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Children Employed in Green Way Mill

Age of the child	Number of children
6	7
7	31
8	60
9	82
10	80
11	60
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The table above shows the numbers of children who worked in a local mill. Read the information carefully and then answer the questions below.

- 1. How many children in total worked in this mill?
- 2. What percentage of children who worked in the mill were 10 years old? Give two reasons why a mill owner would want to employ children.
- 3. Draw a bar chart to show the number of children working in each age group. Now do the following:
 - Label the axes
 - Draw the bars
 - Write a title for your bar chart
 - Make three comments to show an understanding of the information.

For example, the smallest number of children working in the mill were aged 6. This may be because they were too young and small to carry out the demanding jobs properly.

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