

Multiplication and division

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Year 3 Homework - Due 6/7/18

1. Read each problem and ask yourself:
Is this a multiplication or division question?
Write a multiplication or division sentence for the problem, then work out the answer.
Write down your method.



Word problem	Method	Answer
There are 60 children in Year 3 at Downford Primary School. Their teachers decide to put them into groups of five. How many groups is that?		
There are three classes in Year 1. Each class has 35 pairs of scissors. How many pairs of scissors is that in total?		
The children in Class 2 ate 75 school meals in one school week. How many children ate school dinners?		
There are 64 children who eat sandwiches for lunch. How many sandwich lunches is that in one week?		

2. Read each problem. Ask yourself: *Is it a one- or two-step problem? Is this a written multiplication or division problem? Write down your method.*



Word problem	Method	Answer
<p>There are five boxes of cakes. Each box has 14 cakes in it. How many cakes is that altogether?</p>		
<p>The baker made 12 chocolate cakes and 14 vanilla cakes. The cakes are packed into boxes of six. How many boxes can be filled?</p>		
<p>There are 64 chocolate flakes on the shelf. Half of these are sold. Half of what is left are put into a tray. How many are left now?</p>		
<p>The baker makes 25 white loaves and 20 brown ones. The loaves are packed into cartons that hold six loaves each. How many cartons are needed?</p>		