

Solving word problems (8)



Solve word problems and reason mathematically

Challenge 1

Match the division fact with its answer.

21 69 ÷ 3 64 ÷ 8 12 66 ÷ 2 33 24 ÷ 4
 6 84 ÷ 4 8 36 ÷ 3 23

Challenge 2

1 The Year 3 children had a summer picnic. Use the pictures to solve the problems.

 sandwiches 72	 cupcakes 56	 cartons of fruit juice 68	 slices of watermelon 81	 samosas 85	 ice creams 96
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- a The sandwiches were shared equally between 3 groups. How many sandwiches per group?
- b The samosas were shared equally between 5 groups. How many samosas per group?
- c The cartons of fruit juice were shared evenly amongst 2 classes. How many per class?
- d 3 boxes of watermelon slices were eaten. How many slices altogether?
- e The cook made another 4 boxes of sandwiches. How many more sandwiches did she make?
- f The ice creams were divided between 4 classes. How many children in each class received an ice cream?
- g There were 96 children at the picnic. How many children did not receive a carton of fruit juice?

2 Choose three of your calculations and check your answer using the inverse operation.



Challenge 3

Use the pictures above to make up your own word problems using these calculations.

- a $72 \times 3 =$ b $96 \div 8 =$ c $85 + 72 =$ d $96 - 48 =$

