

# Division

## Foundation Stage 1:

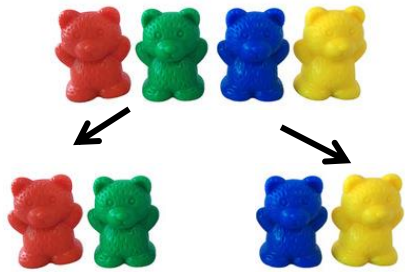
Birth to Three: Reacts to changes of amount

Three to Four:

Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5.

Concrete

Separate groups of objects in different ways - begin to introduce sharing.



Pictorial

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**Foundation Stage 2 Objectives:**

Reception:

Explore the composition of numbers to 10.

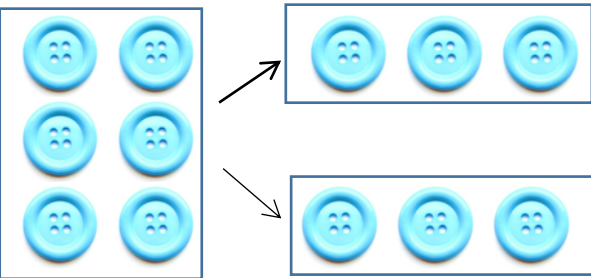
Early Learning Goal:

Have a deep understanding of numbers to 10, including the composition.

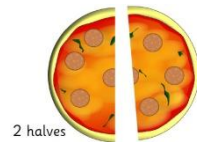
Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.

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Practically halving everyday objects - the halves being the same size. Begin with halving play dough and other items that could be cut, then use hoops /halving mats etc. to separate items.



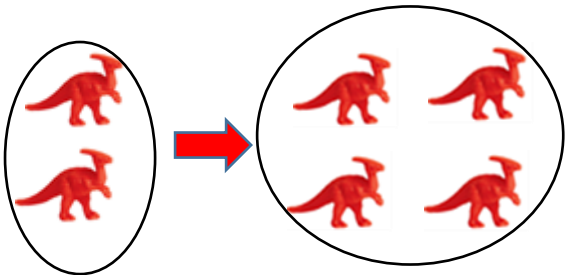
Halving images



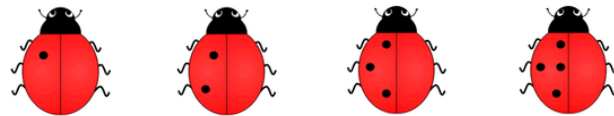
Finding the other half of everyday shapes to match them e.g. cups, beans

Half of ... is ... (adult written)

Doubling everyday items e.g. compare bears, counters etc.



Doubling e.g. the spots on the ladybird.



Double 1 is 2...(adult written)

$$1 + 1 = 2$$
$$2 + 2 = 4$$

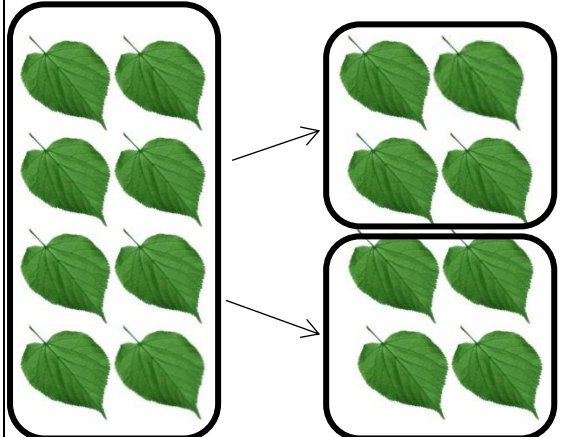
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**Year 1 Objectives:**

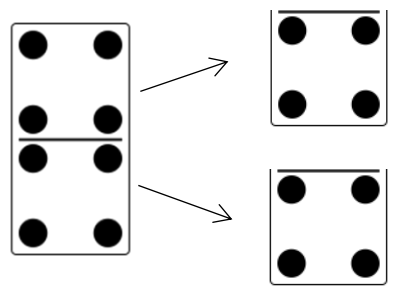
- solve one-step problems involving division, by calculating the answer using concrete objects, pictorial representations and arrays with the support of the teacher.

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Find half of even numbers up to 12, using fingers and objects.



The concrete representation shows a large rounded rectangle containing 8 green leaves arranged in two columns of four. Two arrows point from this group to two separate rounded rectangles, each containing 4 leaves, illustrating the division of 8 into two equal groups of 4.



The pictorial representation shows a vertical rectangle containing 8 black dots arranged in two columns of four. A horizontal line is drawn between the two columns. Two arrows point from this rectangle to two separate smaller rectangles, each containing 4 dots arranged in two columns of two, illustrating the division of 8 into two equal groups of 4.

Half of 8 is 4  
 $8 \div 2 = 4$

Develop finding half of numbers before moving onto finding quarters

whole



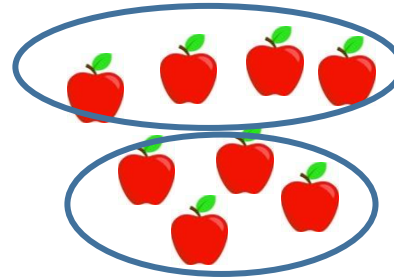
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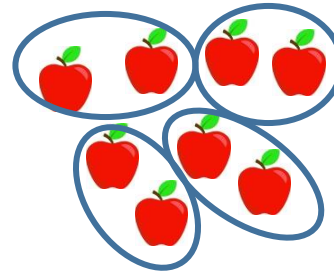
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Circle half of the apples.



Circle a quarter of the apples.



Half of 8 is 4.

$$8 \div 2 = 4$$

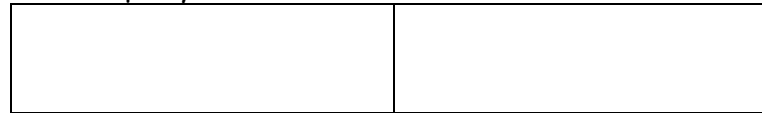
One quarter of 8 is 2

$$8 \div 4 = 2$$

Begin to find half of a quantity using sharing e.g. half of 14 cubes by sharing one at a time into two sorting dishes.



Share equally between 2.



Half of 14 is 7

14 shared between 2 is 7.

**Grouping:**

Use concrete and visual arrays/sets of objects to find answers to e.g. 15 girls play a game in teams of 5. How many groups are there?



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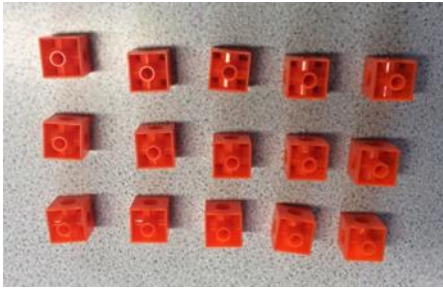


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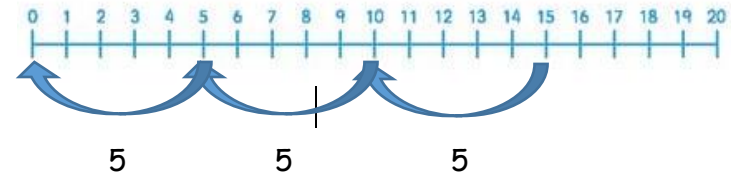
Total number of objects  $\div$  number in each group = number of groups.

There are 3 groups of 5 in 15, so

$$15 \div 5 = 3$$



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### Year 2 Objectives:

Pupils should be taught to:

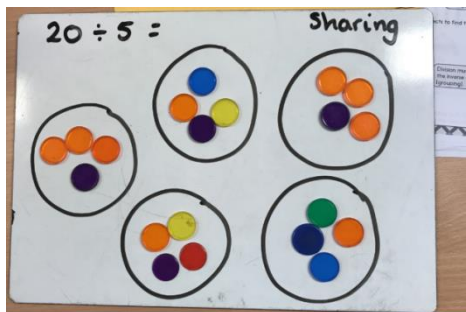
- recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers
- calculate mathematical statements for division within the multiplication tables and write them using the division ( $\div$ ) and equals (=) signs
- show that multiplication is commutative but division is not
- solve problems involving division, using materials, arrays, repeated addition, mental methods, and multiplication and division facts, including problems in contexts.

Concrete

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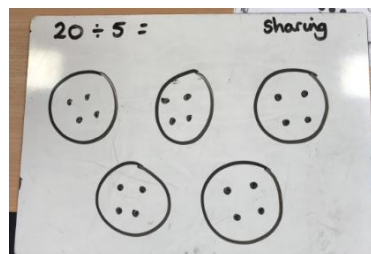
Continue to explore division as sharing



20 shared between 5 groups gives us 4 in each group.



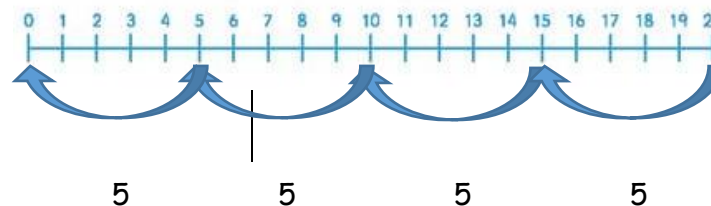
Show sharing in 'chunks'



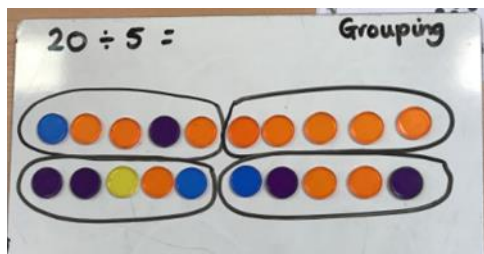
20 divided by 5 equals 4 rows.



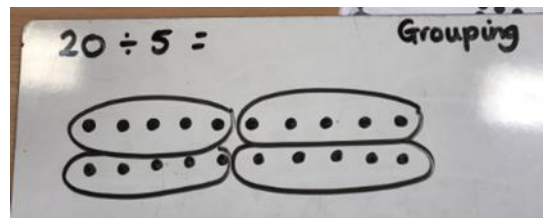
$$20 \div 5 = 4$$



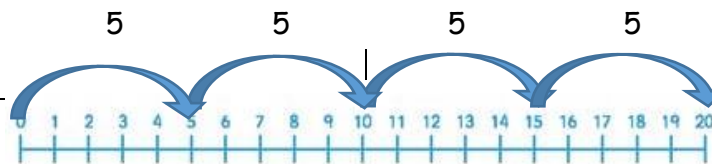
Grouping



How many groups of 5 make 20?



$$20 \div 5 = 4$$



20 has been divided into 4 equal groups of 5.

Link division to multiplication by creating an array and finding 4 related number sentences.



$$15 \div 3 =$$



$$15 \div 3 = 5$$

$$15 \div 5 = 3$$

$$3 \times 5 = 15$$

$$5 \times 3 = 15$$

**Year 3 Objectives:**

Pupils should be taught to:

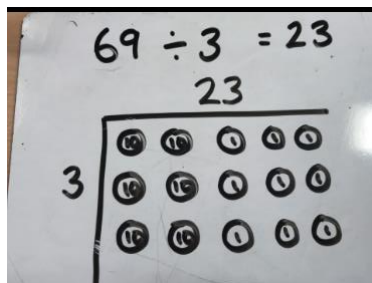
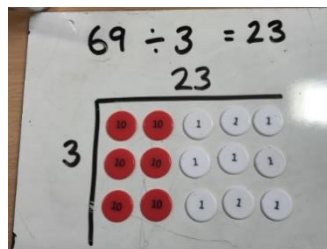
- recall and use division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables
- write and calculate mathematical statements for division using the multiplication tables that they know, including for two-digit numbers times one-digit numbers, using mental and progressing to formal written methods
- solve problems, including missing number problems, involving division, including positive integer scaling problems and correspondence problems in which n objects are connected to m objects.

Concrete	Pictorial	Abstract
Pupils to understand that division is not commutative. Use the relationship	See above for examples of grouping and sharing using concrete and pictorial resources, and	

of multiplication facts to calculate.

exploring the relationship between multiplication and division.

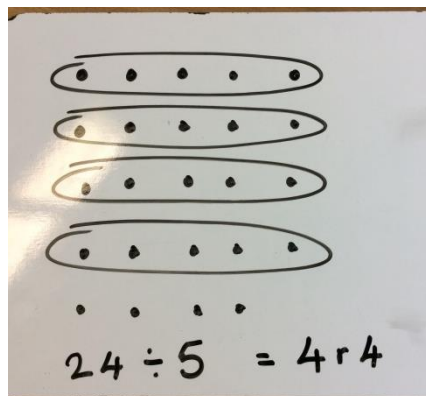
Pupils begin to explore formal written method, at first with no remainders.



$$69 \div 3 = 23$$

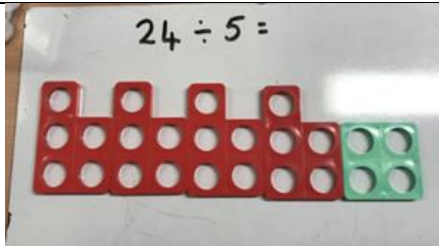
$$\begin{array}{r} 23 \\ 3 \overline{) 69} \end{array}$$

Progress onto division with remainders, within the ones column so there is no need to exchange when subtracting using a more formal method.



$$24 \div 5 = 4 \text{ r } 4$$





or  
 $50 \div$   
 $3 =$



$$\begin{array}{r}
 16 \text{ r}2 \\
 3 \overline{) 50} \\
 \underline{- 30} \quad (10 \times) \\
 20 \\
 \underline{- 18} \quad (6 \times) \\
 2
 \end{array}$$

(No exchange required for the subtraction)

**Year 4 Objectives:**

Pupils should be taught to:

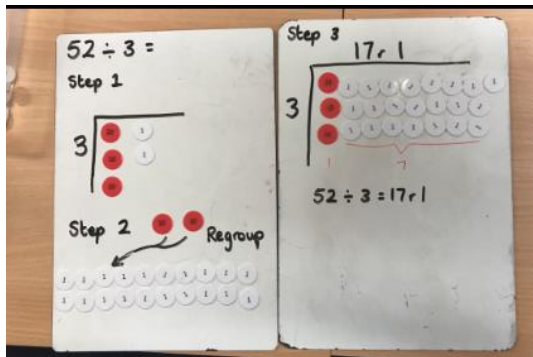
- recall multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to  $12 \times 12$
- use place value, known and derived facts to divide mentally, including dividing by 1
- solve problems involving dividing a two digit, then three-digit number by one-digit number using a formal layout

Concrete

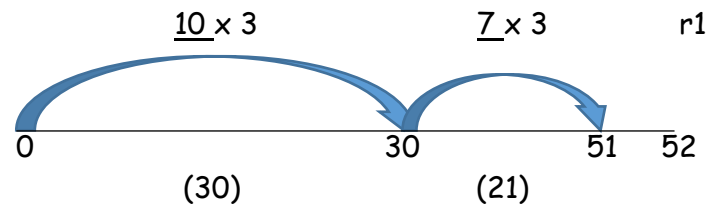
Pictorial

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As above and developing written method with the need to exchange for 2 digit numbers divided by 1 digit.



$$52 \div 3 = 17 \text{ r}1$$



$$\begin{array}{r}
 17 \text{ r}1 \\
 3 \overline{) 52} \\
 \underline{- 30} \quad (10 \times) \\
 22 \\
 \underline{- 21} \quad (7 \times) \\
 1
 \end{array}$$

Progress onto division of 3 digit by 1 digit

$$\begin{array}{r}
 131 \text{ r}3 \\
 4 \overline{) 527} \\
 \underline{- 400} \quad (100 \times) \\
 127 \\
 \underline{- 120} \quad (30 \times) \\
 7 \\
 \underline{- 4} \quad (1 \times) \\
 3
 \end{array}$$

### Year 5 Objectives:

Pupils should be taught to:

- identify multiples and factors, including finding all factor pairs of a number, common factors of two numbers, know and use the vocabulary of prime numbers and establish whether a number up to 100 is prime
- divide numbers mentally drawing upon known facts
- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a one-digit number using the formal written method of short division and interpret remainders appropriately for the context

- divide whole numbers and those involving decimals by 10, 100 and 1000

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<p>Use concrete and pictorial strategies as shown above if pupils require continued support with their understanding.</p>		
<p>Divide 4 digit numbers by 1 digit using a short division and where appropriate, begin to interpret remainders as fractions.</p> <p>Pupils begin to look at and discuss decimals in relation to money.</p>		<p>Pupils supported with multiplication where appropriate by writing the times table at the side of their work.</p> $\begin{array}{r} 1 \quad 3 \quad 1 \quad 5 \quad r3 \\ 4 \overline{) 5 \quad 12 \quad 6 \quad 23} \end{array}$ <p>Working towards</p> $\begin{array}{r} 1 \quad 3 \quad 1 \quad 5 \quad \frac{3}{4} \\ 4 \overline{) 5 \quad 12 \quad 6 \quad 23} \end{array}$ <p>Pupils encouraged to simplify the remaining fraction where possible.</p> $\begin{array}{r} 1 \quad 3 \quad 1 \quad 5. \quad 7 \quad 5 \\ 4 \overline{) 5 \quad 12 \quad 6 \quad 23. \quad 30 \quad 20} \end{array}$

**Year 6 Objectives:**

Pupils should be taught to:

- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit whole number using the formal written method of long division, and interpret remainders as whole number remainders, fractions, or by rounding, as appropriate for the context
- divide numbers up to 4 digits by a two-digit number using the formal written method of short division where appropriate, interpreting remainders according to the context

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<p>Pupils use long division to calculate 3 or 4 digit numbers by 2 digit numbers.</p> <p>Progress to interpreting the remainder as a decimal, where appropriate within the context of the problem.</p>		<p>The multiplication table to be recorded next to the question.</p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: right;"> <math display="block">  \begin{array}{r}  0 \ 2 \ 7 \ 7/14 \\  1 \ 4 \ \overline{) 3 \ 8 \ 0} \\  - \ 2 \ 8 \ \downarrow \\  \hline  1 \ 0 \ 5 \\  - \ 9 \ 8 \\  \hline  0 \ 7 \\  -  \end{array}  </math> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>14 28 42 56 70 84 98 112</p> </div> </div> <p><math>27 \ 7/14 = 27 \frac{1}{2} = 27.5</math></p> <div style="display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: right;"> <math display="block">  \begin{array}{r}  0 \ 3 \ 5 \ 0 \ . \ 4 \\  1 \ 5 \ \overline{) 5 \ 2 \ 5 \ 6 \ . \ 0} \\  - \ 4 \ 5 \ \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\  \hline  7 \ 5 \ \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\  - \ 7 \ 5 \ \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \\  \hline  0 \ 0 \ 6 \ . \ 0 \\  - \ \quad \quad 6 \ . \ 0 \\  \hline  \quad \quad \quad 0 \ . \ 0  \end{array}  </math> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>15 30 45 60 75 90 105 120</p> </div> </div>