## Year 6 Home learning Maths

Day 9. Adding and subtracting fractions



## Monday 23rd March 2020

Good morning Year 6!
We hope you are keeping well and looking after yourselves and your families.

The following slides contain your daily Maths tasks.

## Monday $23^{\text {rd }}$ March

 Let's get active:

Stand up tall and put both arms out to the sides. Slowly start to rotate them forwards to the size of a large hoop. Count to ten.

Next, rotate your arms to the size of a basketball, slightly increase your speed and count to ten.
Repeat this for following objects


As your rotations gradually decrease in size your speed should increase.
Change every ten seconds.

## Maths: Active

Perform jumping jacks while you recite a times table you find challenging, for example:
$1 \times 8=, 2 \times 8=u p$ to $12 \times 8=$
Can you do it backwards?
$12 \times 8=, 11 \times 8=\ldots$


## Maths: add and subtract fractions

To add or subtract fractions with the same denominator I .....
Add or subtract the numerators and keep the denominator the same.

What is $\frac{2}{8}+\frac{4}{8} ?$
What is $\frac{5}{10}-\frac{3}{10} ?$

We add the numerators:
$2+4=6$
So the answer is $\frac{6}{8}$ or simplified $\frac{3}{4}$

We subtract the numerators:
$5-3=2$
So the answer is $\frac{2}{10}$ or simplified $\frac{1}{5}$

## Maths: add and subtract fractions

Try these:

1) $\frac{4}{7}+\frac{3}{7}=$
2) $\frac{7}{10}-\frac{2}{10}=$
3) $\frac{3}{12}+\frac{10}{12}=$
4) $\frac{6}{20}+\frac{17}{20}=$


## Maths: add and subtract fractions

## Did you get...

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\text { 1) } \frac{4}{7}+\frac{3}{7}=\frac{10}{7}=1 \frac{3}{7}
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\text { 2) } \frac{7}{10}-\frac{2}{10}=\frac{5}{10}=\frac{1}{2}
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\text { 3) } \frac{3}{12}+\frac{10}{12}=\frac{13}{12}=1 \frac{1}{12}
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\text { 4) } \frac{6}{20}+\frac{17}{20}=\frac{23}{20}=1 \frac{3}{20}
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## Maths: add and subtract fractions

To add or subtract fractions with a different denominator I need to.....

- Find a number which is a common multiple of both denominators.
- Whatever number I multiply the denominator by, I must multiply the numerator by the same number

What is $\frac{2}{5}+\frac{1}{3} ?$
$\frac{2}{5}=\frac{6}{15}$ I multiply the numerator and denominator by 3 to get 15 because 15 is a common multiple
$\frac{\mathbf{1}}{3}=\frac{5}{15}$ I multiply the numerator and denominator by 5 $\frac{6}{15}+\frac{5}{15}=\frac{11}{15}$ to get 15 because 15 is a common multiple

## Maths: add and subtract fractions

To add or subtract fractions we must first convert them to the same denominator.

Step 1: Find a number which is a common multiple of both denominators.

Step 2: Whatever number you multiply the denominator by, you must multiply the numerator by the same number.
Step 3: Now add or subtract the numerators and keep the denominator the same. This is your answer.

## LO: to add and subtract fractions

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\text { B1) } \frac{3}{4}-\frac{8}{12}
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\text { 5) } \frac{5}{8}+\frac{2}{6}
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\text { 2) } \frac{6}{7}-\frac{18}{28}
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\text { 6) } \frac{4}{5}-\frac{2}{7}
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\text { 3) } \frac{2}{3}+\frac{7}{12}
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\text { 7) } \frac{5}{9}-\frac{2}{8}
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\text { 4) } \frac{6}{9}+\frac{27}{36}
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\text { 8) } \frac{5}{9}+\frac{12}{27}
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