



Fractions



Let's practice

Help children to understand that one thing can be shared into a number of equal pieces, such as a pizza.

Scone based Pizza with veggie face

110g self raising flour

25g margarine

4 tablespoons milk

50g grated cheese

Tin chopped tomatoes.

Veg such as peppers, red & yellow, courgette, sweetcorn, small fresh tomatoes.

Rub the margarine into the flour. Add half of the cheese and the milk. Roll out to a round shape.

Smooth the tined tomatoes over the pizza base, sprinkle the rest of the cheese on.

Make the veggie face.

Bake for 15 to 20 minutes in the oven at 200c.

Cut the pizza into halves and share it with your friend. Enjoy!

Maths Star



Practical situations where children can use halving, half and halve in EYFS:

Snack time

Ask the children to help cut the fruit into 2 equal pieces.

Ask the children to help cut toast into 2 equal pieces.

Split some grapes/raisins into two equal piles.

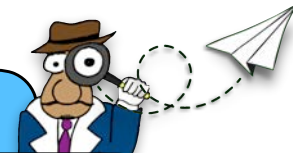
Talk about how an unequal sharing is not the same as a half.

Home Corner

Use the language of halving in the Home Corner.

Identify where something has been shared into two parts that are clearly not equal. These are not halves.

Problem Solver



Solve simple problems in a practical context.

Can you cut the cake in half? How many pieces are there now?

Fill half of the tarts with jam and half with lemon curd.

How many biscuits in the tin? Take half of them out.

Put half of the animals in the ark.

Put half of the cars in the garage.

Put half of the sheep in the farm.

What could we try next?