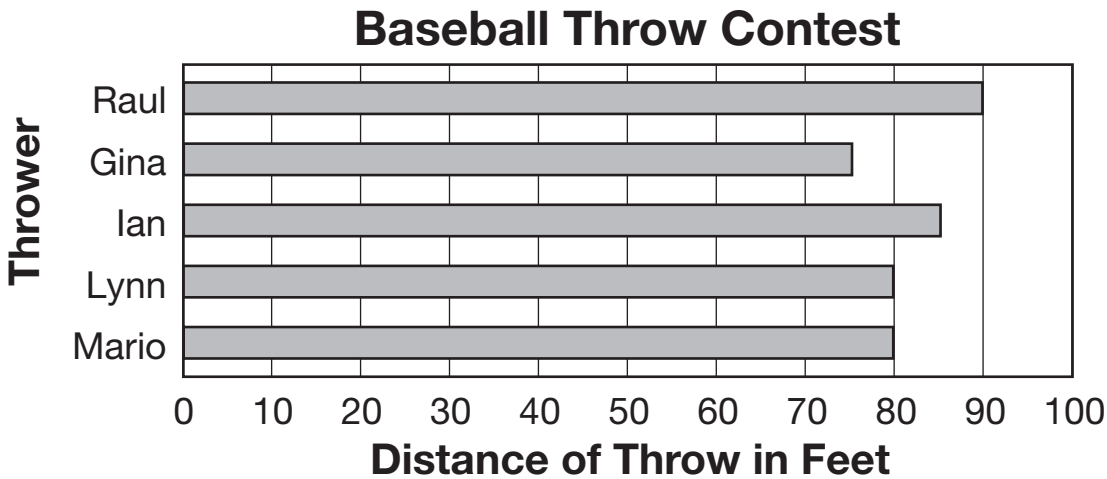


Bar Graphs

Bar graphs compare amounts and numbers. The bars can go across or up and down. The words on the graph tell what is being compared. The ends of the bars line up to a number.

Directions The bar graph below shows the five longest distances thrown in a baseball throw event. Use the graph to answer each question.



1. What is the distance of the longest throw?

2. Which person threw the shortest distance?

3. What distance did Ian throw the baseball?

4. Which two people threw the same distance?

5. What is the distance between the longest and shortest throws?



Home Activity Your child answered questions by interpreting data in a bar graph. Collect some data about your family, such as height, age, or shoe size. Help your child make a bar graph with this data.