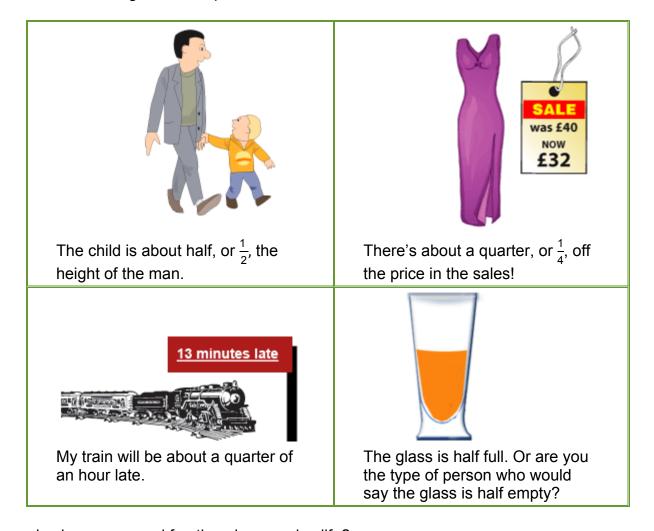


Estimating fractions

When you're sharing or dividing items into fractions you can estimate - or guess - the amount. If you have four friends around for a pizza you probably don't spend time measuring each quarter exactly! Often when using fractions you estimate measurements, for example when you split food up into pieces:



You estimate halves and quarters in everyday life. Sometimes you use them to compare sizes, or to describe something. For example:



When else have you used fractions in everyday life?

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