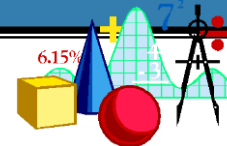


Mathematics, Grade 8

Unit III: Lesson 2

Chart / Bulletin Board: **Exchange Rate**



Research the daily foreign exchange rates in order to compare the rates of exchange and the percentage of change.

Select four different currencies. Note the daily exchange rate and evaluate a given amount of dollars, calculating the percent of increase or decrease. On a section of the bulletin board set aside for your use, display the daily rates and the value of your money in a chart similar to the following:

Country	Foreign currency per dollar	USD in currency	Value of 100 USD	% increase or decrease from previous 1 start	
Britain					
Spain					
etc.					

Include a paragraph of explanation with your chart. At the end of two weeks, discuss with the class the trends you noticed and decide what days, if any, would have been the best to buy and sell goods in each of the countries.