

Division glossary

Here are some of the words that will crop up when doing **division** sums.



Have a look below to see how they can be used in the simple sums $6 \div 3 = 2$ and $7 \div 3$.

Divide

If you **divide** 6 by 3 you get 2.

Divisible

6 is exactly **divisible** by 3. 7 is not exactly **divisible** by 3.

Left over

If you divide 7 by 3 the answer is 2 with 1 **left over**.

Remainder

If you divide 7 by 3 the answer is 2 with 1 **remainder**.

Share

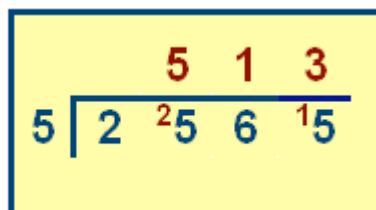
If you **share** 6 toffees between 3 people, each person gets 2.

Groups

There are 3 **groups** of 2 in 6.

Carry

If you write out the sum $2,565 \div 5$ you have to **carry** some numbers. In this sum you first **carry** the 2 over to the 5. The 5 into 25 goes 5 times exactly. Then 5 into 6 goes once with 1 remainder which you **carry** over. Then 5 goes into 15 exactly 3 times.


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