





	4	2	6	6
2	8	5	13	12

Place value counters or plain counters can be used on a place value grid to support children to divide 4-digits by 1-digit. Children can also draw their own counters and group them through a more pictorial method.

Children should be encouraged to move away from the concrete and pictorial when dividing numbers with multiple exchanges.

$$8,532 \div 2 = 4,266$$

Skill: Divide multi digits by 2-digits (short division) Year: 6 When children begin to divide up to 4digits by 2-digits, 3 06 written methods $432 \div 12 = 36$ become the most 4 3 12 4 accurate as concrete and pictorial representations become less effective. Children can write out multiples to support their calculations with larger remainders. 0 4 8 9 Children will also $7,335 \div 15 = 489$ 7 3 13 13₅ solve problems with 15 remainders where the quotient can be 15 30 75 45 60 90 105 120 135 150 rounded as appropriate.

		0	3	6
1	2	4	3	2
	_	3	6	0
			7	2
	_		7	2
				0

$12 \times 3 = 36$	
$12 \times 4 = 48$	470 . 40 70
$12 \times 5 = 60$	$432 \div 12 = 36$

$$(\times 6)$$
 12 × 6 = 72
12 × 7 = 84

(x30)

 $12 \times 1 = 12$ $12 \times 2 = 24$

$$12 \times 8 = 96$$

 $12 \times 7 = 108$

$$12 \times 10 = 120$$

 $7,335 \div 15 = 489$

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$$1 \times 15 = 15$$
(×400)
$$2 \times 15 = 30$$

$$3 \times 15 = 45$$

$$(\times 80)$$
 4 × 15 = 60

(**x**9)

$$10 \times 15 = 150$$

 $5 \times 15 = 75$

Children can also divide by 2-digit numbers using long division.

Year: 6

Children can write out multiples to support their calculations with larger remainders.

Children will also solve problems with remainders where the quotient can be rounded as appropriate.

Skill: Divide multi digits by 2-digits (long division)

Year: 6

 $372 \div 15 = 24 \text{ r} 12$

			2	4	r	1	2
1	5	3	7	2			
	_	3	0	0			
			7	2			
	_		6	0			
			1	2			

$$1 \times 15 = 15$$

 $2 \times 15 = 30$
 $3 \times 15 = 45$
 $4 \times 15 = 60$
 $5 \times 15 = 75$
 $10 \times 15 = 150$

When a remainder is left at the end of a calculation, children can either leave it as a remainder or convert it to a fraction.
This will depend on the context of the question.

$$372 \div 15 = 24 \frac{4}{5}$$

Children can also answer questions where the quotient needs to be rounded according to the context.

Glossary

Array – An ordered collection of counters, cubes or other item in rows and columns.

Commutative – Numbers can be multiplied in any order.

Dividend – In division, the number that is divided.

Divisor – In division, the number by which another is divided.

Exchange – Change a number or expression for another of an equal value.

Factor – A number that multiplies with another to make a product.

Multiplicand – In multiplication, a number to be multiplied by another.

Partitioning – Splitting a number into its component parts.

Product – The result of multiplying one number by another.

Quotient - The result of a division

Remainder – The amount left over after a division when the divisor is not a factor of the dividend.

Scaling – Enlarging or reducing a number by a given amount, called the scale factor