

Objective

By the end of this lesson, you will be able to understand and work with fractions confidently.

Materials and Prep

- Paper
- Pencil
- Eraser
- Ruler

No prior knowledge of fractions is required, just come with a positive attitude and willingness to learn!

Activities

- **Fraction Pizza:** Draw a circle on the paper and divide it into slices. Color a part of the slices to represent different fractions.
- **Fraction Hunt:** Look around your house for items that can be divided into fractions. For example, cutting a sandwich into halves or quarters.
- **Fraction Bingo:** Create a Bingo card with fractions instead of numbers. Call out fractions and mark them on your card.

Talking Points

- **What are fractions?**
"Fractions are like pieces of a whole. They show how many parts of a whole we have."
- **Numerator and Denominator:**
"The top number of a fraction is called the numerator, and the bottom number is called the denominator."
- **Equivalent Fractions:**
"Fractions that represent the same value are called equivalent fractions. For example, $\frac{1}{2}$ is the same as $\frac{2}{4}$."
- **Adding and Subtracting Fractions:**
"To add or subtract fractions, we need to have the same denominator. If they are different, we need to make them the same by finding a common denominator."
- **Practice Makes Perfect:**
"The more we practice working with fractions, the easier it becomes. Don't be afraid to make mistakes, that's how we learn!"