



## Lesson 4.1

# Trade



The Unity mostly traveled to the Windward Coast, the current Liberia, because prices here were low. Once The Unity arrived to the Windward Coast, a cannon shot was fired. This was the sign trading could begin. The Africans sailed to The Unity with trade goods, such as rice, water, gold, ivory and slaves. The goods and people were, amongst other things, traded for ammunition, weapons, knives, textiles and alcohol. In The Unity's trade journal they kept track of exactly which goods were traded for objects and humans.

### ① Make your own arithmetic

The captain and first mate needed to be good at math. All amounts in the trade journal needed to be correct. Are you good at math? Make as many different  $\times$ ,  $:$ ,  $+$  and  $-$  sums with the following numbers: 3, 5, 8.

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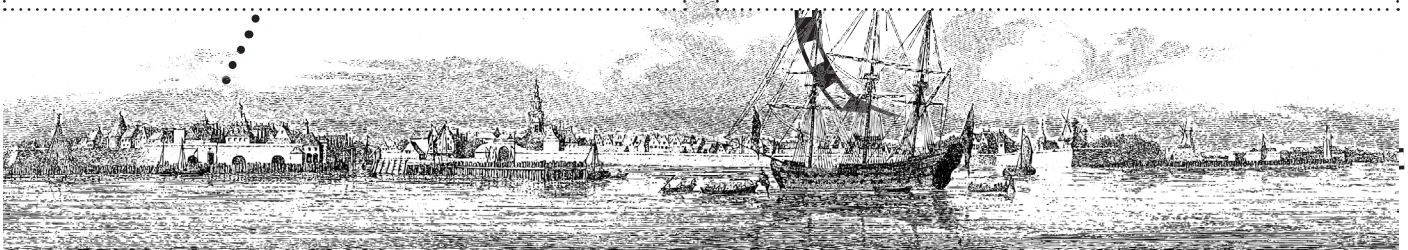
### ② Drawing lines

With a ruler draw the following lines  
3.8cm, 2.3cm, 0.8cm, 2.6cm, 6.5cm

_____	3.8 cm
_____	2.3 cm
_____	0.8 cm
_____	2.6 cm
_____	6.5 cm

### ③ A little practice

28 560	16 420	18 975	15 378
4 575 +	5 635 +	7 635 +	9 586 +
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24 575	48 200	36 400	16 285
47 789 +	9 400 -	7 375 -	4 933 -
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27 465	65 748		
12 375 -	39 599 -		
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**④ Time to pay**

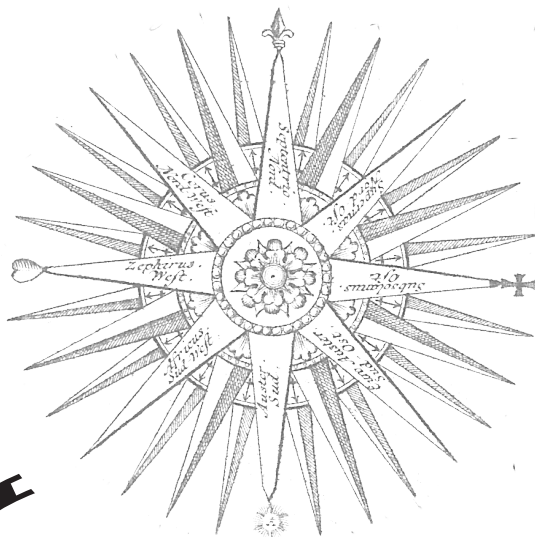
Pay with the smallest number of coins or bills.  
Draw or write down what bills and coins you've used.

3.55

15.75

119.00

56.30



**⑤ What is it worth?**

From the numbers below, write down what the value of the 7 in each number is.

76,345 .....

376 .....

34,678 .....

1700 .....

15.70 .....

117 .....

702,833 .....

7263 .....

72 .....

8337 .....

25.57 .....

