



Planning for the New Grade 4 Math

Provincial Session 4

February 13, 2024



Land Acknowledgement

In the spirit of reconciliation, we want to acknowledge that this gathering is taking place on traditional lands across the province of Alberta, home to many diverse First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples. We acknowledge that this land is a traditional meeting ground giving voice to its original peoples and the story of creation of this country in a way that history has forgotten.



Teaching Mathematics In Relationship
with **Indigenous Ways of Knowing**

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Make It Visible...Make It Real

On our agenda today:

- Fractions - Equivalent Fractions - 4N5.1
- Decimal Numbers to hundredths - 4N5.2
- Fractions and Decimals that occupy the same place on a number line represent the same number - 4N5.2
- Percentages - fractions, decimals and percents can represent the same part-whole - 4N6
- Add and Subtract within 10 000, **including decimals** to hundredths (context of money) **Standard Algorithms**- 4N2
- Multiply and divide **natural numbers** to 10 000 (**strategies**) - 4N4
- Time - measuring time in degrees. What is that?
- Algebra - to next session

4N5.1 Students apply equivalence to the interpretation of fractions

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- Exactly one of infinitely many equivalent fractions is in simplest form. (initially limit to money with pennies and dimes)

4N5.2 Students apply equivalence to the interpretation of fractions.

- Decimal numbers that terminate (do not repeat) are fractions with denominators of 10, 100, etc.
- Fractions and decimal numbers that represent the same number are associated with the same point on the number line (use this part understanding as your initial conversation)

4N6 Students interpret percentages

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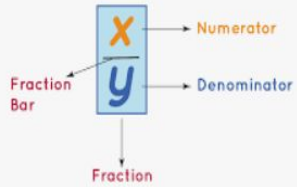
Kindergarten	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6
“Sharing”	<p>In a quantity partitioned into two equal groups, each group represents one-half of the whole quantity. In a shape or object partitioned into two identical pieces, each piece represents one-half of the whole.</p> <p>Symmetry</p>	<p>“Quarters”</p> <p>Model a unit fraction.. (10 or fewer parts)</p> <p>Compare unit fractions of the same/different wholes.</p> <p>Make the whole from a unit fraction.</p>	<p>Fractions are numbers between natural numbers.</p> <p>Fractions can represent part-to-whole relationships.</p> <p>A unit fraction describes the size of the equal parts of a fraction.</p> <p>The size of the parts and the total number of equal parts in the whole are inversely related. (Money)</p>	<p>There are infinitely many equivalent fractions that represent the same number.</p> <p>Exactly one of infinitely many equivalent fractions is in simplest form. (GCF)</p> <p>Decimal numbers that terminate (do not repeat) are fractions with denominators of 10, 100, etc.</p> <p>Fractions, decimals, and percentages can represent the same part-whole relationship.</p>	<p>Fractions allow counting and measuring between whole quantities.</p> <p>Improper fractions and mixed numbers that represent the same number are associated with the same point on the number line.</p>	<p>Model an equal-sharing situation in more than one way. Describe an equal-sharing situation using a fraction. Express a fraction as a division statement and vice versa. Convert a quotient from fraction to decimal form using division.</p>

Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6
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"Fraction is..."

Symbolic

Numerator and Denominator in a Fraction



RELATIONSHIPS

WHAT IS A FRACTION?

A fraction is a **number** which can tell us about the relationship between two quantities.



How do we help
students to **see** a unit
fraction?

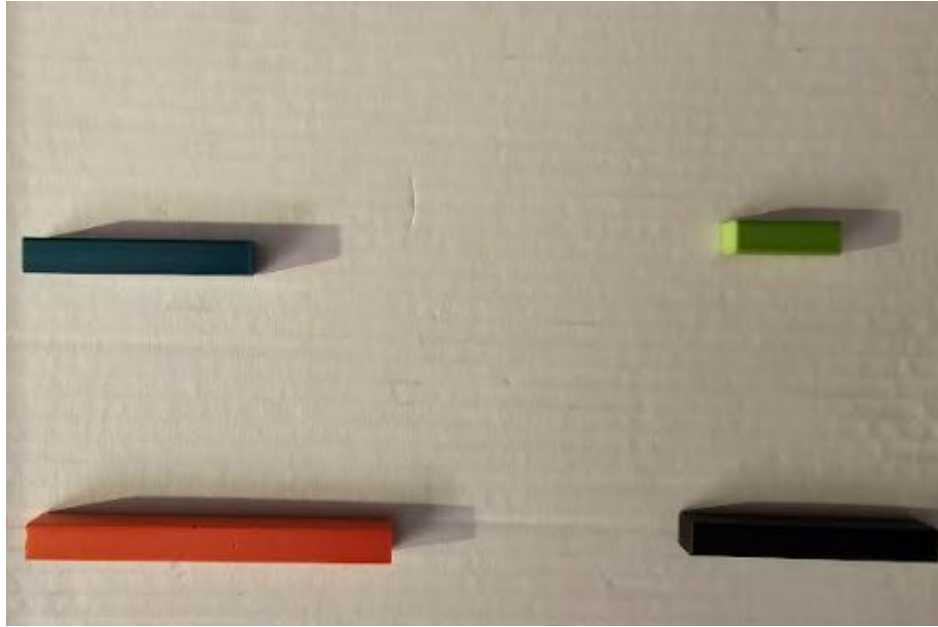


Create the Unit Fractions Visually

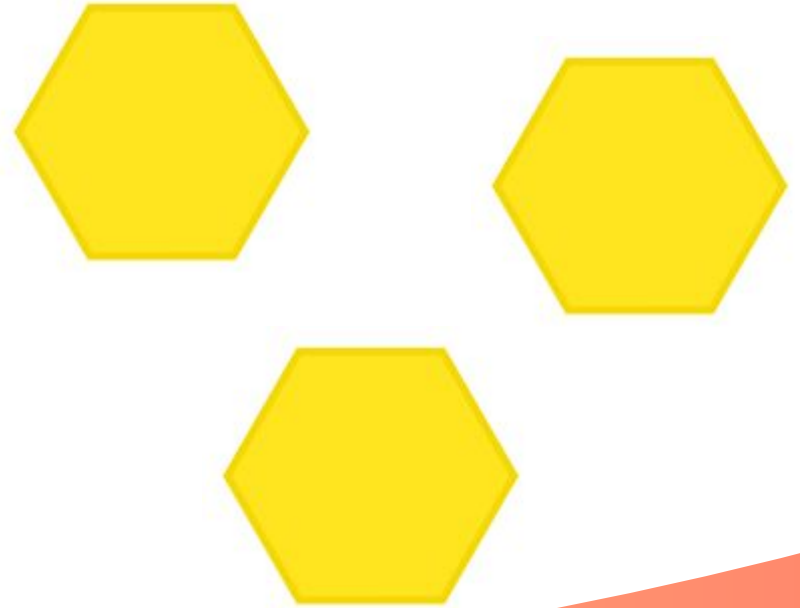


[Money Link](#)

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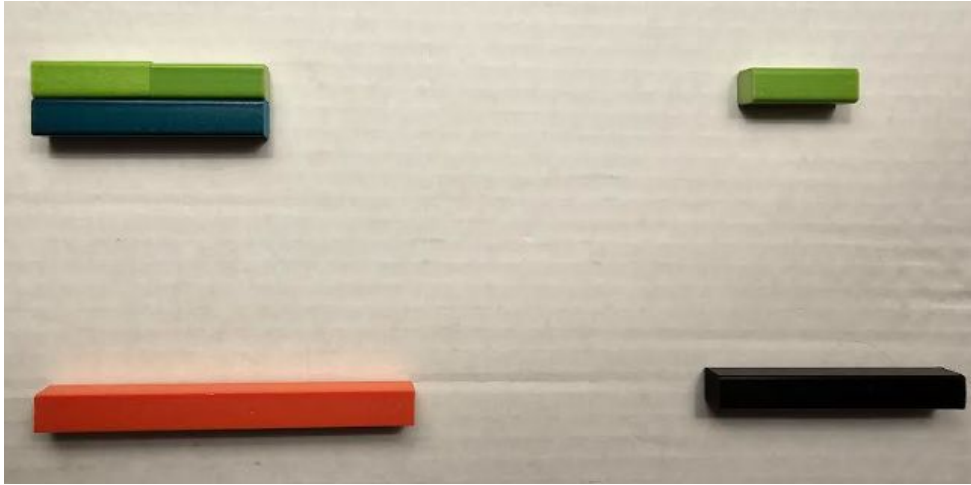


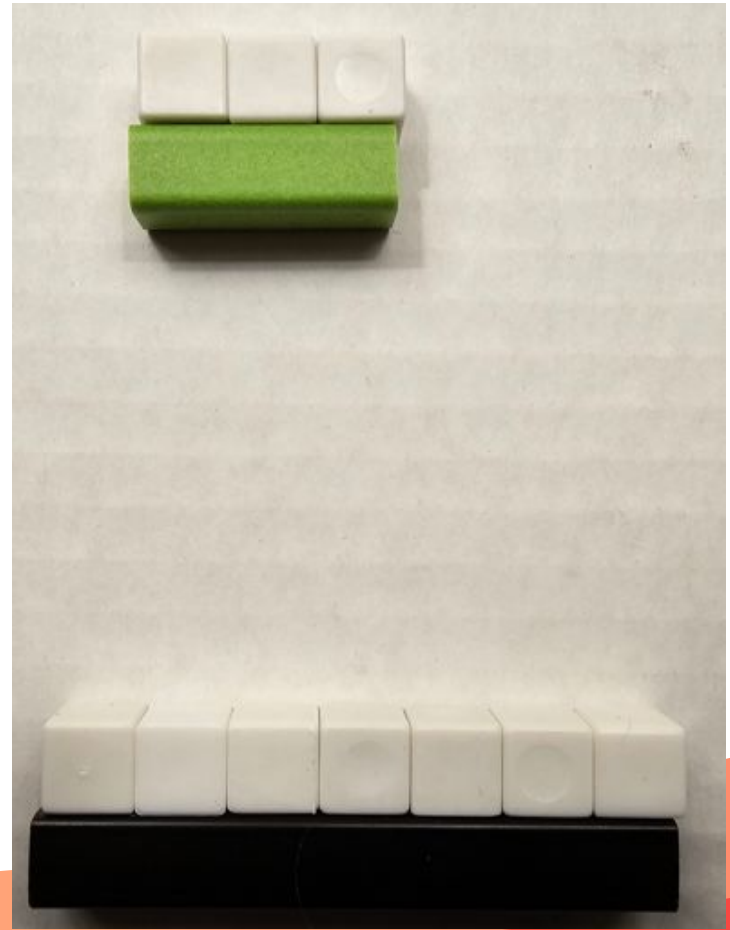
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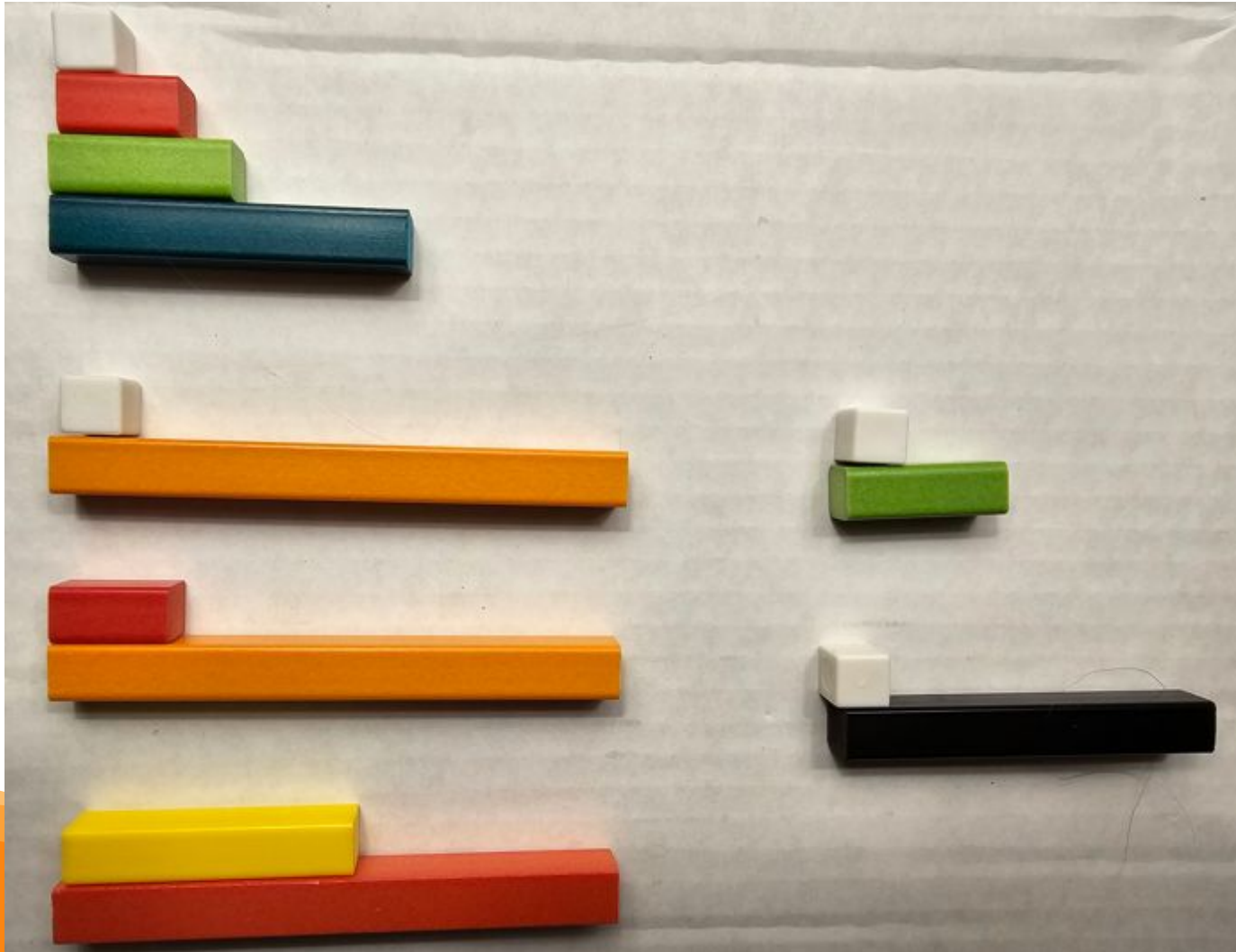


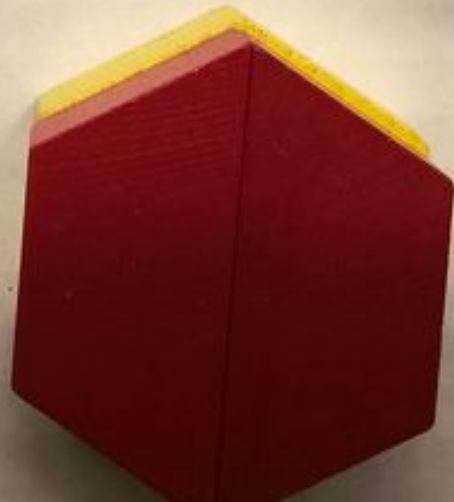
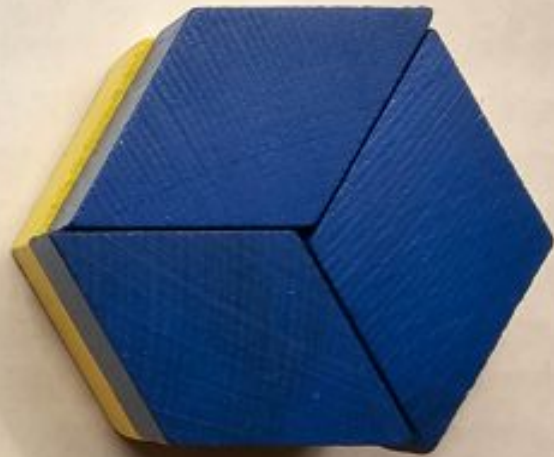
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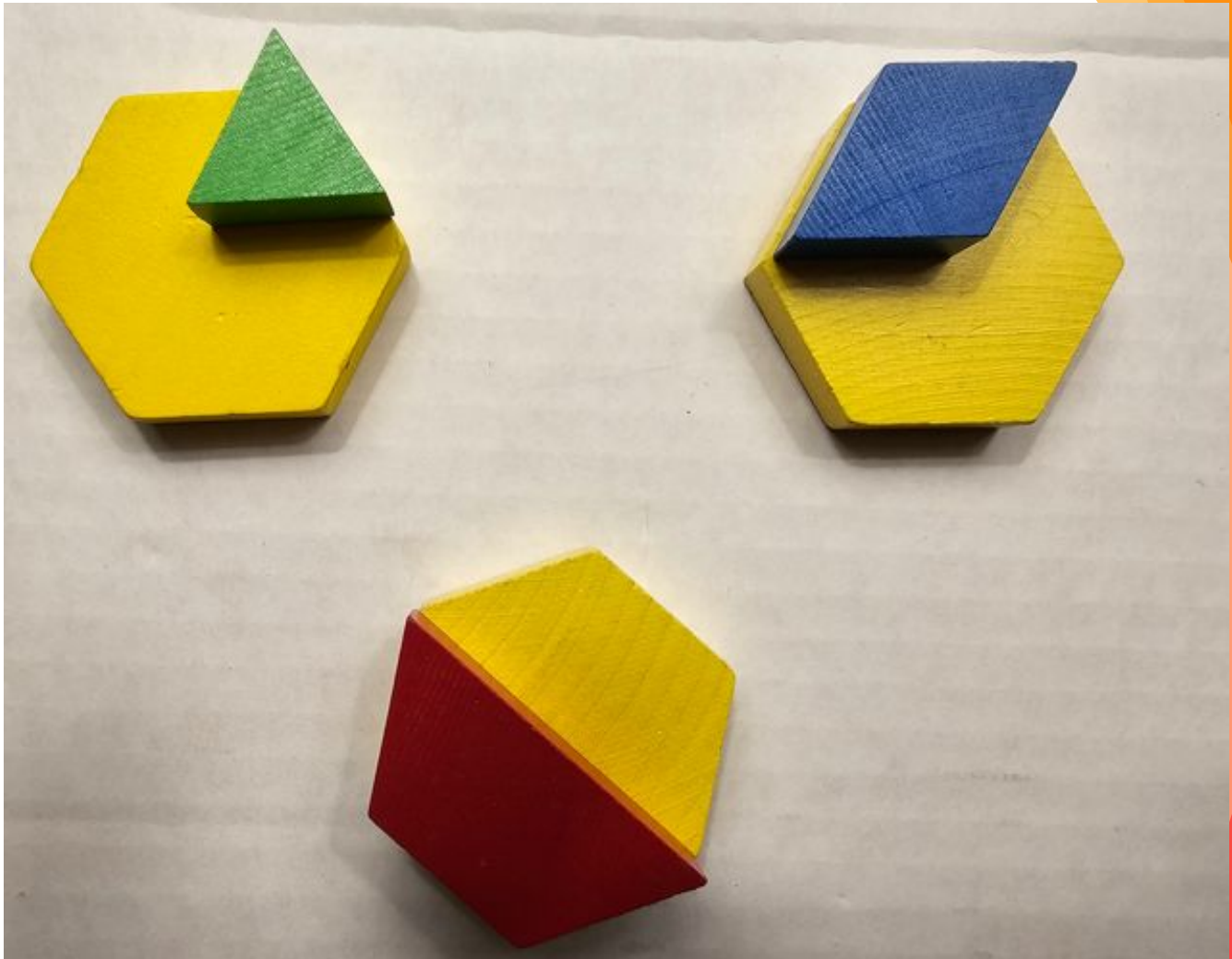




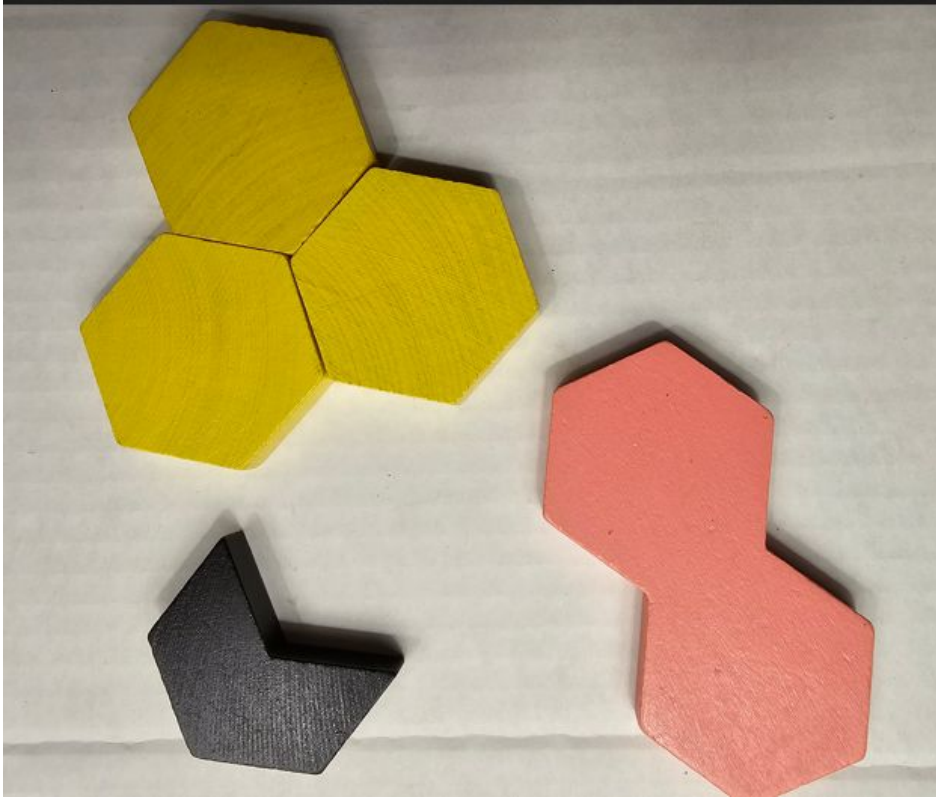


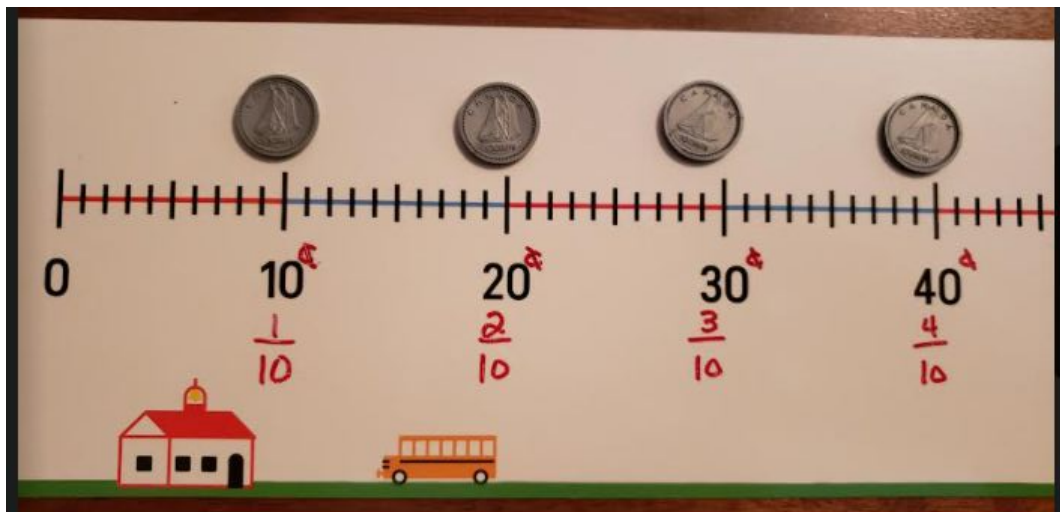


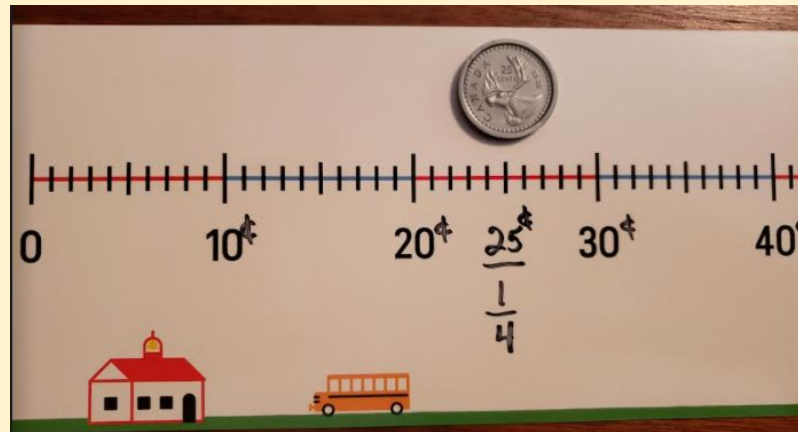
**What
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fractions
are
evident?**

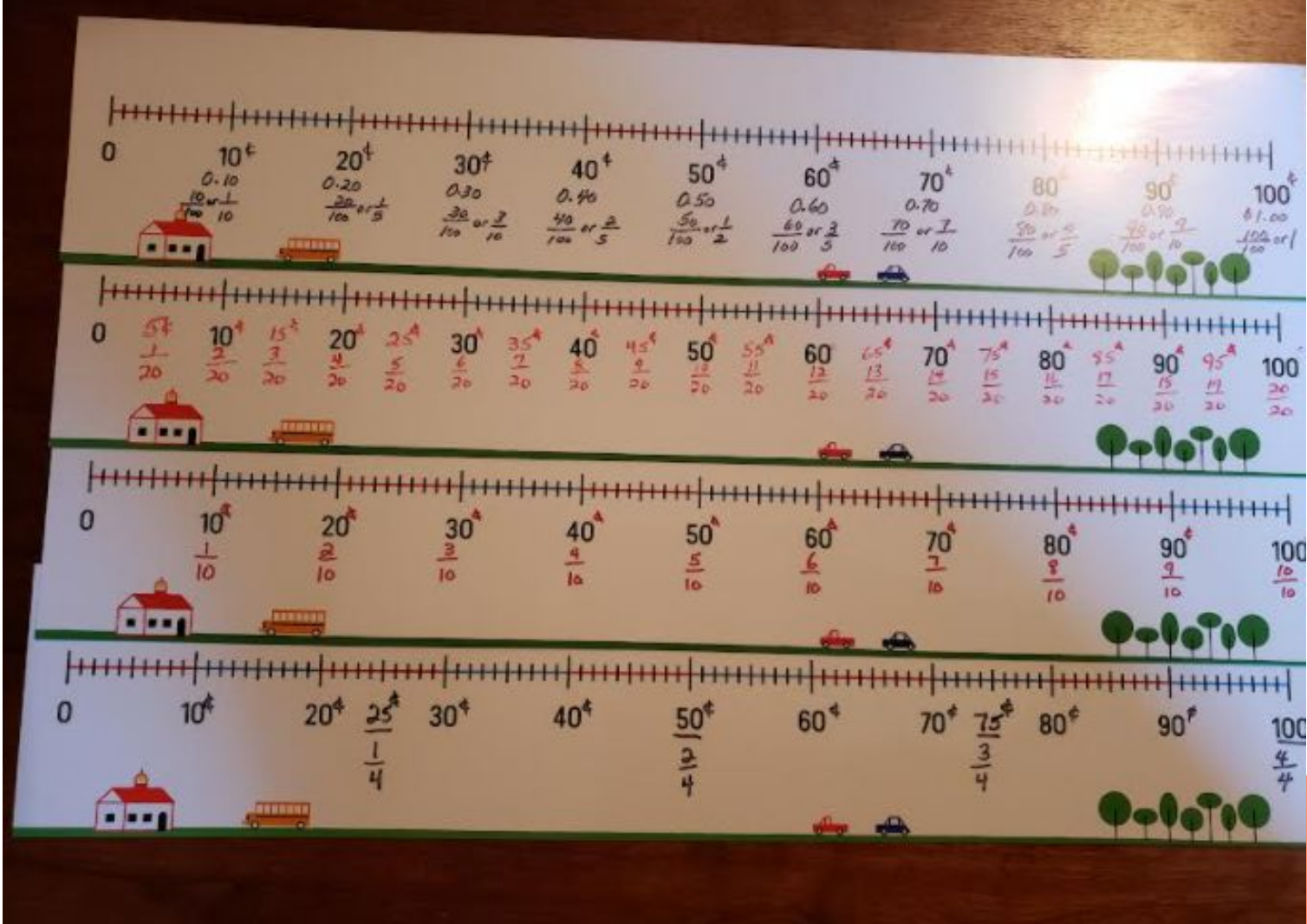


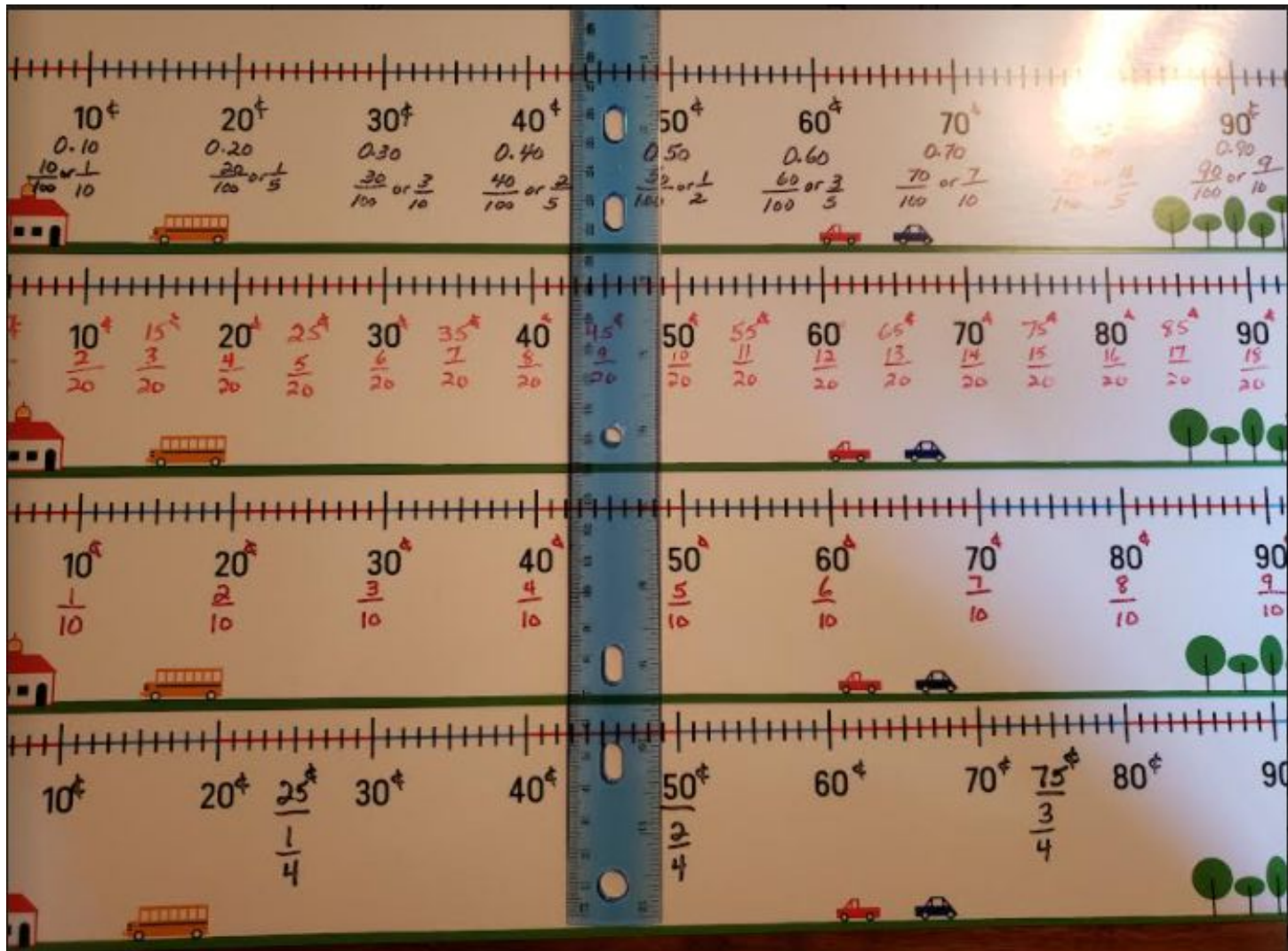
What is the relationship between the unit fraction and these wholes?



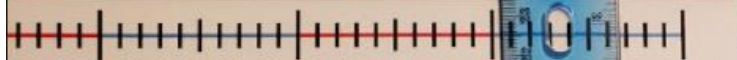
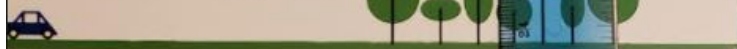








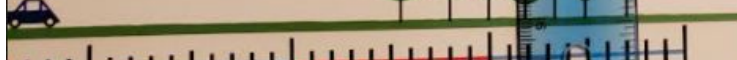
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0.70	0.80	0.90	\$1.00
$\frac{70}{100}$ or $\frac{7}{10}$	$\frac{80}{100}$ or $\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{90}{100}$ or $\frac{9}{10}$	$\frac{100}{100}$ or $\frac{1}{1}$



70¢	75¢	80¢	85¢	90¢	95¢	100¢
$\frac{14}{20}$	$\frac{15}{20}$	$\frac{16}{20}$	$\frac{17}{20}$	$\frac{18}{20}$	$\frac{19}{20}$	$\frac{20}{20}$

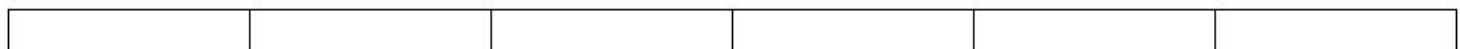


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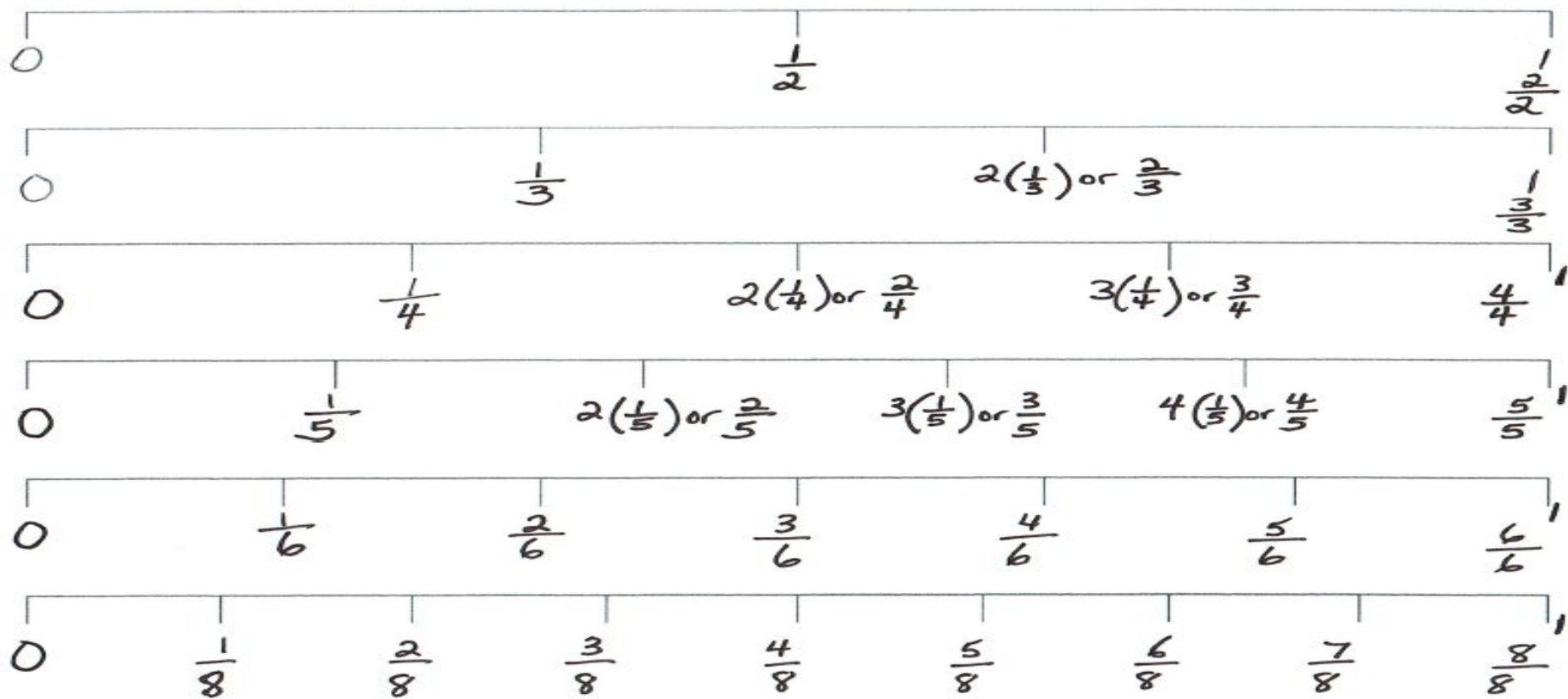


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Link



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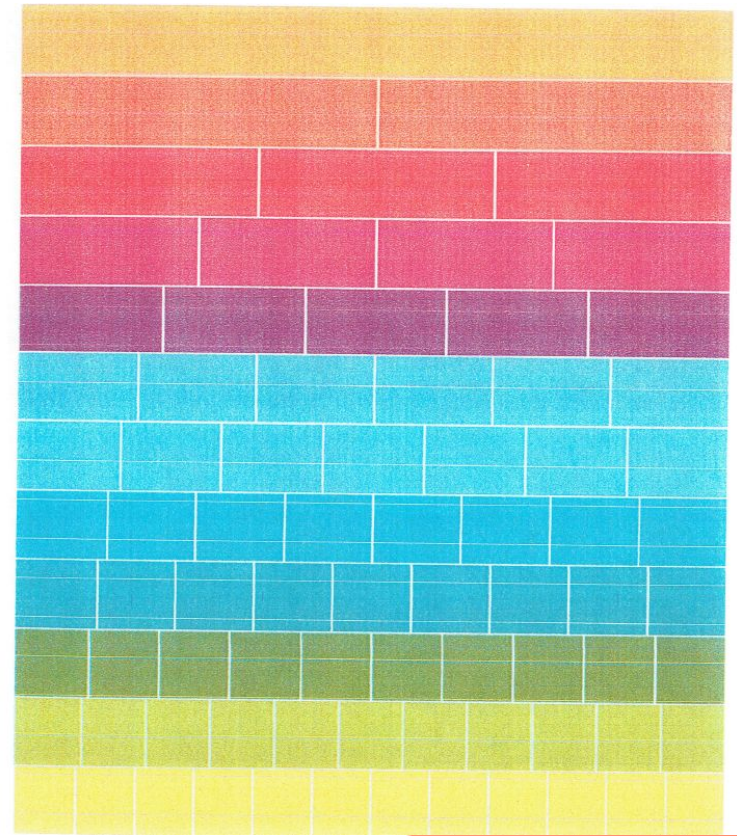
How does what we learned in the activity **Transfer** to the strips?

How can we use this for equivalent fractions? 4N5.1

Finding Equivalent Fractions - [Teacher's Guide and support](#)

Finding Equivalent Fractions - [Powerpoint](#)

Source: nctm, uk.



Unit Fraction



How do our multiplication tables help us see equivalent fraction patterns?

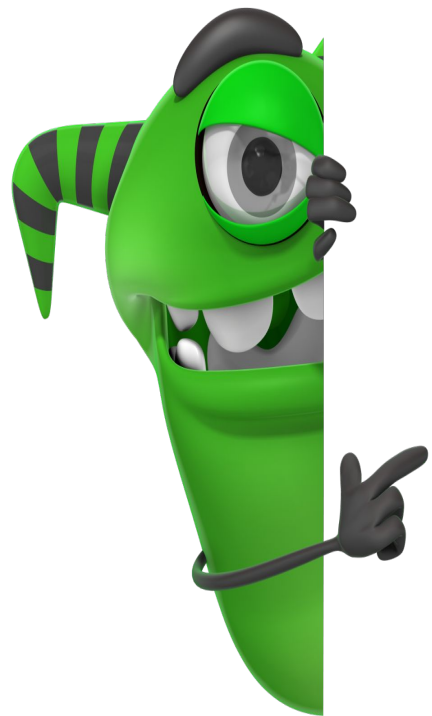
How do multiplication tables help us see ratios?

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2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
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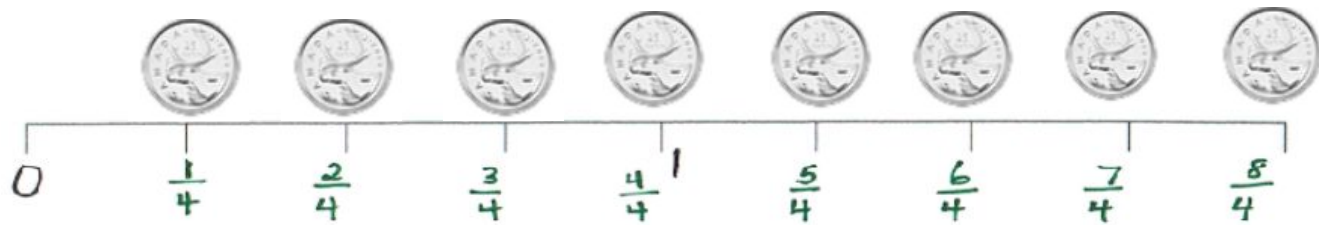
Placing Unit Fractions on a number line allows me to count by unit fractions in the same way we taught students to count by natural numbers.

Show how $\frac{5}{11}$ can be obtained by counting by a unit fraction.

Which is greater, $\frac{3}{11}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$



or $1\frac{1}{2}$ or \$1.50



$1\frac{1}{4}$
\$1.25



$1\frac{1}{2}$
\$1.50



$1\frac{3}{4}$
\$1.75



Money is real!

It offers our students a real world connection as a concept and as a manipulative.

How can this help us make connections for Fractions, Decimals and Percents? 4N5.2

Place Value Chart Beginning with Money (Penny, Dime, Loonie, \$10, \$100, \$1000)

 (not legal tender)					

As of January 1, 2021, the \$1, \$2, \$25, \$500 and \$1,000 bills from every Bank of Canada series are no longer legal tender.

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Should ensure that they understand dollars and cents (tenths and hundredths well) before adding and subtracting decimal numbers of varying sizes. (context and real world concept before the algorithm. It will help support the basic algorithm for addition and subtraction)



DOLLARS				CENTS	
\$1000	\$100	\$10	\$1	dimes	pennies

You need this strip and a Base 10 Money Kit

DOLLARS				CENTS	
\$1000	\$100	\$10	\$1	dimes	pennies



Show me \$23 Below that show me \$16

DOLLARS				CENTS	
\$1000	\$100	\$10	\$1	dimes	pennies



How much money all together?

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Do we see dollars and cents in stores written as \$17 and 65 cents?



= 10 ¢



20 ¢

2 dimes no cents



= 1 ¢



2 ¢

no dimes and 2 cents

How do we transition to a decimal?

4N6 Students interpret percentages

- Fractions, decimals, and percentages can represent the same part-whole relationship.

Tenths

Hundredths (Grids)

Money

Number Lines

Tenths - Numbers (decimals)

Hundredths - Numbers (decimals)

Tenths - Fractions

Mixed Numbers - Fractions

Percents

Tenths - Words

Hundredths - Words

How can percentages standardize part-whole relationships?

4N6 Students interpret percentages.

Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
Percentage is represented symbolically with %.	Fractions, decimals, and percentages can represent the same part-whole relationship.	Investigate percentage in familiar situations.
Decimals can be expressed as percentages by multiplying by 100.		Compare percentages within 100%.
Percentages can be expressed as decimals by dividing by 100.		Express the fraction, decimal, and percentage representations of the same part-whole relationship.
One percent represents one hundredth of a whole.		

1¢

This is the algorithmic thinking - make sure they understand the concept of 100 and percent well

Teacher Note: The card game is for both Grades 4 & 5. Remove cards that represent values greater than 1 for Grade 4.

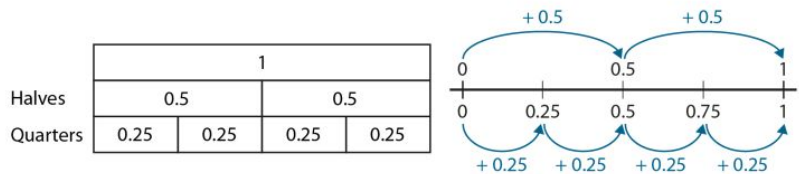
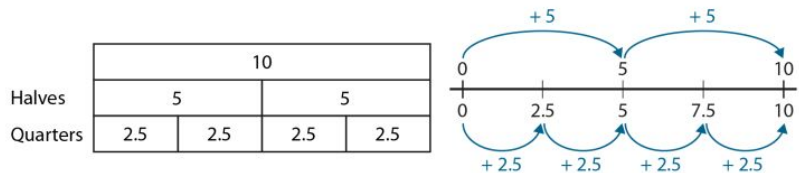
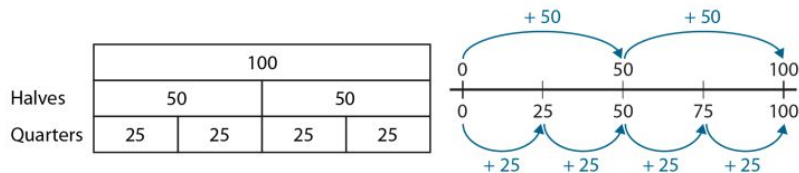
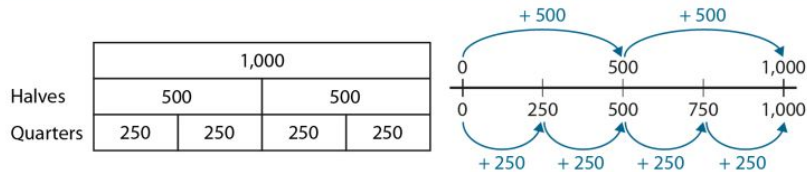
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3.10 Fractions, decimals and percentages Step 1:6

4N6

How does my knowledge of money help give this meaning?

What is the values had dollar signs?

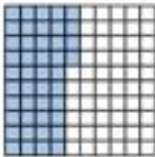

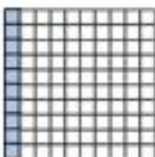
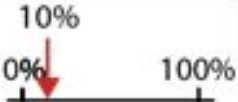
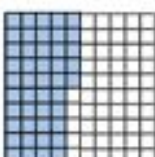

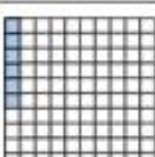



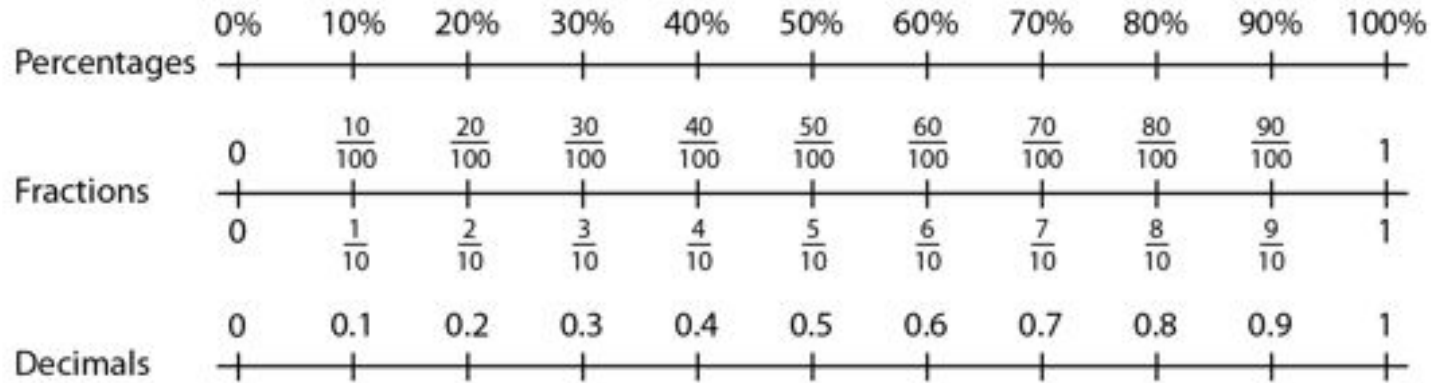
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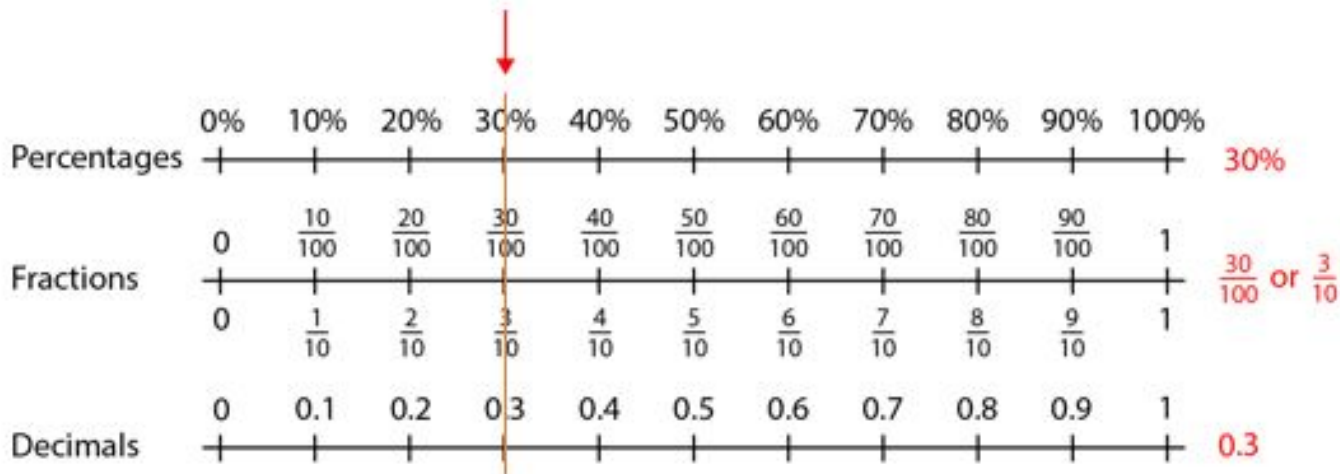
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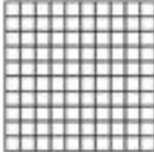

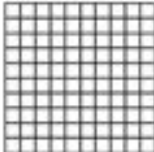

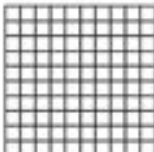

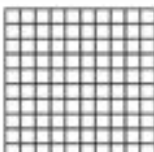

How does a
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help?

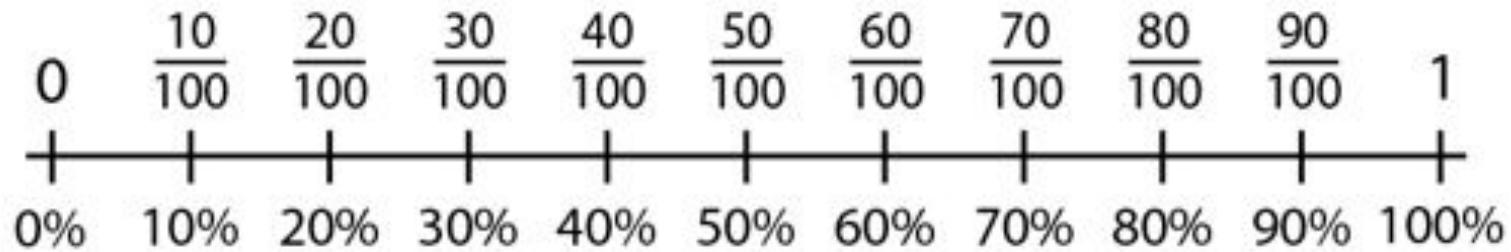
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6%	$\frac{6}{100}$		

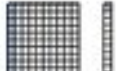
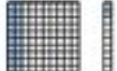










If these are dollar amounts, students make a real connection!

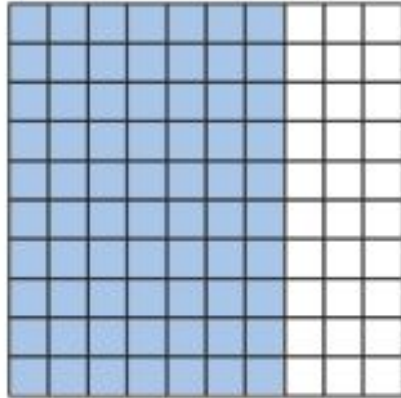


Percentage	Fraction	Hundred square	Number line	Decimal
80%	$\frac{\square}{100}$			0.80
45%	$\frac{\square}{100}$			0.45
31%	$\frac{\square}{100}$			0.31
9%	$\frac{\square}{100}$			0.09



10%	$\frac{1}{10}$	0.1	
20%	$\frac{2}{10}$	0.2	
30%	$\frac{3}{10}$	0.3	
40%	$\frac{4}{10}$	0.4	
50%	$\frac{5}{10}$	0.5	
60%	$\frac{6}{10}$	0.6	
70%	$\frac{7}{10}$	0.7	
80%	$\frac{8}{10}$	0.8	
90%	$\frac{9}{10}$	0.9	
100%	$\frac{10}{10}$	1	

70%



100 ¢ = \$1.00



Part of a dime

7 ¢ out of 10 ¢

What is ~~the~~ an Algorithm?

Definition

Context is everything for students who are just learning a concept OR are LOST

Strategies for Multiplication & Division

Other forms of the “Standard Algorithm”

[Resource 1](#)

[Resource 2](#)



Measuring *time* and telling *time* are different processes. Measuring *time* is like measuring length. Time, as a measurement is about 'duration' (how long it takes an event from beginning to end). We can measure duration in second, minutes, hours, days, weeks years etc. so knowing a variety of tools that help us measure time is helpful. Standard clocks, stop watches and non-standard hour glass, egg timer etc. We can measure time in terms of degrees and how much of an hour/minute has elapsed.

Standard Units of Time

MINUTES (min)

Defining a Minute

A *minute* is equal to 60 seconds. It is also $\frac{1}{60}$ of an hour.

Minute Referents

To help students get a feel for 1 minute, a teacher might use an estimating activity. First, students watch as the teacher times 1 minute. Then they put their heads down, and they raise their hands when they think 1 minute is over.

Other activities that will help students establish personal referents include problems such as the following:

- How many times can you write your name in 1 minute?
- How many times can you clap your hands in 1 minute?
- How high can you count in 1 minute?
- How far can you go saying the letters of the alphabet in 1 minute?

SECONDS (s)

Defining a Second

A *second* is the basic SI unit of time.

Second Referents

To help students establish personal referents for seconds, a teacher might pose problems such as the following:

- What is something that takes about 1 second to do?
- What is something that takes about 10 seconds to do?
- How many seconds does it take you to walk 100 m? to run 100 m?

HOURS (h)

Defining an Hour

An *hour* is equal to 60 minutes.

Hour Referents

To help students establish personal referents for 1 hour, a teacher might pose problems such as the following:

- What takes you about 1 hour to do?
- How far could you walk in 1 hour?

Familiar referents for 1 hour might include the amount of time students spend in math class, the length of a favourite TV show, or how long they have for lunch and recess.

A moment
of silence

“Just a
minute”

“In a
minute”

February

4M2 Students determine and express angles using standard units.

- Angles are quantified by measurement and based on the division of a circle.
- An angle is measured with equal- sized units that themselves are angles.

4T1 Students communicate duration with standard units of time

- Analog clocks can relate duration to a circle.
Ongoing - use for number (skip counting, link to unit fractions, link to angles, fractions, conversions)

Understanding Angles

Angles - use your right angle foldable to classify the given angles.

Use clocks to start the conversation

Mathigon Clocks

Lessons - *scroll down for additional lessons*

Teaching Clock

March	April	In what ways can geometric properties define space?		
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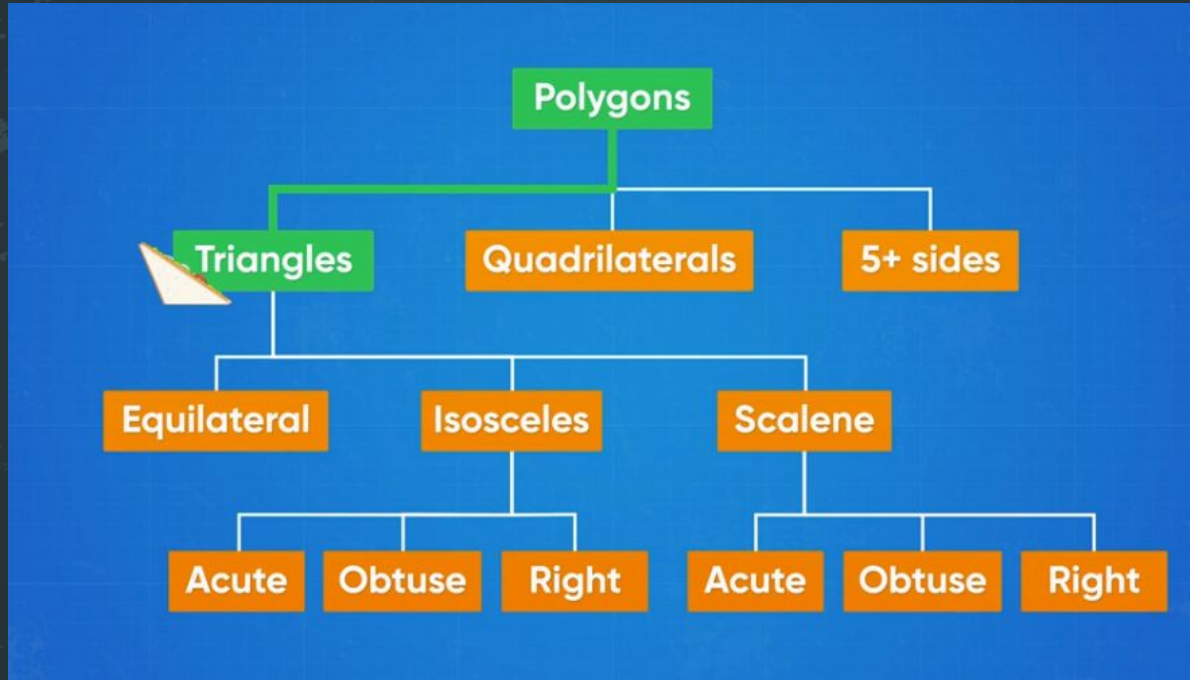
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What is a hierarchy?



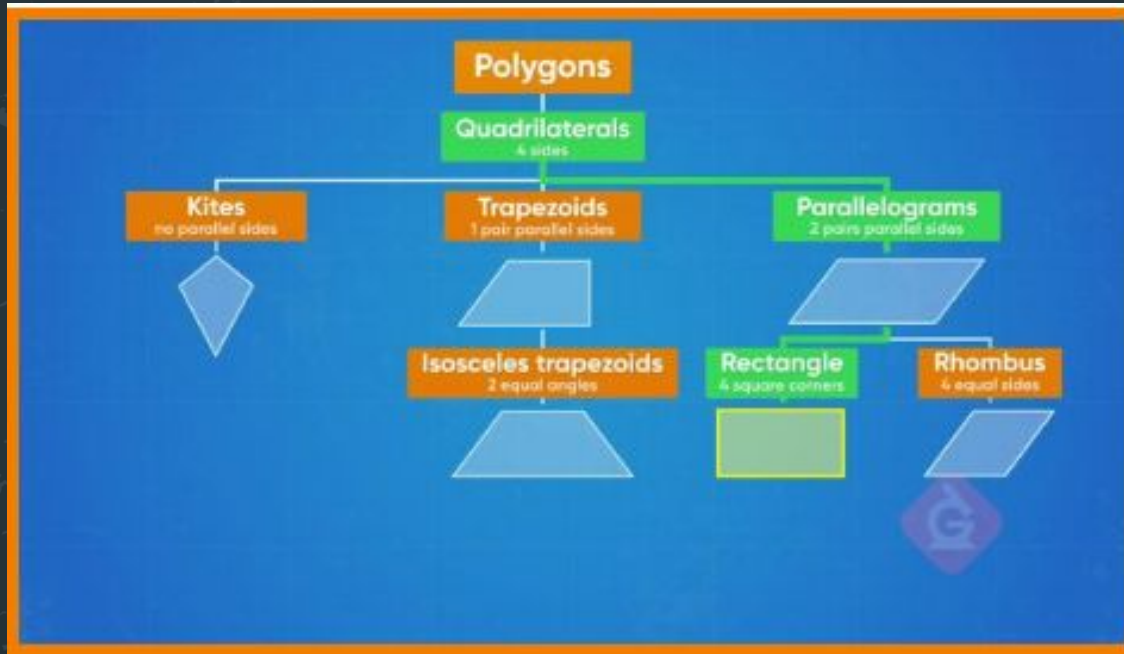
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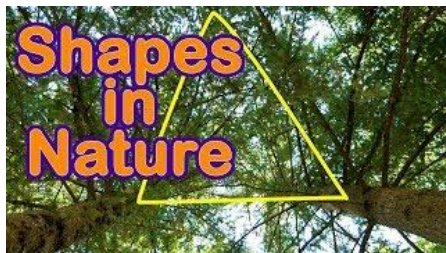
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Knowledge	Understanding	Skills & Procedures
<p>Many shapes in the environment resemble polygons.</p> <p>Transformations can be used to illustrate geometric properties of a polygon.</p>	<p>A shape resembling a polygon that does not share the defining geometric properties of the polygon is a close approximation.</p>	<p>Show, using geometric properties, that a close approximation of a polygon is not the same as the polygon.</p> <p>Verify geometric properties of polygons by translating, rotating, or reflecting using hands-on materials or digital applications.</p>

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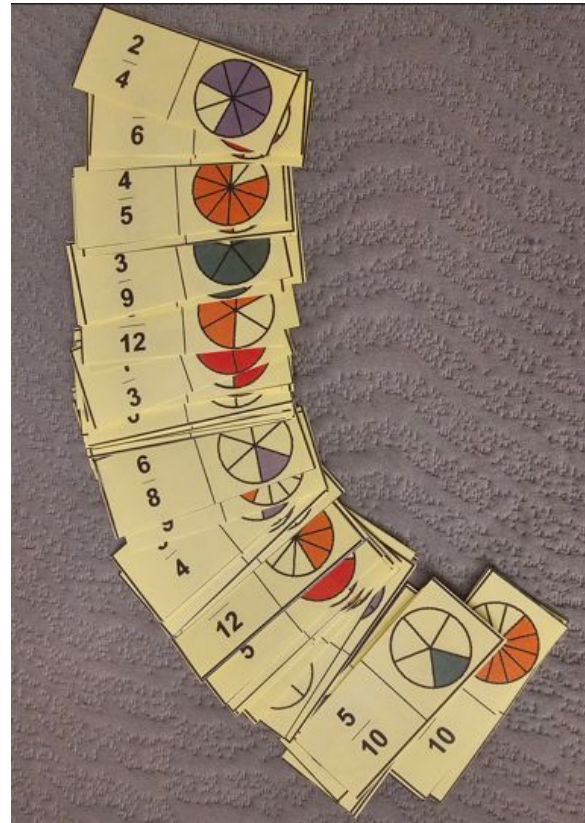
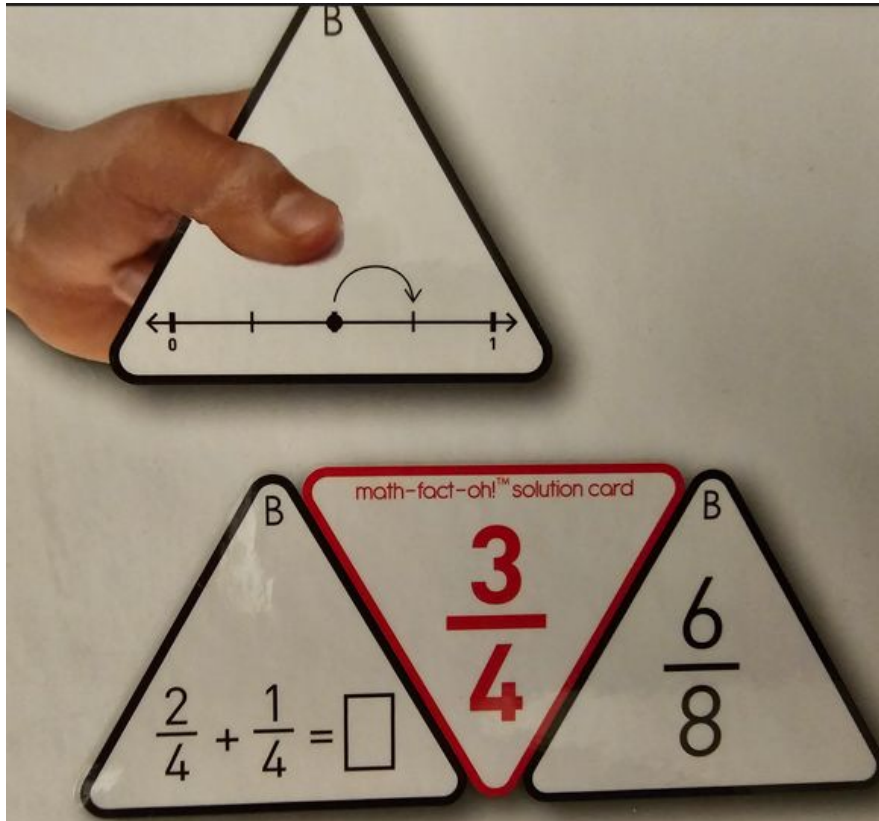
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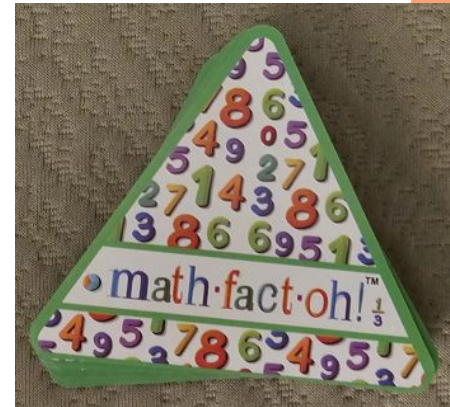
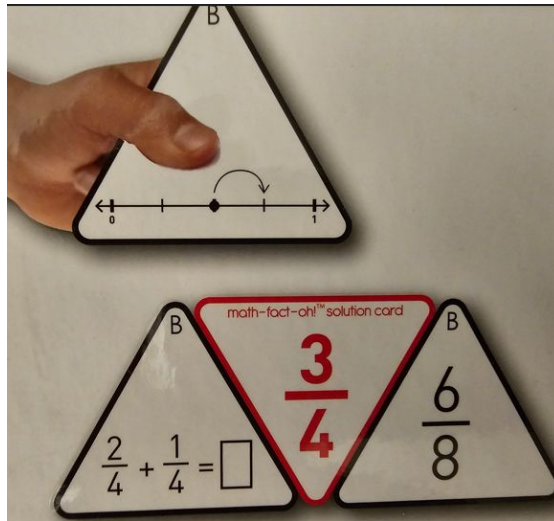
Polygons in the Real World

Transfer question: What is the relationship between geometric properties of polygons and the Real World? Give examples and explain your thinking.

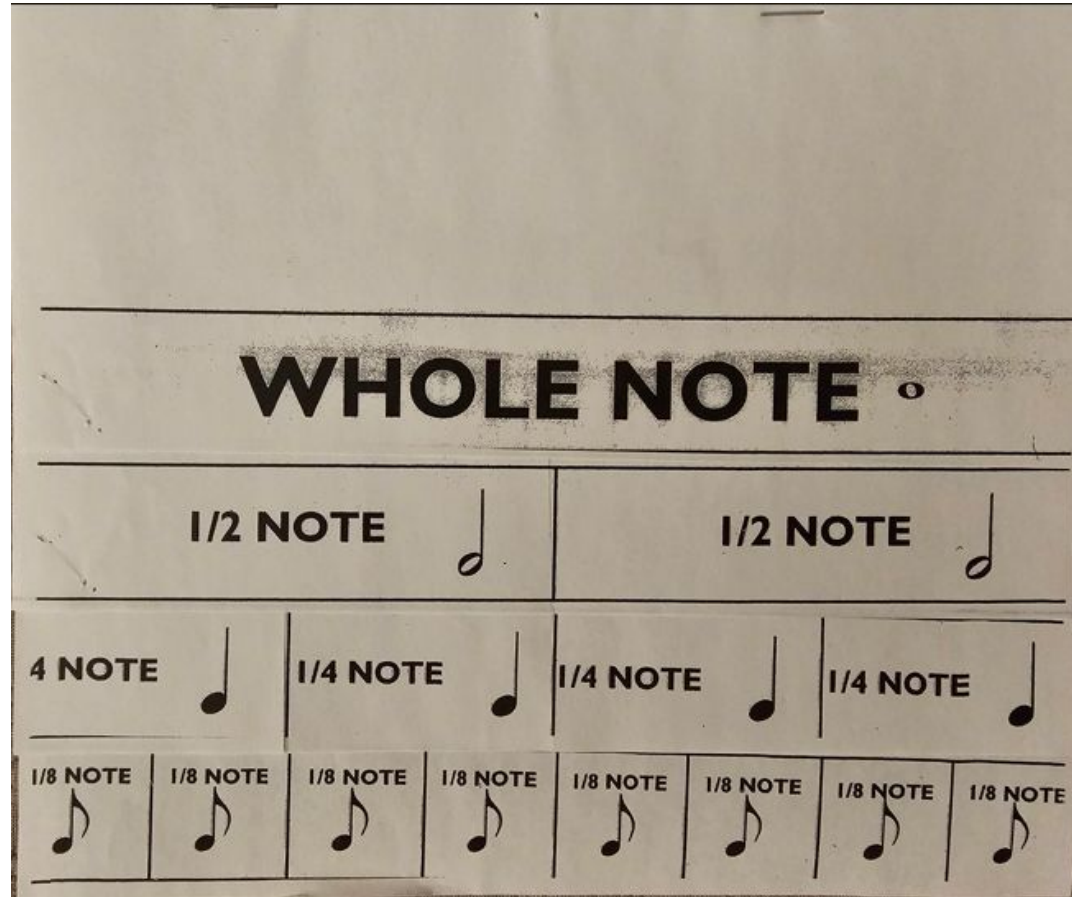
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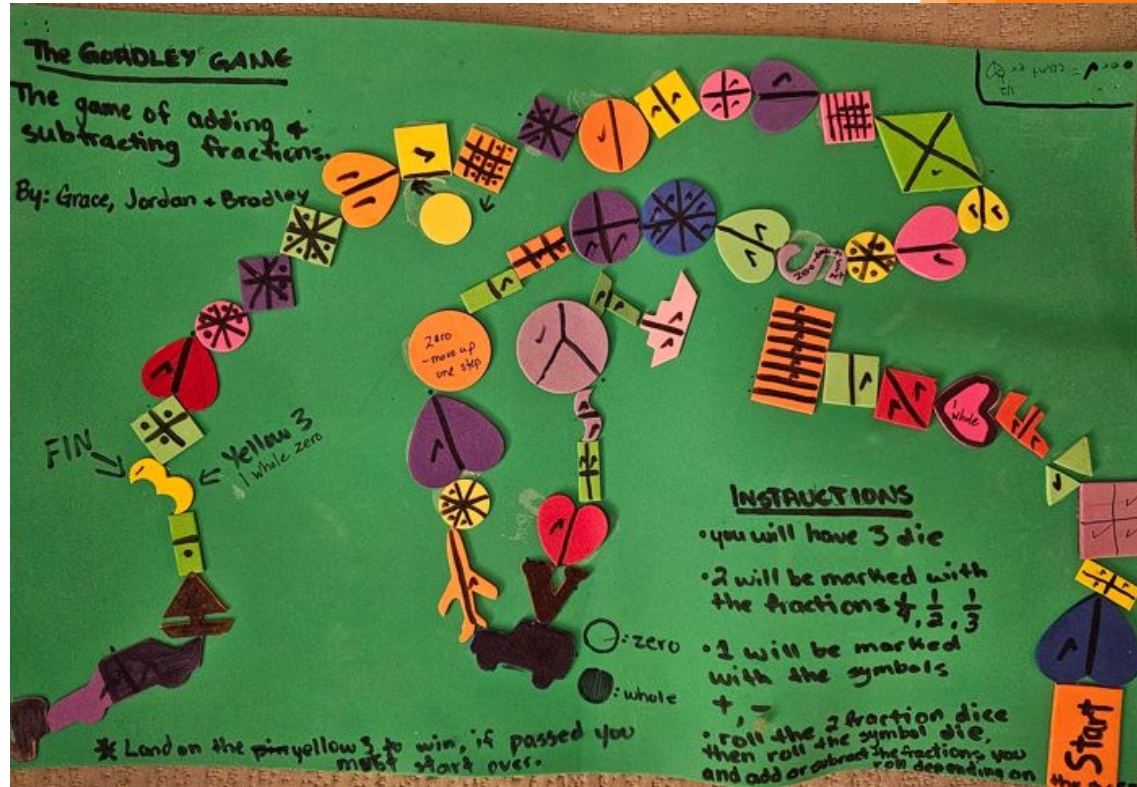


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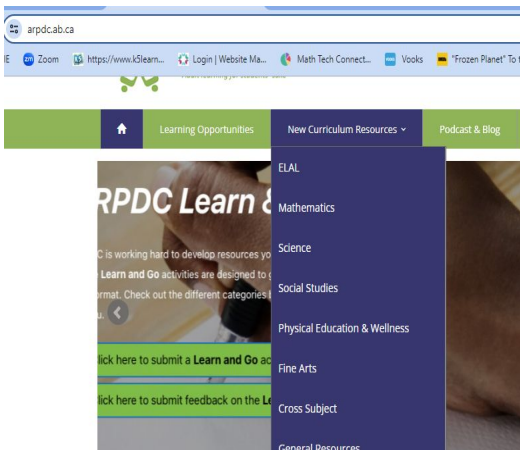
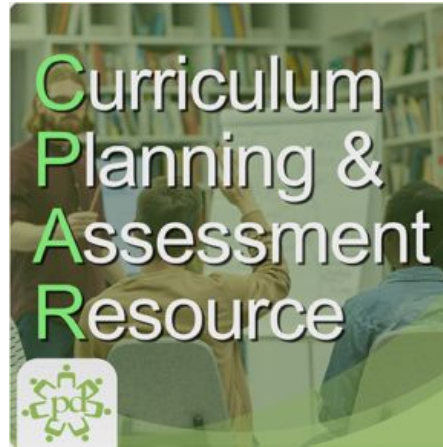
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