4.53 Introducing weighing

Topic: Measurement Subtopic: Weight Activity type/skill: Orientation Literacy focus: Speaking Genre: Expressions of weight

Objective

- Recall vocabulary of weight/mass.
- Predict what might be talked about when discussing weighing in a supermarket context.

What you need

• Student worksheet (see next page)

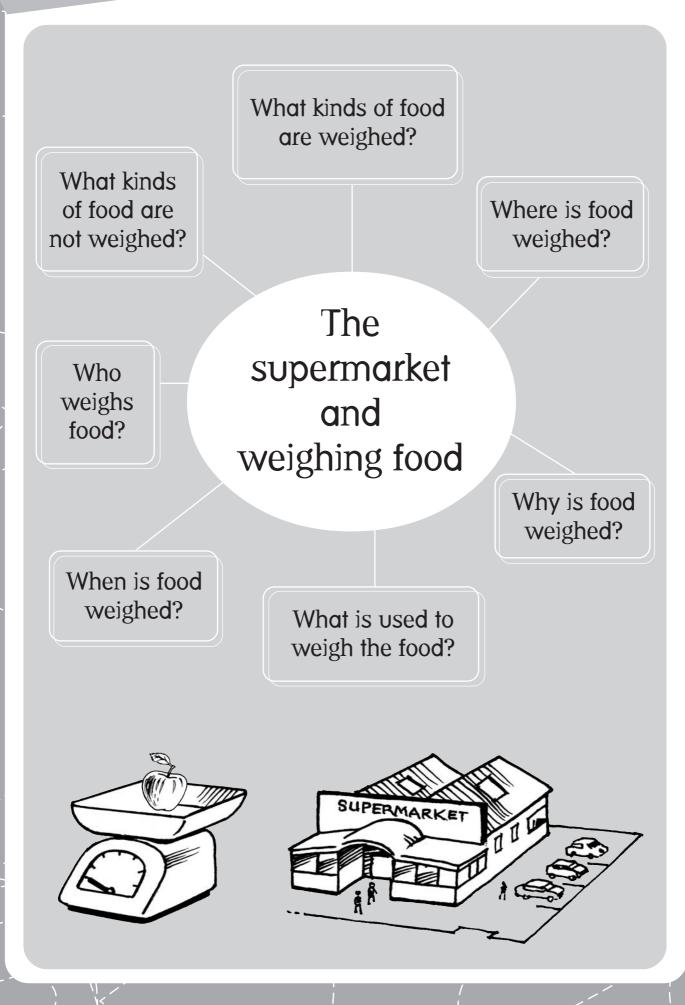
What to do

- 1. Look at the first page of the student worksheet and write the questions on the board.
- 2. Discuss the topics raised in the questions.
- 3. Write notes from the discussion and have the students copy the notes under each question on their worksheet.

Extending the activity

- Visit a supermarket, look at the weights on packets and buy something that needs to be weighed.
- Have each student talk to the class about one aspect of what they discovered.

Activity fifty-three



focus on speaking