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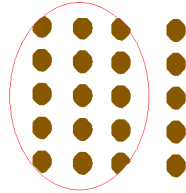
## Year Two Maths Homework

This homework relates to Maths work covered in class this week. Children are applying their knowledge of simple 'sharing' and 'basic fractions' to find fractions of given numbers. In all the below questions, children should practise 'sharing' into equal sets, using real objects (such as coins or cubes etc). In the below, completed example, children would first find 'one-fifth' of 20 by sharing twenty objects into '5 equal piles' ("4"). Having found this, they would then use addition to find 'two-fifths' ("4+4") and then 'three-fifths' ("4+4+4") etc.

## Finding a fraction of a given number

Complete these word problems :

There were 20 ducks on the pond.  $\frac{3}{4}$  of them flew away. How many of the ducks flew away?



15 children were in the class.  $\frac{2}{3}$  of them went out to play. How many went out to play?

There were 25 sweets in a packet.  $\frac{2}{5}$  got eaten. How many got eaten?

There were 12 apples on a tree.  $\frac{3}{4}$  of them fell off. How many were **left on the tree?**

*Unless otherwise stated, we expect your child to complete these tasks independently. Please see your child's class teacher if you have any further questions on this particular piece of homework or to find out how to provide additional support/extension work.*

This homework is due back to school on Friday.

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_