### Maths Assessment Grade 6: Fractions

### This assessment section is in two parts.

#### Section A

- 1. Use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination.
- 2. Compare and order fractions, including fractions > 1.
- 3. Add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers, using the concept of equivalent fractions.
- 4. Multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form.
- 5. Divide proper fractions by whole numbers.

#### Section B

- 1. Associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents.
- 2. Identify the value of each digit in numbers given to three decimal places and multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 giving answers up to three decimal places.
- 3. Multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers.
- 4. Use written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places.
- 5. Solve problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy.
- 6. Recall and use equivalences between simple fractions, decimals and percentages, including in different contexts.





## Maths Assessment Grade 6: Fractions - Section A

- 1. Use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination.
- a) Simplify these fractions:

<u>5</u> 20	
<u>6</u> 9	
<u>q</u> 12	
4 8	
8 10	



b) Identify the equivalent fraction, using the denominators shown:

2/10	=	5
2 8	=	4
9 12	=	8
<u>5</u> 15	=	3
10 12	=	6



- **2.** Compare and order fractions, including fractions > 1.
  - a) Put these fractions in order, from smallest to largest:

3 4	1 -3-	1 4	1 1/2	1 1/4	$\frac{1}{2}$
smallest					largest

largest

1 1/6	1 <del>1</del> 3	<u>5</u>	1/6	2 3	1/3

2 marks

smallest largest

1/10	<u>3</u> 5	4 10	<u>4</u> 5	5 10			
smallest					largest		
4	3	<u>12</u> 8	5	<u>9</u>	4		
8	4	8	4	8	4		
			<u>.</u> .				
smallest							

2 marks

**b)** Use the symbols <> or = to compare each pair of fractions:

	<> or =	•
1 3		4 6
3 6		1/2
<u>3</u>		1 5
1 whole		<u>5</u> 5
3 4		<u>5</u> 8
5 6		11 12



- **3.** Add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers, using the concept of equivalent fractions.
  - **a)** Complete these addition calculations. Write the answer in its simplest form, using mixed numbers where needed.

$\frac{4}{6} + \frac{4}{12} =$	
$1\frac{3}{5} + \frac{6}{10} =$	
$\frac{3}{4} + 1 \frac{1}{2} =$	
$\frac{1}{4} + 2 \frac{1}{8} =$	
$2\frac{3}{9} + \frac{7}{9} =$	





**b)** Complete these subtraction calculations. Write the answer in its simplest form, using mixed numbers where needed.



$$1\frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{6} =$$

$$1\frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{10} =$$

$$2\frac{4}{5} - 1\frac{2}{10} =$$

$$2\frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{4} =$$



- 4. Multiply simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest form.
  - a) Match up these calculations to their correct answer:

$$\frac{2}{3}$$
 x  $\frac{1}{2}$  =

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} =$$

$$\frac{6}{8} \times \frac{1}{3} =$$



b) Answer these calculations:

$$\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} =$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} =$$

$$\frac{1}{5}$$
  $\times$   $\frac{1}{2}$  =

$$\frac{2}{8} \times \frac{1}{2} =$$



- 5. Divide proper fractions by whole numbers.
- a) Draw a line to match up each calculation to its correct answer:

$$\frac{4}{6}$$
 ÷ 2 =

$$\frac{3}{4} \div 6 =$$

$$\frac{8}{10} \div 2 =$$

$$\frac{8}{8} \div 4 =$$

### **b)** Answer these calculations:

$\frac{3}{4} \div 3 =$	,
$\frac{1}{4} \div 2 =$	
4/6 ÷ 2 =	
$\frac{2}{3} \div 4 =$	-



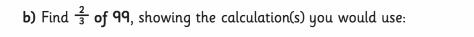




### Maths Assessment Grade 6: Fractions - Section B

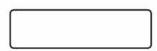
1.	Associate a	i fraction	with c	division	and	calculate	decimal	fraction	equivalents :	for	a simple	
	fraction.											

a) Find  $\frac{1}{4}$  of 160, showing the calculation(s) you would use:



c) Convert  $\frac{5}{8}$  to a decimal:





1 mark

- 2. Identify the value of each digit in numbers given to three decimal places and multiply and divide numbers by 10, 100 and 1000 giving answers up to three decimal places.
- ${f a}$ ) In the numbers below,  ${f circle}$  the  ${f digit}$  that is worth the amount written in words:

42.443	Four tenths
824.887	Eight hundredths
971.977	Seven thousandths
56.545	Five tenths
2.262	Two thousandths



b) Write the value of the digit that is underlined:

17.2 <u>9</u>	
32.16 <u>1</u>	
55. <u>3</u> 24	
67. <u>1</u> 3	
98.8 <u>9</u>	



c) Fill in the missing numbers in these calculations:

2.31	x		=	23 100
		2	5 (5	



d) Fill in the missing numbers in these calculations:





<ul><li>3. Multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers.</li><li>a) Calculate 13 x 7.8.</li></ul>	
	1 mark
<b>b)</b> Calculate 2.33 x 8.	
	1 mark
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4. Use written division methods in cases where the answer has up to two decimal places.	
a) Use a written method to calculate the answer to this. Show your working out.	
238 ÷ 8 =	
	2 marks
	2 marks
b) Use a written method to calculate the answer to this. Write the remainder as a decimal. Show your working out.	
357 ÷ 4 =	
<u></u>	2 marks
	Total for

<b>5.</b> Solve problems which require answers to be rounded to specified degrees of accuracy.	
a) A baker has made 494 cakes which need to be packed into cake boxes. Each box can 6 cakes.	hold
How many boxes are needed to hold all of the cakes?	
	2 marks
<b>b)</b> Asha is using ribbon for a craft project. She has 1.1 metres of fabric, which cuts into strips which each measure 10.5cm.	equal
How many whole strips of fabric can she cut?	
	2 marks
c) Jacob is filling party bags with sweets for his birthday party. He has 233 sweets in to He needs to put 20 sweets in each bag.	otal.
How many bags can he fill?	
	2 marks
d) Sambia is buying gabas to share with her friends at a pignic. She is gains to sive each	
d) Sophie is buying cakes to share with her friends at a picnic. She is going to give each friend 1/8 of a whole cake. There will be 20 people at the picnic in total.	
How many cakes does Sophie need to buy?	
	2 marks
	Total for

6	Recall and use equivalences	between	simple fractions	, decimals	and percen	itages, including in
	different contexts.					

a) Fill in the missing information	in this	chart, t	o identify	the	equivalent fractions,	decimals
and percentages:						

Fraction	Decimal	Percentage
2 1		25%
	0.5	50%
3 4	0.75	
2 5		40%
	0.2	20%
2/3	0.66	



**b)** In a Year 6, three quarters of the children have hot dinners, and the rest have a packed lunch. What percentage of children has a packed lunch?





c) In the supermarket, there is a special offer on pizza. The price is reduced by 0.1. What percentage of the original price will customers now pay?





d) Jessica is growing sunflowers in her garden. Sunflower A is  $\frac{4}{5}$  of the size of the Sunflower B.

How much smaller is Sunflower A than Sunflower B, as a percentage?









## Answer Sheet: Maths Assessment Grade 6: Fractions - Section A

question	answer	marks	notes			
	1. Use common factors to simplify fractions; use common multiples to express fractions in the same denomination.					
a	$ \begin{array}{c cccc}                                 $	5	Award one mark for			
b	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	5	each correct answer.			
2. Compare	e and order fractions, including fractions > 1.					
	$\begin{array}{ c c c c c c c c }\hline \frac{1}{4} & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{3}{4} & 1 & \frac{1}{4} & 1 & \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \frac{3}{4} \\ \hline smallest & & & & & & & \\ \hline \frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{2}{3} & \frac{5}{6} & 1 & \frac{1}{6} & 1 & \frac{1}{3} \\ \hline smallest & & & & & & & \\ \hline \frac{1}{10} & \frac{1}{5} & \frac{4}{10} & \frac{5}{10} & \frac{3}{5} & \frac{4}{5} \\ \hline smallest & & & & & & & \\ \hline \frac{4}{8} & \frac{3}{4} & \frac{4}{4} & \frac{9}{8} & \frac{5}{4} & \frac{12}{8} \\ \hline smallest & & & & & & & \\ \hline \end{tabular}$	4	Award one mark for each set of fractions correctly ordered.			
		6	Award one mark for each correct symbol.			

question	answer	marks	notes			
	3. Add and subtract fractions with different denominators and mixed numbers, using the concept of equivalent fractions.					
О	$\frac{\frac{4}{6} + \frac{4}{12} = 1 \text{ whole (also accept 1)}}{1 \frac{3}{5} + \frac{6}{10} = 2 \frac{1}{5}}$ $\frac{\frac{3}{4} + 1 \frac{1}{2} = 2 \frac{1}{4}}{\frac{1}{4} + 2 \frac{1}{8} = 2 \frac{3}{8}}$ $2 \frac{3}{9} + \frac{7}{9} = 3 \frac{1}{9}$	5	Award one mark for			
b	$\frac{\frac{3}{4} - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}}{1 \cdot \frac{1}{3} - \frac{2}{6} = 1 \text{ whole (also accept 1)}}$ $1 \cdot \frac{1}{5} - \frac{3}{10} = \frac{9}{10}$ $2 \cdot \frac{4}{5} - 1 \cdot \frac{2}{10} = 1 \cdot \frac{3}{5}$ $2 \cdot \frac{3}{8} - \frac{1}{4} = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{8}$	5	each correct answer.			
4. Multiply	simple pairs of proper fractions, writing the answer in its simplest	form.				
а	$\frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{6}$ $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{4} = \frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{6}{8} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{3}$	4	Award one mark for each correct match.			
b	$\frac{1}{4} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{1}{6}$ $\frac{1}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{10}$ $\frac{2}{8} \times \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{8}$	4	Award one mark for each correct answer.			
5. Divide pr	oper fractions by whole numbers.					
а	$\frac{4}{6} \div 2 = \frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{4} \div 6 = \frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{8}{10} \div 2 = \frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{8}{8} \div 4 = \frac{2}{5}$	4	Award one mark for each pair of fractions correctly matched.			
b	$\frac{3}{4} \div 3 = \frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4} \div 2 = \frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{4}{6} \div 2 = \frac{1}{3}$ $\frac{2}{3} \div 4 = \frac{1}{6}$	4	Award one mark for each correct answer.			
,	Section A Total:	46				

# Answer Sheet: Maths Assessment Grade 6: Fractions - Section B

question	answer			marks	notes		
1. Associate	1. Associate a fraction with division and calculate decimal fraction equivalents for a simple fraction.						
а	160 ÷ 4 = 40			2	Award two marks for a correct answer. Award one mark for a		
b	99 ÷ 3 = 33 33 x 2 = 66			2	correct method, but incorrect answer.		
С	0.625			1			
d	9 12			1			
		digit in numbers given t			ices and multiply and divide numbers		
а	42(4)3 824.8(8) 971.977 56(5)45 2.26(2)	Four tenths Eight hundredths Seven thousandths Five tenths Two thousandths		5	Award one mark for each digit correctly identified.		
b	17.2 <u>9</u> 32.16 <u>1</u> 55. <u>3</u> 24 67. <u>1</u> 3 98.8 <u>9</u>	Nine hundredths One thousandth Three tenths One tenth Nine hundredths		5	Accept numbers written as words or numerals (e.g. nine or 9). Do not accept tens, hundreds or thousands in place of tenths, hundredths or thousandths.		
С	2.31 x 46 x 4.46 x 7.871 x 7.825 x	10 000       =       23 10         100       =       4 60         100       =       446         10       =       78.7         1 000       =       7 82	0	5	Award one mark for each box		
d	15.4 ÷ 429 ÷ 1392 ÷ 3988 ÷ 8.67 ÷	10 = 1.54 100 = 4.29 1000 = 1.392 100 = 39.86 10 = 0.86	2 B	5	correctly filled.		

question	answer	marks	notes		
3. Multiply one-digit numbers with up to two decimal places by whole numbers.					
a	101.4	1			
b	18.64	1			
<b>4.</b> Use writ	ten division methods in cases where the answer ha	as up to	two decimal places.		
a	29 r 6 or 29.75	2	Award two marks for a correct answer. Award one mark for evidence of a correct calculation, but incorrect answer.		
b	89.25		Award two marks for a correct answer. Award one mark for evidence of a correct calculation, but incorrect answer.Do not accept answers where the remainder has not been written as a decimal.		
5. Solve pro	oblems which require answers to be rounded to spe	ecified d	egrees of accuracy.		
а	83 boxes	2			
b	10 pieces of fabric		Award two marks for a correct answer. Award one mark for		
C	11 bags	2	evidence of a correct calculation, bu incorrect answer.		
d	3 cakes				
<b>6.</b> Recall an contexts.	nd use equivalences between simple fractions, deci	mals and	percentages, including in different		
а	Fraction         Decimal         Percentage $\frac{1}{4}$ 0.25         25% $\frac{1}{2}$ 0.5         50% $\frac{3}{4}$ 0.75         75% $\frac{2}{5}$ 0.4         40% $\frac{2}{10}$ or $\frac{1}{5}$ 0.2         20% $\frac{2}{3}$ 0.66         66%	6	Award one mark for each box correctly completed.		
b	25%	1			
С	90%	1			
d	20%	1			
	Section B Total:	49			
	Overall Total:	95			