



Warm up Grade 6

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- 1) A student divided 20.508 by 6 and got 0.3418
 - a) Without dividing, how do you know this is incorrect?
 - b) What do you think the student did wrong?
 - c) What is the correct answer? Show work.

a) $20.508 \div 6 = \cancel{0.3418}$
Estimate
 $18 \div 6 = 3$

b) Placed the decimal in the wrong spot

c) 3.418

Practice

1. Use Base Ten Blocks to divide.

- a) $6.25 \div 5$ b) $4.24 \div 4$ c) $1.68 \div 3$ d) $3.9 \div 6$

a)
$$\begin{array}{r} 1.25 \\ 5 \overline{) 6.25} \\ \underline{-5} \\ 12 \\ \underline{-10} \\ 25 \\ \underline{-25} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

b)
$$\begin{array}{r} 1.06 \\ 4 \overline{) 4.24} \\ \underline{-4} \\ 24 \\ \underline{-24} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

c)
$$\begin{array}{r} 0.56 \\ 3 \overline{) 1.68} \\ \underline{-15} \\ 18 \\ \underline{-18} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

d)
$$\begin{array}{r} 0.65 \\ 6 \overline{) 3.90} \\ \underline{-36} \\ 30 \\ \underline{-30} \\ 0 \end{array}$$

2. The decimal point is missing in each quotient.

Use estimation to place each decimal point.

- ★ $8.2 \div 2 = 4.1$ $8/2 = 4$ ★ $3.81 \div 3 = 1.27$ $3/3 = 1$
 c) $1.992 \div 8 = .249$ $2/8 = 0.25$ ★ $9.45 \div 5 = 1.89$ $10/5 = 2$
 e) $11.916 \div 9 = 1.324$ $1/4$ ★ $62.8 \div 8 = 7.85$ $64/8 = 8$
 $9/9 = 1$

3. Estimate each quotient. Which strategies did you use?

- a) $26.34 \div 8$ b) $15.27 \div 3$ c) $2.304 \div 4$
 d) $5.8 \div 8$ e) $8.088 \div 6$ f) $2.316 \div 2$

- a) $24 / 8 = 3$ b) $15 / 3 = 5$ c) $2.4 / 4 = 0.8$
 benchmark front end or bench bench mark
 d) $5.6 / 8 = 0.7$ d) $6 / 1 = 6$ f) $2.4 / 2 = 1.2$
 bench

You Try

Jim can walk 4.56 km in 8 minutes.

Ken can walk 5.88 km in 12 minutes. Who travelled the farthest in 1 min? Show work

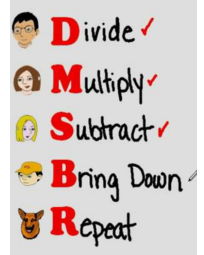
$$\begin{array}{r}
 \text{Jim } 0.57 \\
 8 \overline{) 4.56} \\
 \underline{-0} \downarrow \\
 45 \\
 \underline{-40} \downarrow \\
 56 \\
 \underline{-56} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

Jim travels 0.57 km
in 1 min

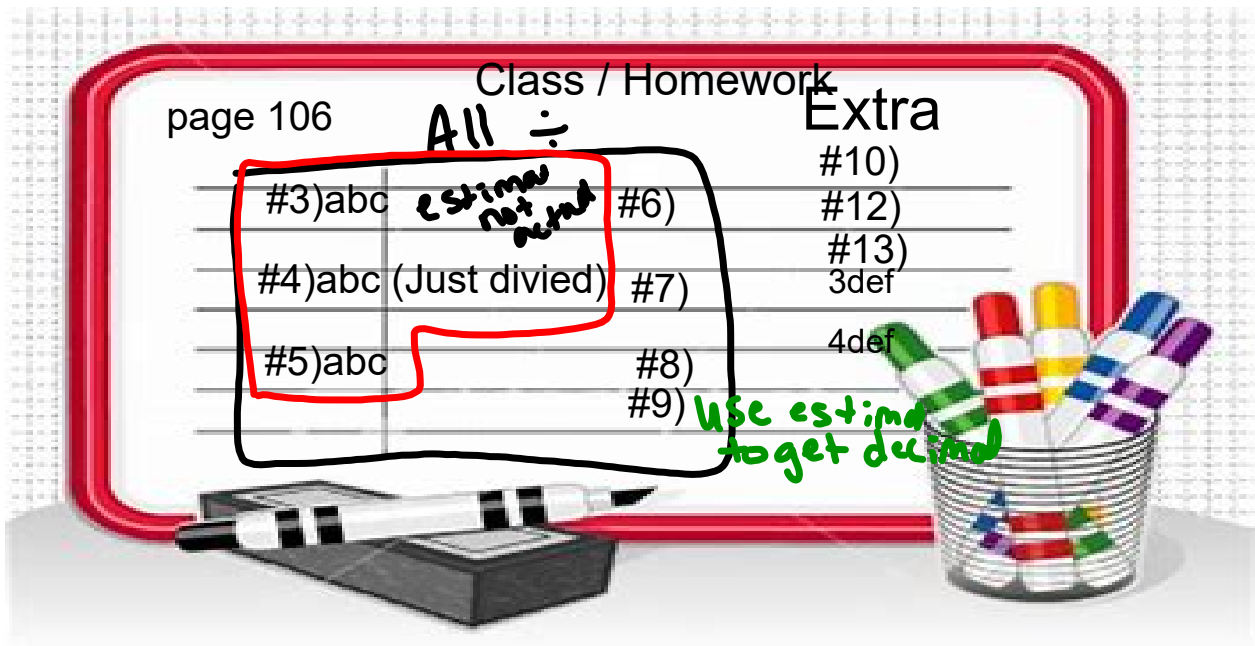
$$\begin{array}{r}
 \text{Ken } 0.49 \\
 12 \overline{) 5.88} \\
 \underline{-0} \downarrow \\
 58 \\
 \underline{-48} \downarrow \\
 108 \\
 \underline{-108} \\
 0
 \end{array}$$

Ken can travel 0.49 km
in 1 min.

Jim travels more in 1 min.



Pick some





4. Divide. Multiply to check your answers.

★ $27.025 \div 5$
d) $16.072 \div 8$

b) $3.42 \div 6$
★ $30.9 \div 5$

★ $7.735 \div 7$
f) $3.438 \div 6$

Step 1: Estimate

$$25 \div 5 = 5$$

Step 3:

$$27.025 \div 5 = 5.405$$

Step 2:
Actual
Answer

5	27025	5 x 4000
	20000	
-	7025	5 x 1000
	5000	
-	2025	5 x 400
	2000	
-	25	5 x 5
	25	
-	0	

Step 4:
Check by Multiplying

$$5.405 \times 5 = 27.025$$



5. Estimate to choose the correct quotient for each division question.

	Question	Possible Quotients		
a)	$8.124 \div 6$	1.354	13.54	135.4
b)	$37.92 \div 3$	0.1264	1.264	12.64
c)	$7.624 \div 8$	0.953	9.53	95.3

6. Aqpiq Peter is a young Inuit speed skater from Nunavut. He is one of 3 First Nations athletes being showcased for the 2010 Vancouver Olympics. At practice, Aqpiq skated 2.75 km in 5 min. About how far did Aqpiq skate in 1 min?





7. Eric cycled 2.25 km in 5 min.
 Josie cycled 2.72 km in 8 min.
 Who travelled farther in 1 min?
 Show your work.



8. Sharma paid \$58.50 to board her cat at a kennel in Yellowknife for 5 days.
 Her friend Miles paid \$12.50 each day to board his cat at a different kennel for 5 days.
 Who paid the lesser amount?
 Explain how you know.



9. The decimal point in some of these quotients is in the wrong place. Identify the mistakes, then write each quotient with the decimal point in the correct place.
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|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| a) $44.8 \div 8 = 0.56$ | b) $14.805 \div 5 = 2.961$ |
| c) $3.15 \div 6 = 5.25$ | d) $8.127 \div 1 = 0.8127$ |



10. A student divided 1.374 by 4 and got 3.435.
- Without dividing, how do you know the answer is incorrect?
 - What do you think the student did wrong?
 - What is the correct answer? How can you check?

11. Write a story problem that can be solved by dividing 14.28 by 3.
 Trade problems with a classmate and solve your classmate's problem.

13. In good weather, Hannah rides her bike to school and back each day.
 One week, Hannah rode her bike on 4 days.
 That week, Hannah rode 10.832 km in total.
 The following week, she rode her bike all 5 days.
 How far did Hannah ride the second week?

