## Fractions



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- Here is a whole square
- There are everyday
 objects which are whole. For example, we can have a whole bar of chocolate
- A fraction is an EQUAL part of a WHOLE object $\dagger$



## Here are more examples of whole objects.



## Half Fractions

- When an object is evenly divided into two - each part is called a half
- 2 parts make the whole object
- $\frac{1}{2}+\frac{1}{2}=1$



## Half Fractions

Here are more examples of whole objects which can be cut into half fractions.


## Quarter fractions

- When an object is evenly divided into 4 it becomes a quarter
- $\frac{1}{4}+\frac{1}{4}+\frac{1}{4}+\frac{1}{4}=1$



## Quarter Fractions

- Here are more examples of $\frac{1}{4}$ fractions



## Questions

What fraction of the square is blue?


What fraction of the rectangle is red?


## Questions

- What fraction of this circle is red?

-What fraction of this circle is blue?



## Questions

- How much of this triangle is coloured orange?

- How much of this triangle is coloured orange?


Questions

What fraction of snowmen have green hats?



- What fractions of these birds are parpots?



## KEY POINTS

- Remember, a fraction is an equal part of one whole
- We can split shapes, objects and numbers into fractions
- We write fractions as
$\frac{\text { something }}{\text { something }}$ e.g. $\frac{1}{2}, \frac{2}{5}, \frac{3}{10}$


## Fractions

A number in the form
Numerator

## Denominator

Or

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\frac{N}{D}
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