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RECAP: There are ten beads.

5 out of 10 are red so $\underline{5}$ of the beads are red.

5 out of 10 are white so $\underline{5}$ of the beads are white.

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Tommy eats $\underline{1}$ of the gummy bears. 2

How many gummy bears does Tommy eat?

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Tommy eats $\underline{1}$ of the gummy bears.

The denominator tells us that we have two equal groups. So we have to divide the gummy bears into 2 equal groups. I have done this in the picture above.

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Tommy eats 1 of the gummy bears.


The numerator is ONE so we need to count the number of gummy bears in ONE group. How many gummy bears can you count in ONE group?

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There are SIX gummy bears in one group.

Tommy eats $\underline{1}$ of the gummy bears. 2
ANSWER: Tommy eats SIX of the gummy bears.

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\frac{1}{2} \text { of } 12=6
$$

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REMINDER:


How many equal parts is the whole divided into?

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Tommy gives $\frac{1}{3}$ of the gummy bears to Eva.
How many gummy bears does Eva get?

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STEP ONE: Count the total number of objects. We have 15 gummy bears.

Tommy gives $\frac{1}{3}$ of the gummy bears to Eva.
How many gummy bears does Eva get?

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I have used a red dot to represent each of my 15 gummy bears.

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STEP TWO: Now, look at your denominator and divide vour obiect into that number of groups.

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How many gummy bears does Eva get?

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\text { The denominator is } 3 \text {. }
$$



I have used an ARRAY of 3 rows to divide the gummy bears into groups of 3 because my denominator told me the gummy bears are divided into groups of 3 .

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How many gummy bears does Eva get?

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STEP THREE: Count the objects (remember, these represent the gummy bears!) in ONE group.

How many objects are in one group?

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Tommy gives $\frac{1}{3}$ of the gummy bears to Eva.
How many gummy bears does Eva get?

ANSWER: There are five gummy bears in one group.

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\frac{1}{3} \text { of } 15=5
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Eva gets 5 gummy bears.

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So there are 3 steps to follow to find a fraction of a set of objects:

1) Note the total number of objects
2) Look at the denominator to tell you how many groups the set of objects is split into.
3) Look at the numerator to tell you how many groups you are counting!

$$
\begin{gathered}
\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{2} \text { of } 8=? ~
\end{gathered}
$$

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$$
\frac{\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{2} \text { of } 8=? ~}{\text { ? }}
$$

Step One: There are 8 objects in total.
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\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{2} \text { of } 8=4
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Step Two: I am dividing my 8 objects into 2 groups.
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\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{2} \text { of } 8=4
$$

Step 3: Count the number of objects in ONE group.
$=$ there are 4 objects in 1 group

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Let's follow those 3 steps again with a different example...

1) Note the total number of objects
2) Look at the denominator to tell you how many groups the object is split into.
3) Look at the numerator to tell you how many groups you are counting!

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { E.g. } \frac{1}{4} \text { of } 20=? ~
\end{aligned}
$$

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$$
\begin{aligned}
& \text { E.g. } \frac{1}{4} \text { of } 20=? ~
\end{aligned}
$$

Step One: There are 20 objects in total.
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$$
\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{4} \text { of } 20=\text { ? }
$$

Step Two: Divide my 20 objects into 4 groups.
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$$
\text { E.g. } \frac{1}{4} \text { of } 20=?
$$

Step 3: Count the number of objects in ONE group.


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Now complete 'Maths Task 8.12.20'. Choose either Mild, Spicy or Hot. When you have finished your Spice level (please only do one!) you have the option of completing the Challenge.

