Mental Maths
$5 \times 7=$
$57-19=$
$30 \div 2=$
$36+47=$
$18+62=$
$75-21=$

This week's learning is: Fractions
This learning will be adding to the learning that we have already done on fractions earlier on this year $\cdot$ - Click on the following links to view this week's Maths videos:
https://classroom.thenational.academy/lessons/to-identify-unit-fractions-of-quantity/activities/2
This week's key vocabulary:

| numerator | denominator | equal parts |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| whole | half $\frac{1}{2}$ | quarter $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| third $\frac{1}{3}$ | two quarters $\frac{2}{4}$ | three quarters $\frac{3}{4}$ |

Here are some additional videos that you may find useful:
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UBiYzF-Otxw
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z3rbg82/articles/zt7nfrd

## Teaching Tips:

Always remember that with fractions, the whole must always be divided into equal parts.

## Numerator

This tells us how many


This tells us how many equal parts we need to divide our whole amount into.

## Finding fractions of an amount EXAMPLE:

Find $\frac{1}{4}$ of 20

Step 1: Check the denominator. For this fraction, I need to divide my whole (20) by 4 (denominator).

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20 \div 4
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Step 2: Check the numerator. This will tell you how many parts we need. In this fraction, I need just 1 part.


## Finding fractions of a shape EXAMPLE:

What fraction of the shape is shaded?


Step 1: The circle has been divided into 4 equal parts. This is our denominator (bottom number).
Step 2: 3 parts of the circle has been shaded. 3 is our numerator (top number).

Answer: $\frac{3}{4}$

## Year 2 - Fraction Activities



| $\frac{1}{4}$ of $20=5$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ of $14=$ | One third of $12=$ | Two fifths of $15=$ |  |
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| $\because \because$ | $\because \because$ |  |  |  |
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Mo has two ribbons. He cuts $\frac{1}{4}$ from each ribbon.


How long were Mo's whole pieces of ribbon? Ribbon A: $\qquad$ Ribbon B: $\qquad$
Which ribbon was the longest? $\qquad$

How much longer? $\qquad$

Sam bought a bag of 18 cherries.
He ate 6 cherries.
What fraction of the bag did Sam eat?

Amir and Dora each have 20 sweets.
Amir eats half of his sweets.
Dora eats two quarters of her sweets.
Dora says she has eaten more sweets than Amir.

Do you agree? Explain your reasoning.
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Tick the diagrams that have $\frac{1}{4}$ of the whole shaded.


Explain your reasoning.
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I am thinking of a number.

One third of my number is 12 .
Which will be greater; one half of my number or one quarter of my number?

## 12

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## Challenge: Fractional Wall



Equivalent fractions is a word used when the fractions are exactly the same. e.g. $\frac{1}{2}=\frac{2}{4}$

Using the picture above, how many different ways can you find of writing $\frac{1}{2}$ ?

From the picture, can you write down all the equivalent fractions for $\frac{\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{3}}$ ?

Again, using the fraction wall, how else could you write $\frac{3}{4}$ ?

