## Fraction Match

Fraction Match is an equivalent fractions game which involves matching two different equivalent fractions.

It is a great game for consolidating understanding and for knowing when two simple fractions are equivalent.

**Grade:** 4<sup>th</sup> Grade and up **Number of players**: 2-3

**Learning**: equivalent fractions

#### You will need

2 dice

- A set of 15 counters for each player. Each player will need their own individual color.

#### **Instructions**

- Player 1 rolls the 2 dice and uses the two numbers to make a proper fraction (where the numerator is less the denominator) or a fraction whose value is one (where the numerator and the denominator are the same).
- Player 1 then chooses an equivalent fraction on the board to the fraction they have rolled and covers the square with a counter. If no equivalent fraction is available, then no counter can be placed.
- Player 2 then rolls the dice, makes a proper fraction and covers up an equivalent fraction on the board.
- Play is repeated until one of the players gets 4 counters in a row (horizontal, vertical or diagonal). The first player to do this is the winner.

#### **Variations**

- Alternative winning rule: the first player to place all their 15 counters is the winner.
- If playing the game with 3 players, then only 3 counters in a row is needed to win the game.

### **Example of Play**

- Player 1 rolls a 3 and a 4, making the fraction  $\frac{3}{4}$ . They cover up the equivalent fraction  $\frac{9}{2}$  on the board
- Player 2 rolls a 3 and a 3. They cover up the equivalent fraction  $^{10}$ <sub>10</sub> on the board.
- Player 1 rolls a 1 and a 6. They cover up the equivalent fraction  $\frac{3}{18}$  on the board.
- Player 2 rolls a 4 and a 6. They cover up the equivalent fraction  $\frac{2}{3}$  on the board.

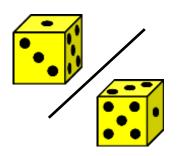


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Roll 2 dice to get your numerator and denominator, then match

the fractions!







2 4	<u>6</u> 8	<u>4</u> 10	<u>6</u> 9	3 4	<u>5</u> 5
<u>8</u>	<u>4</u>	5	8 8	<u>1</u>	3
10	6	10		3	12
<u>5</u>	1 2	10	3	9	<u>4</u>
15		12	18	15	12
<u>4</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	6	15	<u>10</u>
16	9	12	10	18	30
1 4	<u>8</u>	6	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>8</u>
	16	15	8	6	12
<u>9</u> 12	10 15	<u>2</u> 10	4 8 3 6	<u>4</u> 16	8 10
3	<u>8</u>	12	<u>5</u>	10	3
	12	15	20	10	15