Inquiry Centers: Change

Mrs. Glassier's PM Class

These items are both used for washing clothes.

How did the old one work?

They used water and then scrubbed the clothes on it.

How has the item changed?

You just push a button. People used to have to wash their own clothes and now they just push it. Now it has a cord.



These items are both used for listening to music.

How did the old one work?

You plug it into the TV or put it into something.

How has the item changed?

One is smaller. One is a rectangle and now it's a circle.



These items are both used for calling people.

How did the old one work?

You spin it to dial the numbers. You pick the numbers.

How has the item changed?

You can't text on the old phone, you just press buttons. You can play games on the new phones.



These items are both used for storing food.

How did the old one work?

You open it and put food in there.

How has the item changed?

The new one doesn't have metal on it. It's not dirty. The old one doesn't have zippers. The new one has pockets.



These items are both used for going to the bathroom.

How did the old one work?

You just sit on it and pee.

How has the item changed?

The old one is metal. It doesn't have a cover. The new one is tall.



These items are both used for cleaning dishes.

How did the old one work?

Maybe you would hang it up or use it to make necklaces?

How has the item changed?

The new one is round. One is hard and one is soft. The hard one is like a magnet.



These items are both used for watching movies.

How did the old one work?

You put it in a TV and turn it on with a button.

How has the item changed?

One is small and one is big. The new one is a circle and the old one is a rectangle. They were made in different places.



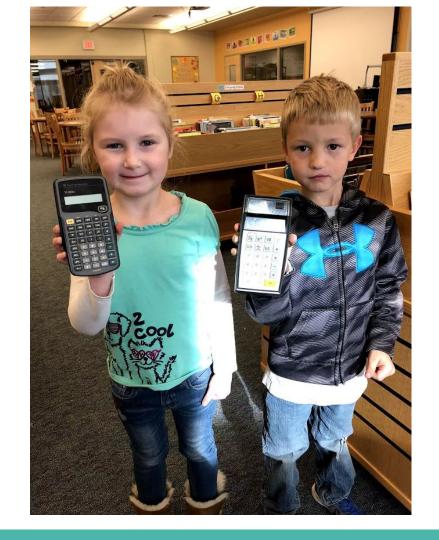
These items are both used for solving math problems.

How did the old one work?

You turn it on and type codes to work it. You have to know the numbers.

How has the item changed?

The new one has different codes for math. It has more buttons. The buttons are different colors on each one.



These items are both used for making popcorn.

How did the old one work?

You put it over the oven, put popcorn in it, and shake it.

How has the item changed?

You just put the new one in your microwave. The new one is made of paper and the old one is metal.

