

# Helping With Math 

## Ordering Fractions

Suitable for students aged 7-9

- Fractions show equal parts of a whole.

This pack is suitable for learners aged 7-9 years old or 3rd and 4th graders (USA). The content covers fact files and relevant basic and advanced activities involving ordering fractions.

## $1 \Longleftarrow$ NUMERATOR <br>  <br> DENOMINATOR

## HOW TO ARRANGE THE FRACTIONS



Convert your mixed numbers into improper fractions. If the fractions are unlike fractions, find the LCD of the denominators to make them like fractions.

Example: LCD = 8


## LET'S PRACTICE!

Let's try what you have learned. Arrange the following fractions in its correct order.

## DESCENDING ORDER (Greatest to Least)

$\frac{3}{9} \frac{5}{9} \frac{4}{9} \frac{1}{9}$

ASCENDING ORDER (Least to Greatest)
$\frac{2}{6} \frac{8}{9} \frac{3}{12} \frac{1}{3}$

ASCENDING ORDER (Least to Greatest)
$1 \frac{3}{4}$
2
1
$3 \frac{5}{8}$
$1 \frac{3}{8}$

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The Color game is about to start. Join and win the game by shading the rounded rectangle with the correct order of the given fractions.

$$
\frac{5}{12} \frac{2}{12} \frac{9}{12} \frac{4}{12}
$$

$$
\frac{2}{12} \frac{4}{12} \frac{5}{12} \frac{9}{12}
$$

$$
\frac{5}{12} \frac{4}{12} \frac{2}{12} \frac{9}{12}
$$

$$
\frac{15}{20} \frac{17}{20} \frac{10}{20} \frac{7}{20}
$$

$$
\frac{10}{20} \frac{15}{20} \frac{7}{20} \frac{17}{20}
$$

$$
\frac{7}{20} \frac{10}{20} \frac{15}{20} \frac{17}{20}
$$

$\frac{6}{15} \frac{10}{15} \frac{13}{15} \frac{3}{15}$
$\frac{13}{15} \frac{10}{15} \frac{6}{15} \frac{3}{15}$

$$
\frac{3}{7} \frac{6}{7} \frac{2}{7} \frac{4}{7}
$$

$$
\frac{2}{7} \frac{3}{7} \frac{4}{7} \frac{6}{7}
$$

$$
\frac{9}{10} \frac{2}{10} \frac{3}{10} \frac{7}{10}
$$

$$
\frac{2}{10} \frac{3}{10} \frac{7}{10} \frac{9}{10}
$$

$$
\frac{3}{10} \frac{2}{10} \frac{7}{10} \frac{9}{10}
$$

$$
\frac{8}{13} \frac{9}{13} \frac{4}{13} \frac{11}{13}
$$

$$
\frac{11}{13} \frac{9}{13} \frac{8}{13} \frac{4}{13}
$$

$$
\frac{9}{13} \frac{8}{13} \frac{4}{13} \frac{11}{13}
$$

## THE MAGIC SHOW

The magician for the birthday party will come out in a few minutes. But before that, you need to put a $\boldsymbol{V}$ on the box if the given fractions are in order, while an $X$ if not.

$$
\frac{25}{30} \frac{27}{30} \frac{10}{30} \frac{15}{30} \frac{20}{30}
$$

$$
\frac{15}{20} \frac{13}{20} \frac{10}{20} \frac{8}{20} \frac{5}{20}
$$

$$
\frac{1}{16} \frac{4}{16} \frac{6}{16} \frac{10}{16} \frac{14}{16}
$$

$$
\frac{15}{35} \frac{13}{35} \frac{17}{35} \frac{18}{35} \frac{20}{35}
$$

$$
\frac{13}{20} \frac{11}{20} \frac{8}{20} \frac{17}{20} \frac{6}{20}
$$

## WINNER OF THE GAME

Win all the games and identify the order of the fractions, if it is in DESCENDING or ASCENDING order.

2.

$$
\frac{3}{6} \frac{4}{6} \frac{5}{6}
$$

$$
\frac{10}{25} \frac{15}{25} \frac{21}{25}
$$


6.
$\frac{21}{30} \frac{15}{30} \frac{11}{30}$

$$
\frac{1}{5} \frac{2}{5} \frac{3}{5}
$$

## ARRANGE YOURSELVES

The children needs to arrange themselves by height. Think fast and arrange the fractions too in descending and ascending order.

$$
\frac{19}{20} \frac{5}{20} \frac{7}{20} \frac{13}{20} \frac{15}{20} \frac{4}{20}
$$

## DESCENDING:

## ASCENDING:

$$
\frac{13}{25} \frac{17}{25} \frac{9}{25} \frac{15}{25} \frac{7}{25} \frac{3}{25}
$$

## DESCENDING:

## ASCENDING:

## PARTY GAMES

The games have officially started. To start the game, arrange the fractions in its correct order.


There are different balloon designs. Help them choose the perfect design by identifying if both givens are correct or not.

Both are correct
A. $\frac{1}{6} \frac{3}{6} \frac{4}{6} \frac{5}{6}$
B. $\frac{3}{9} \frac{5}{9} \frac{7}{9} \frac{8}{9}$
A. $\frac{5}{2} \frac{7}{2} \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{2}$
B. $\frac{1}{9} \frac{4}{9} \frac{2}{9} \frac{3}{9}$
A. $\frac{12}{17} \frac{13}{17} \frac{10}{17} \frac{11}{17} \quad$ B. $\frac{11}{15} \frac{7}{15} \frac{9}{15} \frac{8}{15}$
A. $\frac{15}{35} \frac{17}{35} \frac{21}{35} \frac{23}{35} \quad$ B. $\frac{20}{37} \frac{24}{37} \frac{27}{37} \frac{29}{37}$
A. $\frac{12}{15} \frac{11}{15} \frac{6}{15} \frac{3}{15}$
B. $\frac{1}{9} \frac{5}{9} \frac{7}{9} \frac{8}{9}$

## REWRITE AND SING

It is now time to sing a Birthday song for the celebrant. Join in singing and arrange the order of the following fractions.


## FOLLOW THE ARROWS

Follow the arrows to get a special prize. Arrange the fractions in descending order. Don't forget to find the LCD of the denominators! Show your solutions too.

$$
\frac{3}{6} \frac{2}{12} \frac{3}{4}
$$



## MEMORIES OF THE DAY

The celebrant is going to each tables for photos. Give your best smile after you've arranged the following from least to greatest.

$$
\frac{8}{15} \frac{6}{5} \frac{11}{3} \frac{9}{5}
$$

$$
\frac{15}{16} \frac{22}{24} \frac{9}{4} \frac{12}{8}
$$

$$
1 \frac{13}{3} \quad 2 \frac{7}{12} 2 \frac{9}{6} 1 \frac{9}{8}
$$

$$
2 \frac{3}{4} \quad 1 \frac{9}{12} 3 \frac{7}{8} 1 \frac{6}{8}
$$

## HOW WELL DO YOU UNDERSTAND?

You are going to attend a party. Get ready by arranging the mixed numbers in the correct order. Explain how you got your answer.

$$
2 \frac{3}{5} \quad 3 \frac{7}{10} 1 \frac{9}{20} 2 \frac{1}{2}
$$

ASCENDING:

DESCENDING:

## ANSWER GUIDE

## Activity 1


4. ${ }^{2 /} / 7,3 / 7,4 / 7,7 / 7$
5. ${ }^{2 / 10},{ }^{3 / 10} / 7 / 10,9 / 10$
6. ${ }^{11 /} / 13,{ }^{9} / 13,8 / 13,4 / 13$

Activity 2

1. $X$
2. $X$
3. $V$
4. $X$
5. 

## Activity 3

1. DESCENDING
2. ASCENDING
3. ASCENDING
4. ASCENDING
5. DESCENDING
6. ASCENDING

## Activity 4

1. ${ }^{19} / 20,{ }^{15} / 20,{ }^{13} / 20,{ }^{7} / 20,{ }^{5} / 20,{ }^{4} / 20$
2. ${ }^{17} / 25,{ }^{15} / 25,13 / 25,9 / 25,{ }^{7} / 25,3 / 25$ $3 / 25,{ }^{25} / 25,{ }_{25}^{25},{ }_{25},{ }^{25} /{ }_{25}{ }^{25},{ }^{15} /{ }_{25}{ }^{25},{ }^{125} / 25$

## ANSWER GUIDE

## Activity 5


$4.5 / 19,{ }^{11} / 19,{ }_{7}{ }^{17} / 19$


Activity 6
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.

## Activity 7

1. $1^{17} / 30,23 / 30,25 / 30$
2. ${ }^{5} / 3,{ }^{7} /{ }^{5},{ }^{3} / 15$
3. ${ }^{7} / 4,{ }^{6} / 8,8 / 12$
4. ${ }^{1} /{ }^{7},{ }^{\prime} / \frac{1}{3},{ }^{7} /{ }^{\prime} / 5$

## Activity 8

1. ${ }^{3} / 4,3 / 6,2 / 42$
2. ${ }^{11} / 12,5 / 8, \frac{2}{2} / 4$
3. ${ }^{7} / 8,6 / 9,5 / 12$
$4 .{ }^{1} / 2,2 / 5,4 / 10$

## ANSWER GUIDE

## Activity 9

1. ${ }^{8} / 15,{ }^{6} / 5,9 / 5,{ }^{11} / 3$
2. ${ }^{22} / 24,5 / 16,12 / 8,{ }^{9} / 4$
3. $2^{7 / 12}, 2^{9 / 6}, 3^{9 / 8}, 1^{13 / 3}$
4. $1^{6 / 2}, 1^{9} / 12,2^{3} / 4,3^{7 / 8}$

## Activity 10

ASCENDING: $1^{9} / 20,2 \frac{1}{2}, 2 \frac{3}{5}, \quad 3{ }^{7} / 10$
DESCENDING: $3^{7} / 10,2 \frac{3}{5}, 2 \frac{1}{2}, 1 \frac{9}{2} / 20$
Convert your mixed numbers into improper fractions. If the fractions are unlike fractions, find the LCD of the denominators to make them like fractions.
*Answers to the explanation may vary.

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