

## **FOCUS SPOTS**

### **Time Goes On**

- Students are confused in selecting the appropriate unit for measuring the time. (seconds, minutes or hours)

#### **Common Mistakes**

- Teacher asked students to sort the activities according to the appropriate units.

Reading a page takes seconds. (Incorrect answer)

Reading a page takes minutes. (Correct answer)

Reasons of incorrect answer: Improper estimation of units of time.

- Students are confused in number of days in a particular month.

#### **Common Mistakes**

- Teacher asked two students how many days are there in the month of July and August. Which is correct? Can you point out the mistake?

July has 31 days and August has 30 days. (Incorrect Answer)

July and August both have 31 days. (Correct Answer)

Reason of incorrect answer: Students think every alternate month has 30 and 31 days respectively.