

Varied Fluency

Step 4: Number Sequences

National Curriculum Objectives:

Mathematics Year 5: (5F2a) [Recognise mixed numbers and improper fractions and convert from one form to the other and write mathematical statements \$> 1\$ as a mixed number \[for example, \$2/5 + 4/5 = 6/5 = 1 \frac{1}{5}\$ \]](#)

Mathematics Year 5: (5F3) [Compare and order fractions whose denominators are all multiples of the same number](#)

Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support counting forwards in mixed numbers and fractions with the same denominators.

Expected Questions to support sequencing mixed numbers and fractions using knowledge of equivalence.

Greater Depth Questions to support sequencing mixed numbers and improper fractions using knowledge of equivalence.

More [Year 5 Fractions](#) resources.

Did you like this resource? Don't forget to [review](#) it on our website.

Number Sequences

1a. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$1 \quad 1\frac{1}{5} \quad 1\frac{2}{5} \quad 1\frac{3}{5} \quad 1\frac{4}{5} \quad ?$$



VF

Number Sequences

1b. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$2\frac{3}{9} \quad 2\frac{4}{9} \quad 2\frac{5}{9} \quad ? \quad 2\frac{7}{9} \quad 2\frac{8}{9}$$



VF

2a. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $4\frac{3}{7}$ should go in the sequence.

$$4\frac{2}{7}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}} \quad 4\frac{4}{7}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}} \quad 4\frac{5}{7}, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}} \quad 4\frac{6}{7}$$



VF

2b. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $3\frac{3}{6}$ should go in the sequence.

$$3\frac{1}{6}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}} \quad 3\frac{2}{6}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}} \quad 3\frac{4}{6}, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}} \quad 3\frac{5}{6}$$



VF

3a. Sequence the numbers below from smallest to largest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{2\frac{6}{8}} & \boxed{3\frac{2}{8}} & \boxed{3} \\ \boxed{3\frac{1}{8}} & \boxed{2\frac{5}{8}} & \boxed{2\frac{7}{8}} \end{array}$$



VF

3b. Sequence the numbers below from smallest to largest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{3\frac{2}{4}} & \boxed{4} & \boxed{3} \\ \boxed{3\frac{3}{4}} & \boxed{3\frac{1}{4}} & \boxed{4\frac{1}{4}} \end{array}$$



VF

4a. My sequence starts with the mixed number $5\frac{2}{3}$.

It is increasing by $\frac{1}{3}$.

Write the next 3 numbers in the sequence.



VF

4b. My sequence starts with the mixed number $4\frac{2}{10}$.

It is increasing by $\frac{1}{10}$.

Write the next 3 numbers in the sequence.



VF

Number Sequences

5a. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$2\frac{1}{6} \quad 2\frac{1}{3} \quad ? \quad 2\frac{2}{3} \quad 2\frac{5}{6} \quad 3$$



VF

Number Sequences

5b. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$4\frac{3}{5} \quad 4\frac{2}{10} \quad 3\frac{4}{5} \quad ? \quad 3 \quad 2\frac{3}{5}$$



VF

6a. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $5\frac{1}{8}$ should go in the sequence.

$$5\frac{6}{8}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}} \quad 5\frac{1}{2}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}} \quad 5, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}} \quad 4\frac{3}{4}$$



VF

6b. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $1\frac{4}{10}$ should go in the sequence.

$$1\frac{3}{10}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}} \quad 1\frac{1}{2}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}} \quad 1\frac{6}{10}, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}} \quad 1\frac{7}{10}$$



VF

7a. Sequence the numbers below from smallest to largest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{3\frac{4}{12}} & \boxed{3\frac{1}{2}} & \boxed{3\frac{7}{12}} \\ \boxed{3\frac{5}{12}} & \boxed{3\frac{1}{6}} & \boxed{3\frac{1}{4}} \end{array}$$



VF

7b. Sequence the numbers below from largest to smallest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{5\frac{1}{4}} & \boxed{6\frac{2}{8}} & \boxed{7\frac{1}{4}} \\ \boxed{7\frac{6}{8}} & \boxed{6\frac{3}{4}} & \boxed{5\frac{6}{8}} \end{array}$$



VF

8a. My sequence starts with the mixed number $10\frac{1}{2}$.

It is decreasing by $\frac{2}{6}$.

Write the next 5 numbers in the sequence.



VF

8b. My sequence starts with the mixed number $9\frac{1}{2}$.

It is increasing by $\frac{1}{4}$.

Write the next 5 numbers in the sequence.



VF

Number Sequences

9a. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$3\frac{2}{10} \quad \frac{19}{5} \quad ? \quad 5 \quad \frac{28}{5} \quad 6\frac{1}{5}$$



VF

Number Sequences

9b. What is the missing number in the sequence below?

$$8 \quad 7\frac{4}{16} \quad 6\frac{4}{8} \quad ? \quad \frac{20}{4} \quad 4\frac{2}{8}$$



VF

10a. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $8\frac{2}{5}$ should go in the sequence.

$$8\frac{8}{10}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}}, \quad \frac{86}{10}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}}, \quad 8\frac{1}{5}, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}}, \quad 8$$



VF

10b. Tick the box to show where the mixed number $9\frac{1}{3}$ should go in the sequence.

$$9\frac{2}{9}, \quad \overset{\text{A}}{\boxed{}}, \quad 9\frac{4}{9}, \quad \overset{\text{B}}{\boxed{}}, \quad 9\frac{5}{9}, \quad \overset{\text{C}}{\boxed{}}, \quad \frac{29}{3}$$



VF

11a. Sequence the numbers below from smallest to largest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{\frac{34}{8}} & \boxed{3\frac{3}{4}} & \boxed{4\frac{6}{8}} \\ \boxed{5\frac{1}{4}} & \boxed{3\frac{2}{8}} & \boxed{\frac{46}{8}} \end{array}$$



VF

11b. Sequence the numbers below from largest to smallest.

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \boxed{6\frac{1}{5}} & \boxed{7} & \boxed{6\frac{3}{5}} \\ \boxed{\frac{39}{5}} & \boxed{7\frac{4}{10}} & \boxed{8\frac{2}{10}} \end{array}$$



VF

12a. My sequence starts with the improper fraction $\frac{86}{7}$.

It is decreasing by $\frac{2}{14}$.

Write the next 5 numbers in the sequence as mixed numbers.



VF

12b. My sequence starts with the improper fraction $\frac{64}{6}$.

It is increasing by $\frac{4}{12}$.

Write the next 5 numbers in the sequence as mixed numbers.



VF

Varied Fluency Number Sequences

Developing

1a. 2

2a. A

3a. $2\frac{5}{8}$, $2\frac{6}{8}$, $2\frac{7}{8}$, 3, $3\frac{1}{8}$, $3\frac{2}{8}$

4a. $6\frac{1}{3}$, $6\frac{2}{3}$

Expected

5a. $2\frac{1}{2}$ or $2\frac{3}{6}$

6a. B

7a. $3\frac{1}{6}$, $3\frac{1}{4}$, $3\frac{4}{12}$, $3\frac{5}{12}$, $3\frac{1}{2}$, $3\frac{7}{12}$

8a. $10\frac{1}{6}$, $9\frac{5}{6}$, $9\frac{3}{6}$, $9\frac{1}{6}$, $8\frac{5}{6}$

Greater Depth

9a. $4\frac{2}{5}$ or $4\frac{4}{10}$ or $\frac{22}{5}$

10a. B

11a. $3\frac{2}{8}$, $3\frac{3}{4}$, $\frac{34}{8}$, $4\frac{6}{8}$, $5\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{46}{8}$

12a. $12\frac{1}{7}$, 12, $11\frac{6}{7}$, $11\frac{5}{7}$, $11\frac{4}{7}$

Varied Fluency Number Sequences

Developing

1b. $2\frac{6}{9}$

2b. B

3b. $3\frac{1}{4}$, $3\frac{2}{4}$, $3\frac{3}{4}$, 4, $4\frac{1}{4}$

4b. $4\frac{3}{10}$, $4\frac{4}{10}$, $4\frac{5}{10}$

Expected

5b. $3\frac{2}{5}$

6b. A

7b. $7\frac{6}{8}$, $7\frac{1}{4}$, $6\frac{3}{4}$, $6\frac{2}{8}$, $5\frac{6}{8}$, $5\frac{1}{4}$

8b. $9\frac{3}{4}$, 10, $10\frac{1}{4}$, $10\frac{1}{2}$, $10\frac{3}{4}$

Greater Depth

9b. $5\frac{6}{8}$ or $5\frac{3}{4}$ or $\frac{23}{4}$

10b. A

11b. $8\frac{2}{10}$, $\frac{39}{5}$, $7\frac{4}{10}$, $7\frac{6}{5}$, $6\frac{3}{5}$, $6\frac{1}{5}$

12b. 11, $11\frac{2}{6}$, $11\frac{4}{6}$, 12, $12\frac{2}{6}$