Nencil Length Project

We measured all the pencils in the classroom. Use the line plot to see the data!

Part 1: Reading the Line Plot

Pencil Lengths (in inches)

- 1. How many pencils are 6 inches long?
- 2. What is the most common pencil length? _____
- 3. How many pencils were measured in total?
- 4. What is the length of the longest pencil? _____
- 5. How many pencils are longer than 5 inches?

Part 2: Analyzing the Data

6. What is the difference in length between the longest and shortest pencil? _____

7. Are there more pencils 5 inches long or 7 inches long? ———————
8. If you added a pencil that was 6 inches long, how many X's would be above 6?
9. How many pencils are 5 or 6 inches long?
10. What is the shortest pencil length measured?

Part 3: Create a Line Plot

Data: Students' shoe sizes: 3, 4, 4, 5, 3, 4, 6, 5, 4	
11. How many X's above size 3?	
12. How many X's above size 4?	
13. How many X's above size 5?	
14. How many X's above size 6?	
15. What is the most common shoe size?	

Answer Key

1. 2 | 2. 5 inches | 3. 6 | 4. 7 inches | 5. 3 | 6. 2 inches | 7. 5 inches long | 8. 3 | 9. 5 | 10. 5 inches | 11. 2 | 12. 4 | 13. 2 | 14. 1 | 15. 4