

Interpret a Bar Graph

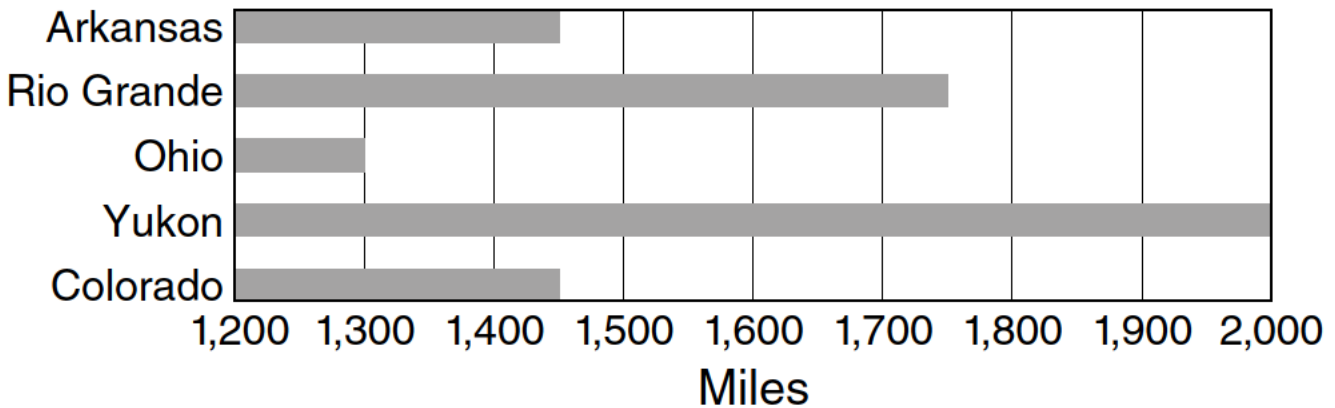

Family Note

In class today, your child interpreted graphs and identified the greatest value, the least value, the range, the middle value (the median), and the mode. The mode is the value or category that occurs most often in a set of data. For example, in the bar graph below, the river length of 1,450 miles is the mode.

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Approximate Lengths of Rivers



- What is the length of the Colorado River? About _____ miles
 - Of the Rio Grande? About _____ miles
- What is the length of the longest river? About _____ miles
 - What is the length of the shortest river? About _____ miles
 - What is the difference in length between the longest and the shortest rivers? About _____ miles. This is the **range**.
- Which river length occurs most often? About _____ miles
This is the **mode**.
- What is the middle length of the rivers? About _____ miles
This is the **median**.