## Make equal groups - sharing

Reasoning and problem solving challenge cards:

Does the number sentence match the shared groups?


Yes or No? Explain your answer.

Can John share 24 fish equally between the fish tanks below?


Yes or no? If not, explain why.

Phil has 20 sweets and shares them equally between 5 friends.

Kim has 20 sweets and shares them equally between 10 friends.

Whose friends will receive the most sweets? How do you know?

Kelly says you can share 20 equally in 4 different ways.

Is Kelly correct?
Explain your answer.

Which of these numbers can make equal groups?


Explain your answer.

Does this bar model represent the number sentence? Yes or No? Explain your answer.

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15 \div 3=5
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Mike says you can share the number 12 equally five different ways.

Is Mike correct?
Explain your answer.

Sally has 30 marbles and shares them equally between 6 friends.

Mark has 30 marbles and shares them equally between 5 friends.

Whose friends will receive the most marbles? How do you know?

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8 \div 4=2
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Yes or No? Explain your answer.
Yes it is representing 8 shared between 4 groups.
Can John share 24 fish equally between the fish tanks below?


Yes or no? If not, explain why.
No. 24 fish cannot be equally shared between 5 tanks. $24 \div 5$ will have a remainder.

Phil has 20 sweets and shares them equally between 5 friends.

Kim has 20 sweets and shares them equally between 10 friends.

Whose friends will receive the most sweets? How do you know?
Phil's friends will receive the most with 4 sweets each. Whereas, Kim's friends will only receive 2 each.

Kelly says you can share 20 equally in 4 different ways.

Is Kelly correct?
Explain your answer.
Yes Kelly is correct. You can share the number 20 equally 4 different ways as follows: $20 \div 2=10,20 \div 4=5$, $20 \div 5=4$ and $20 \div 10=2$.

Which of these numbers can make equal groups?


Explain your answer.
12 can make equal groups. 17 can only divide by itself so cannot make equal groups.

Does this bar model represent the number sentence? Yes or No? Explain your answer.

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15 \div 3=5
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No it does not represent $15 \div 3=5$.
It represents 15 shared between 5 groups.
It should show 15 shared between 3 groups.
Mike says you can share the number 12 equally five different ways.

Is Mike correct?
Explain your answer.
No, Mike is not correct. You can only share the number 12 equally 4 different ways as follows: $12 \div 2=6,12 \div 3=4,12 \div 4=3$ and $12 \div 6=2$.

Sally has 30 marbles and shares them equally between 6 friends.

Mark has 30 marbles and shares them equally between 5 friends.

Whose friends will receive the most marbles? How do you know?
Mark's friends will receive the most with 6 marbles each. Whereas, Sally's friends will only receive 5 each.

