

← More Numbers Partial Numbers
 4, 6, 3, 2, 1, 4, 3, 2, 2, 8, 3

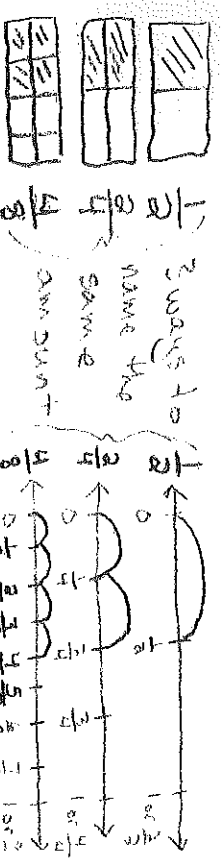
Types of Fractions

Proper Improper Mixed Number

Part 3 numerator
 whole 4 denominator
 $\frac{3}{4} = 1\frac{1}{4}$

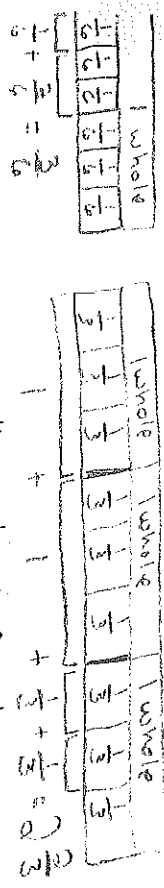


Equivalent fractions
 name the same amount



Adding Fractions with the Same Denominator

Proper Mixed
 $\frac{1}{6} + \frac{2}{6} = 1\frac{1}{3} + 1\frac{1}{3} = 2\frac{2}{3}$



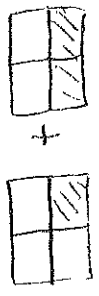
Standards and Mathematical Practices

- We will make sense of adding all three types of fractions with unlike denominators and persevere in solving them.
- We will model solving word problems involving adding fractions by using visual fraction models.

Fractions - Using Addition

Adding with Related Denominators

$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}$



Mind Multipliers
 2x 2 = 4

$\frac{2}{4} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$

Adding with Unrelated Denominators

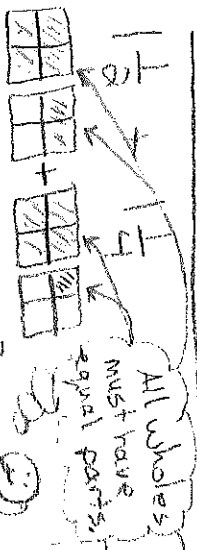
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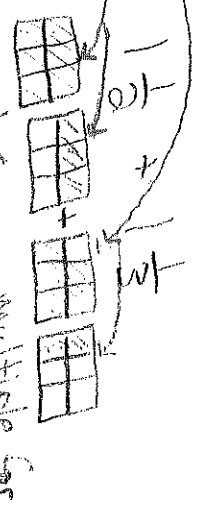
Mind Multipliers
 2x 3 = 6
 3x 2 = 6

$\frac{2}{6} + \frac{2}{6} = \frac{4}{6}$

Adding Mixed Numbers with Related Denominators



$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$



$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3} = \frac{5}{6}$

WE KNOW!!!

Inquiring Adding Fractions

we want to know

UNIT PLANNING TOOL

Module

Unit 4: Adding Fractions

CCSSM: 5.NF.1 & 2

Math Practices being emphasized:

MP 1 and 4

- 1 Add/Subtract fractions w/ unlike denominators (including mixed numbers) by replacing given fractions w/ equivalent fractions in such a way to produce an equivalent ^{sum or difference} fraction referring to the same whole, including cases of unlike denominators eg. by using a common denominator models or equations to represent the problem.
- 1 Make sense of problems + persevere in solving them.
- 2 Model with mathematics.

Essential Questions

How are multiples helpful in adding fractions with unlike denominators?
 How can making equivalent fractions and using models help us solve problems?

Pre and Post Assessments

Stepping Stones
 - Pre-test
 - Formative } assessments
 - Summative }

Key Concepts

- multiples
- Fractions - parts of a whole
- fractions - 3 types
- Why denominators must be the same to add fractions
- understanding equivalent fractions

Visual Models of Concepts

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

$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{3}$

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

$\frac{9}{6} + \frac{7}{6} = \frac{17}{6}$

$\frac{4}{12} + \frac{2}{12} = \frac{7}{12}$

$1\frac{3}{6} + 1\frac{2}{6} = 2\frac{5}{6}$

Algorithms/Diagrams

- develop algorithmic strategies after conceptual knowledge

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

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

$+ \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{3}{3} = \frac{3}{6}$

$\frac{5}{6}$

Connections (Real World Applications)

- cooking
- construction
- money - finance
- business
- engineering
- medical professions

Comparing/Contrasting

Language Functions/Structures

This fraction is the equivalent of this fraction because...

Mixed numbers and improper fractions are similar because...

Mixed numbers and improper fractions are different because...

Defining

I can add fractions with like denominators because...

To add fractions with unlike denominators I must...

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|--------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| denominator | fraction | <u>Vocabulary</u> | equivalent | least common multiple |
| numerator | proper | | reasonableness | partial numbers |
| common denominator | improper | | perseverance | whole numbers |
| unlike denominator | mixed number | | multiple | |
| related | unit fraction | | Lowest Common Denominator | |
| unrelated | | | | |

Activities

I have .. who has

$\frac{1}{2} = \frac{2}{4}$? Prove-it

Literature

"Inchworm and a Half"
by Elinor Pinzor

"Fraction Action"
by Loreen Leedy

Focus and Motivation

Explorations

Fractions - Brainpop.com

Equivalent fractions - studyjams, scholastic.com

Games (online)

Sheppardsoftware.com

- matching fractions
- mixed fraction matching
- equivalent fraction matching
- fraction addition

mnussbaum.com

- Tony's Fraction Pizza Shop

pbskids.org

- Melvin Makes a Match