

Sherman School

Unit Overview

Subject: Mathematics

Grade: 4

Unit: Multiplication & Division, Data & Fractions

Pacing: 20 days/March

Essential Question(s): What is the relationship between multiplication and division and how can we use this to help solve various problems?

Big Idea(s):

- Every ratio can be represented by an infinite set of different but equivalent ratios.
- Some real-world problems involving joining equal groups, separating equal groups, comparison, or combinations can be solved using multiplication; others can be solved using division.

CCSS Priority Standards
4.OA.3: Solve multistep word problems posed with whole numbers and having whole-number answers using the four operations, including problems in which remainders must be interpreted. Represent these problems using equations with a letter standing for the unknown quantity. Assess the reasonableness of answers using mental computation and estimation strategies including rounding.
4.NBT.5: Multiply a whole number of up to four digits by a one-digit whole number, and multiply two two-digit numbers, using strategies based on place value and the properties of operations. Illustrate and explain the calculation by using equations, rectangular arrays, and/or area models. (Grade 4 expectations in this domain are limited to whole numbers less than or equal to 1,000,000. A range of algorithms may be used.)
4.NBT.6: Find whole-number quotients and remainders with up to four-digit dividends and one-digit divisors, using strategies based on place value, the properties of operations, and/or the relationship between multiplication and division. Illustrate and explain the calculation by using equations, rectangular arrays, and/or area models. (Grade 4 expectations in this domain are limited to whole numbers less than or equal to 1,000,000. A range of algorithms may be used.)
4.MD.3: Apply the area and perimeter formulas for rectangles in real world and mathematical problems. For example, find the width of a rectangular room given the area of the flooring and the length, by viewing the area formula as a multiplication equation with an unknown factor.
4.MD.4: Make a line plot to display a data set of measurements in fractions of a unit ($\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{8}$). Solve problems involving addition and subtraction of fractions by using information presented in line plots. For example, from a line plot find and interpret the difference in length between the longest and shortest specimens in an insect collection.

4.MP.1 Make sense of problems and persevere in solving them.

Skills
(What Students Need to Be Able To Do)

- Solve multi-step story problems involving only whole numbers, using addition, multiplication and division.
- Multiply a 2 or 3-digit whole number by a 1-digit whole number using strategies based on place value and the properties of operations.
- Multiply two 2-digit numbers using strategies based on place value and the properties of operations.
- Use equations or rectangular arrays to explain strategies for multiplying with multi-digit numbers.
- Divide a 2- or 3-digit number by a 1-digit number, using strategies based on place value, the properties of operations, or the relationship between multiplication and division.
- Use equations or rectangular arrays to explain strategies for dividing a multi-digit number by a 1-digit number.
- Apply the area and perimeter formulas for a rectangle to solve a problem.
- Make a line plot to display a data set comprised of measurements taken in halves, fourths, and eighths of a unit.

Research Based Effective Teaching Strategies

Summarizing and note taking

Homework and practice

Non-linguistic representations

Cooperative learning

Productive struggle

Setting objectives and providing feedback

Questions, cues, and advance organizers

Explicit instruction

Assessments:

M1, S1 Unit 6 Pre-Assessment

M1, S4 Multiplication Problem Strings Work Sample
M2, S5 Area & Perimeter Checkpoint
M4, S3 Unit 6 Post-Assessment
6A-6D Workplace Observational Assessments, Bridges

Instructional Resources:

Unit 6 Multiplication & Division, Data & Fractions, Bridges; [The Math Learning Center](#)
March Number Corner; [The Math Learning Center](#)
The Math Forum
Teacher Made Resources