Year 2 Compare Capacity – Guidance for Parents/Carers

Activity:

The aim of this activity is for children to practise comparing capacity and volume. There are three questions to complete. The first two questions allow children to practise the skill, while the third question extends them as they have to problem solve and explain their answer.

Vocabulary:

> < = are comparison symbols used to represent more than (>), less than (<) and equal to (=).

Capacity refers to how much a container can hold when it is full.

The **volume** of a container can be described using full, nearly full, half full, nearly empty and empty. These terms refer to the amount of space that is taken up within the container.

Supporting resources:

You can watch a video tutorial about comparing capacity on kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk >> Year 2 >> Maths >> Mass, Capacity and Temperature >> Video Tutorials.

Other resources:

If your child enjoyed this activity and wants to try more activities linked to this learning, you can sign up for £4.83 per month on **classroomsecrets.co.uk/membership**.

Check out our daily timetable for Year 2 home learning activities on kids.classroomsecrets.co.uk >> Home Learning Timetable.



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- 1. A. <; B. >
- 2. B < C < A
- 3. Aisha is correct. Although Sam has more glasses, each glass is nearly empty.