

# mtrek Worksheet: Investing in the Future

Name: ..... Class: ..... Date: .....



Believe it or not, a lot of items lose and gain value over time. A comic book that costs \$1.25 today may be worth \$1,500 in 15 years. Or, a television worth \$5,000 today might be worth \$200 in 10 years.

*Show all your work on the other side of this worksheet.*

I'm trying to build a time capsule — one that's full of items that'll be worth something more in 50 years, when my grandkids can sell them off and keep the earnings. Can you help me think of 5 items I should include in my capsule?

**Item 1:** .....

How much do you think it will be worth in 50 years? \$ .....

Why do you think this item will be worth more in 50 years?

**Item 2:** .....

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**Item 3:** .....

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**Item 4:** .....

How much do you think it will be worth in 50 years? \$ .....

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**Item 5:** .....

How much do you think it will be worth in 50 years? \$ .....

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