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Using a Balance

A balance is a measuring tool that allows you to compare the weight of something to the weight of something else. With a balance you can figure out which of two items is heavier. You can also use a balance to determine the weight of something.

Use the balance to sort the objects from lightest to heaviest.

1. card
2. toy dinosaur
3. block
4. marker
5. bag of sand
6. bottle of water

Use the balance to make equal weights of each substance.

7 blocks = 1 bottle of water

4 toy dinosaurs = 1 bag of sand

6 cards = 1 block

