

Good-bye Training Wheels!

I'm the world's greatest rider, I can ride on any street. I can ride with one hand, I can ride without feet.

There's just one problem — Can you imagine how it feels To be the world's greatest rider And still use training wheels?

It really does bug me.
I want to bike in style.
One day to make up for it,
I rode for miles and miles.

I biked 20 miles
To a town called Cariboo.
Then I rode for 18 more
Before I stopped to tie my shoe.

I pedaled 32 miles
To Tuscaloosa Bay.
Then I pedaled 26 more —
People cheering on my way!

I rode 40 miles to Palooka When I heard a rattling sound. I was going down a hill, So I could not turn around.

When I reached the bottom, I pulled over a lawn. I looked down at my bike And my training wheels were gone!

"Oh wow!" I said. "I did it!
"You don't know how good this feels."
Now I AM the world's best rider,
And I DON'T need training wheels!

Name:			
Date: —			



My name is Max — Maximillion if you like. But don't bother me now, 'cause I'm riding my bike.

Max's Challenge:

How far did Max ride that day? Use what you know about tens to estimate the distance. *Circle your answer.*

Max rode:

- A. 280 miles
- B. 136 miles
- C. 36 miles

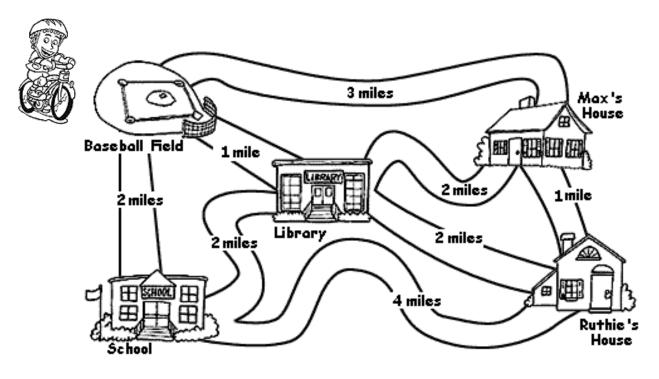




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Max rode his bike all over town this week! Use the map below to figure out how far he rode on each trip below.

Monday, Max rode from his house to Ruthie's house and back. How far did he ride?

Tuesday, Max rode from his house to the baseball field, then to school. How many miles did he ride?

Wednesday, Max rode from his house to the library. After he visited the library, Max rode his bike to school. How far did he ride?

Thursday, Max rode his bike to Ruthie's house. Max and Ruthie both rode to school, then to the baseball field. How far did Max ride? How far did Ruthie ride?

Friday, Max was late to school so he decided to bike the shortest route. Which way did he ride to school?

