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Fractions Using Visual Models

- 1. Write a fraction for each of the following. Draw a picture and shade the part to show the fraction.
 - a. One out of three
- c. Five out of six
- b. Three out of eight
- d. Two out of eight

Solution:

a.

b.

c.

- d.
- 2. Write a fraction for the shaded and unshaded parts.

a.



b.



c.



Solution:

- a.
- b.
- c. ____
- 3. Kim sleeps for 8 hours in a day. What fraction of the day does Kim sleep?

Solution:

4. Write the missing fractions in the pattern below.

$$\frac{1}{9}$$
 $\frac{2}{9}$

Solution:

5. Mary bought 5 chocolate bars. She gave two chocolate bars to her friend and ate one chocolate bar. What fraction of chocolate bars she have left?

Solution:

6. Model the following fractions in two different ways.

a.
$$\frac{2}{3}$$

b.
$$\frac{4}{6}$$

c.
$$\frac{3}{5}$$

d.
$$\frac{5}{8}$$

Solution:

- a.
- b.

c.

d.

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Answer Key

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a.



b.



c.



d.



2. Write a fraction for the shaded and unshaded parts.

a.



b.



c.



Shaded; Unshaded

a.
$$\frac{4}{8}; \frac{4}{8}$$

b.
$$\frac{3}{6}; \frac{3}{6}$$

c.
$$\frac{3}{4}; \frac{1}{4}$$

3. Kim sleeps for 8 hours in a day. What fraction of the day does Kim sleep?

4. Write the missing fractions in the pattern below.

$$\frac{1}{2}$$

5. Mary bought 5 chocolate bars. She gave two chocolate bars to her friend and ate one chocolate bar. What fraction of chocolate bars she have left?

- 6. Model the following fractions in two different ways.
 - $a.\frac{2}{3}$
- b. $\frac{4}{6}$
- c. $\frac{3}{5}$
- d. $\frac{5}{8}$

Solution:



















