Hungry for Fractions: Word Problems



Write a fraction based on each word problem.

Jaden has 1 apple. It's more than he wants to eat right now, so he cuts the apple into 2 equal pieces. He saves 1 piece for later.

What fraction of the apple does Jaden save for later?

Caleb goes to the store to buy 8 cupcakes. He buys 2 vanilla cupcakes, 3 chocolate cupcakes, and 3 strawberry cupcakes.

What fraction of the cupcakes are chocolate?

Kelsey is making banana pudding for her family. She divides the pudding into 4 equal servings. She adds whipped cream to 3 of the servings.

What fraction of the banana pudding has whipped cream on top?

Joe and Lila add some blueberries to the yogurt they are eating. They have 8 blueberries. Joe puts 4 blueberries in his yogurt, and Lila puts the other 4 in her yogurt.

What fraction of the blueberries does Lila put in her yogurt?

Fernando's mom buys 3 pizzas for his birthday party. She ordered 1 pepperoni pizza, 1 cheese pizza, and 1 veggie pizza.

What fraction of the pizzas have pepperoni?

Tate bought a watermelon at the store. His dad helped him cut it into 8 equal pieces. Tate ate 2 pieces and put the rest in the refrigerator for later.

What fraction of the watermelon did Tate eat?

Whitney is helping her mom bake a cake. Her mom cuts a stick of butter into 6 equal pieces, and Whitney uses 3 pieces to make the cake.

What fraction of the stick of butter does Whitney use in the cake?