

Independent Practice (You Do)

4th Grade - Readiness Standard 6 - 3.NF.2

Learning Target: I will name fractions on a number line

Readiness for comparing fractions with the same numerator or denominator

Title of Game: "Who's Closest?"

Number of Players: 2 to 4

Objective: To approximate where a fraction is located on a number line closer than each opponent.

Materials:

- Fraction Cards (1 set per group...A or B)
- Fractions Strips (1 set, see page 13)
- 1 Recording Sheet Per Player

Directions:

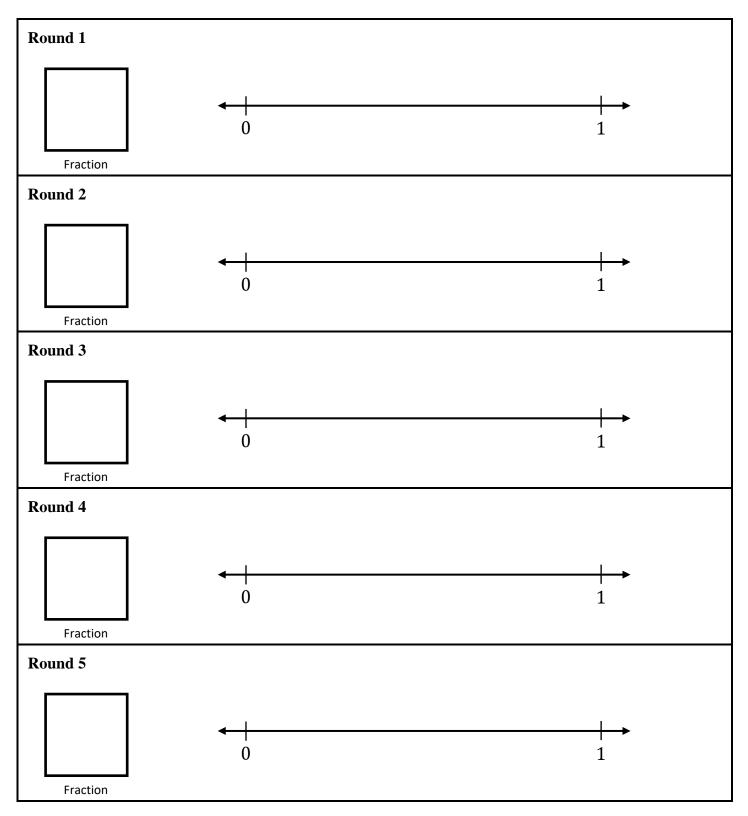
- Shuffle the fraction cards and set them face-down in a pile.
- > Turn the first card over and each player writes the fraction
- > Each player works individually to approximate where the draw the fraction on the number line.
 - \circ $\;$ Draw dashes to separate the number line into unit fractions.
 - \circ $\,$ $\,$ Draw a point to represent the fraction on the number line.
- > Players switch papers to determine how close there approximation is to the exact location
 - Use fraction strips to mark the exact location of the fraction
 - o Draw a horizontal line between the exact location and the approximation
- > The player with the shorter comparison line gets to keep the fraction card.
- Turn the next card over and repeat



Who's Closest?: Recording Sheet

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Directions: Approximate where the draw each fraction on the number line. Then use fraction strips to check how close it is to the exact location.





Fraction Cards (Set A)

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1	1
2	3
Set A	Set A
2	1
3	4
Set A	Set A
3	1
4	6
Set A	Set A
5	1
6	8
Set A	Set A
4	7
8	8
Set A	Set A



Fraction Cards (Set B)

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1	2
3	3
Set B	Set B
1	2
4	4
Set B	Set B
3	2
4	6
Set B	Set B
3	4
6	6
Set B	Set B
2	6
8	8
Set B	Set B