Mathematics, Grade 5 Unit II: Lesson C3

Newspaper Advertisement: Energy Savings



Using the Internet, newspaper, library, or public utilities company, research the cost of at least five energysaving home improvements. Calculate the estimated savings per year for each improvement. (Finding out the average yearly cost for electricity and/or gas in your community may be necessary.)

Compute the number of years necessary to recoup the original cost of each improvement.

Develop a newspaper advertisement using your data in chart form for the home improvement you think is best.