Finding the Quotient!

Divide to find the **quotient**.

Division is the process of finding how many times one number will fit into another number. Division is the opposite, or inverse, operation of multiplication.

$$12 \div 2 = 6$$

dividend   divisor   quotient

$$ 6 \leftarrow \text{quotient}$$
divisor $\longrightarrow 2\overline{)12} \leftarrow$ dividend

The number you are dividing is the **dividend**.
The number you are dividing by is the **divisor**.
The answer to a division problem is the **quotient**.

$$16 \div 2 = 8 \qquad 2\overline{)16} \quad (8)$$

HINT:
Use your multiplication facts to help you find the answer.

$$2 \times \boxed{?} = 16$$

The answer is **8**.

$$12 \div 4 = 3 \qquad 4\overline{)12} \quad (3)$$

$$15 \div 3 = 5 \qquad 3\overline{)15} \quad (5)$$

$$9 \div 3 = 3 \qquad 3\overline{)9} \quad (3)$$

$$10 \div 5 = 2 \qquad 5\overline{)10} \quad (2)$$