

## World Records: High Jump

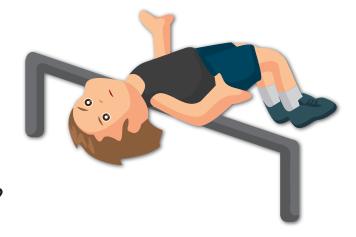
Men: Javier Sotomayor (Cuba) 27 July 1993 (Salamanca, Spain) 2.45 m (8ft 2.5 in)

Women: Stefka Kostadinova (Bulgaria) 30 August 1987 (Rome, Italy) 2.09 m (6 ft 10.28 in)

Measure these world record distances on a wall in the playground. Imagine being able to jump that high!

Have a jumping competition with your class:

- What will you use to jump over?
- How many jumps will each person have?
- What rules will you decide on to keep things safe and fair?



Happy measuring!