

# Area

Applied Mathematics	Student Engineering Workbook	
Team Members:		Total Points
1	2	Workbook:
		Challenge: /20 pts

### What is Area?

Fill in the blanks in the statement below.

1.	is the amount of two-dimensional space taken up by an object. Area is measured in

\_\_\_\_\_ of a fixed size, such as square inches (in<sup>2</sup>) or square centimeters (cm<sup>2</sup>).

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## Assemble a Square, Rectangle, and Circle

Place a check in each box as each step is completed.

- 2. Assemble a **square** using Kid Spark engineering materials.
- 3. Assemble a **rectangle** using Kid Spark engineering materials.
- 4. Assemble a **circle** using Kid Spark engineering materials.

### Determine the area of Squares, Rectangles, and Circles

Fill out the correct information in the spaces provided.

- 5. Area of entire square: \_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>2</sup>
- 6. Area of interior square: \_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>2</sup>
- 7. Area of entire rectangle: \_\_\_\_\_  $cm^2$
- 8. Area of interior rectangle: \_\_\_\_\_  $cm^2$
- 9. Area of entire circle: \_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>2</sup>
- 10. Area of interior circle: \_\_\_\_\_ cm<sup>2</sup>





# **Design & Engineering Challenge**

Follow each step in the Design & Engineering Process to develop a solution to the challenge. Place a check in each box as each step is completed. Fill in the blanks when necessary.

1.	Identify The Challenge				
	Challenge:				
2.	Brainstorm Ideas & Solutions				
	Discuss design ideas.				
	Consider building components.				
	Sketch out design ideas on paper.				
	Choose the best design.				
3.	Build A Prototype Build A Prototype Build A Prototype				
	Use Kid Spark engineering materials to build a prototype.				
4.	Test & Improve The Design				
	Look for opportunities to improve the design. (Is it practical, proportional, etc)				
	Review challenge specifications/criteria and grading rubric.				
5.	Explain The Design				
	Determine the specifications of the design that was created. Student Engineering Workbook - Page 3				
	Discuss the following items with your team and be prepared to share with the rest of the class.				
	a. How did the team arrive at the final design solution? Discuss how each step in the Design & Engineering Process was used to develop the design.				
	b. Is the design realistic and well-proportioned? Is the large room big enough to store a maintenance vehicle? Is there enough room to walk around the vehicle when it's inside the building?				
	c. How did each team member contribute towards the overall design? Do you feel like everyone had an equal opportunity to contribute in the creative process?				
	d. Is the team prepared to share detailed specifications of the design to others?				



#### **Design Specifications**

Use the space provided to determine the area of the large and small rooms in the storage building.

Large Room	Small Room
Total area of large room: cm <sup>2</sup>	Total area of small room: cm <sup>2</sup>

#### **Challenge Evaluation**

When teams have completed the Design & Engineering Challenge, it should be presented to the teacher and classmates for evaluation. Teams will be graded on the following criteria:

**O** Specifications: Does the design meet all specifications as stated in the design brief?

**D** Team Collaboration: How well did the team work together? Can each student describe how they contributed?

**Design Quality/Aesthetics:** Is the design of high quality? Is it structurally strong, attractive, and well-proportioned?

**O** Presentation: How well did the team communicate all aspects of the design to others?

Grading Rubric	Advanced 5 Points	Proficient 4 Points	Partially Proficient 3 Points	Not Proficient 0 Points
Specifications	Meets all specifications	Meets most specifications	Meets some specifications	Does not meet specifications
Team Collaboration	Every member of team contributed	Most members of team contributed	Some members of team contributed	Team did not work together
Design Quality/ Aesthetics	Great design/ aesthetics	Good design/ aesthetics	Average design/ aesthetics	Poor design/ aesthetics
Presentation	Great presentation/ well-explained	Good presentation/ well-explained	Poor presentation/ explanation	No presentation/ explanation
Points				
Total Points		/20		