MATHS • YEAR 3

Equivalent Fractions Introduction

Explore how different fractions can show the same amount.

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= **Equivalent fractions** show the same amount, even when the parts are different sizes.

1 Explore the fraction wall

Count the shaded parts and all the parts. Write each fraction.

2 equal parts



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4 equal parts



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8 equal parts



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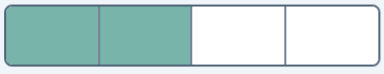
What do you notice about the shaded lengths?

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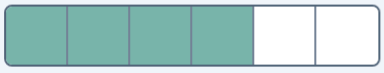
2 Match the pictures

Draw a line from each picture to a fraction with the same value.

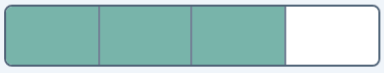
A



B



C



$\frac{2}{3}$

$\frac{6}{8}$

$\frac{1}{2}$

3 Make your own equivalent pair

Choose an amount. Colour the same amount in both bars, then write each fraction.

4 equal parts



_____

8 equal parts



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The shaded parts are equal because

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How are you feeling about equivalent fractions? ☐ I'm practising ☐ I've got it