equals 0.75 metres	75 ÷ 100 = 0.75
1000 centimetres equals 10 metres	1000 ÷ 100 = 10

Metres to centimetres  Multiply the metre by 100 (1 metre = 100 centimetres)	
1 metre equals 100 centimetres	1 × 100 = 100
2.5 metres equals 250 centimetres	2.5 × 100 = 250
.5 metres equals 50 centimetres	.5 × 100 = 50

Metres to kilometres  Divide the metres by 1000 (1000 metres = 1 kilometre)	
2000 metres equals 2 kilometres	2000 ÷ 1000 = 2
500 metres equals 0.5 kilometres	500 ÷ 1000 = 0.5
10,000 metres equals 10 kilometres	10000 ÷ 1000 = 10

Kilometres to meters  Multiply the metres by 1000 (1 kilometre = 1000 metres)	
4 kilometres equals 4000 metres	4 x 1000 = 4000
0.6 kilometres equals	0.6 x 1000 = 600
62 kilometres equals 62,000	62 x 1000 = 62,000

Millilitres to litres Divide the millilitres by 1000 (1000 millimetre = 1 litre)	
2000 millilitres equals 2 litres	2000 ÷ 1000 = 2
500 millilitres equals 0.5 kilometres	500 ÷ 1000 = 0.5
1,250 millilitres equals 1.25 litres	1250 ÷ 1000 = 1.25

Litres to millilitres  Multiply the millilitres by 1000 (1 litre = 1000 millimetres)	
1 litres equals 1000 millimetres	1 × 1000 = 1000
0.5 litres equals 500 millimetres	.5 × 1000 = 500
5 litres equals 5000 millimetres	5 × 1000 = 5000

Grams to kilograms Divide the grams by 1000 (1000 grams = 1 kilogram)	
2000 grams equals 2 kilograms	2000 ÷ 1000 = 2
500 grams equals 0.5 kilograms	500 ÷ 1000 = 0.5
5000 grams equals 5 kilograms	5000 ÷ 1000 = 5

Kilograms to grams Multiply the kilograms by 1000 (1 kilogram = 1000 grams)	
5 kilograms equals 5000 grams	5 × 1000 = 5000
0.5 kilograms equals 500 grams	0.5 × 1000 = 500
50 kilograms equals 5000 millimetres	5 × 1000 = 5000