## New Carpet

Read Aloud Activity

Teresa bought
new carpet for her house. Her carpet was over 15 years old. It had stains and it was ripped. Teresa's sister helped her measure the rooms in her house. The two women used a tape measure to measure the length and width of each room. They multiplied the two numbers to get the square feet. Then they added $10 \%$ to that number.

Next, they went to the store to buy carpet. The carpet Teresa liked cost $\$ 2.25$ per square foot. The padding was $\$ 0.50$ per square foot. Installation was $\$ 195$.

Now Teresa has beautiful floors.

