

Perimeter – adding sides up

WHAT THIS LESSON TEACHES

Perimeter is the total distance all the way around the outside of a shape. Add the length of every side.

→ Rectangle 6 cm by 4 cm: $6 + 4 + 6 + 4 = 20$ cm.

→ Square with side 5 m: $5 \times 4 = 20$ m.

ANSWER KEY

a) 8×5 perimeter = **26 cm**.

Q1: 84 m

b) 12×4 perimeter = **32 cm**.

Q2: 156 m

c) 6×6 perimeter = **24 cm**.

Q3: 25.2 m

d) 15×3 perimeter = **36 cm**.

Q4: 25.6 m

EXTENSION SHEET · STRETCH ANSWERS

S1: 21.2 m

S3: 112 m

S2: 106 m