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WALT: Compare fractions	
	I can explain how to compare fractions using the numerator and denominator
	I can compare unit fractions I can compare fractions with the same denominator
	With support, I can compare unit fractions With support, I can compare fractions with the same denominator

Greater than, less than, equal to (>, <, =)

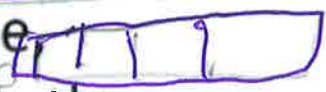
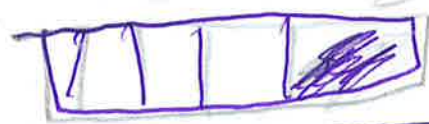
$\frac{1}{10} < \frac{1}{4}$

$\frac{1}{3} > \frac{1}{6}$

$\frac{1}{5} > \frac{1}{4}$

3 and 6 are a half.

1 and 1 are equal but 5 is bigger than 4.



When the denominators are the same the smaller the numerator, the NOT the fraction.

Use 'bigger' or 'smaller' to fill in the gaps. You can use the same word twice.

What unit fraction is smaller than 1/10?	a) 1/9 b) 1/2 c) 1/12
What unit fraction is bigger than 1/3?	a) 1/5 b) 1/4 c) 1/2

Explain your answers to the last 2 questions.

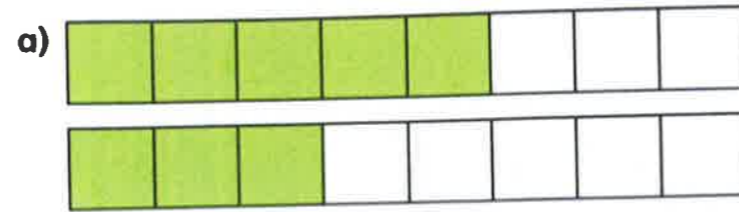
Question 1:

Question 2:

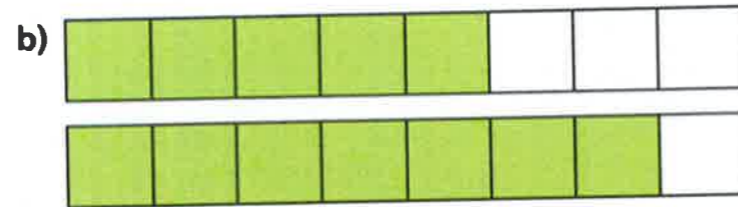
Talk about this question with an adult ☺

1 Write $<$, $>$ or $=$ to compare the fractions.

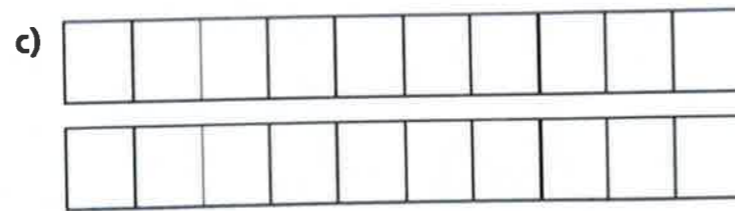
Use the bar models to help you.



$\frac{5}{8} > \frac{3}{8}$



$\frac{5}{8} < \frac{7}{8}$



$\frac{5}{10} < \frac{7}{10}$

If the denominators are the same, the numerator, the bigger the fraction.

2 Write $<$, $>$ or $=$ to compare the fractions.

a) $\frac{1}{5} < \frac{3}{5}$

d) $\frac{6}{7} > \frac{2}{7}$

b) $\frac{2}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$

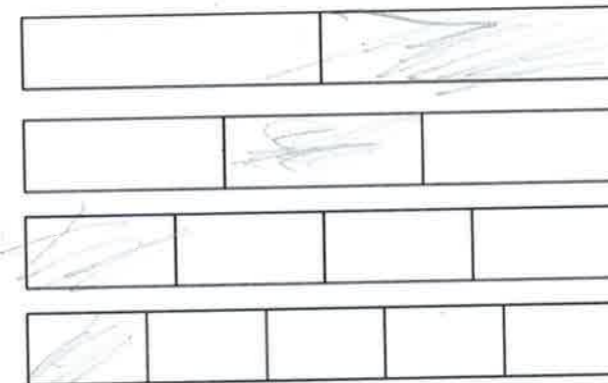
e) $\frac{6}{13} < \frac{12}{13}$

c) $\frac{2}{7} < \frac{6}{7}$

f) $\frac{13}{15} = \frac{13}{15}$

Since $\frac{13}{15}$ and $\frac{13}{15}$

3 Here are some bar models.



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

explain your reasoning to me!

a) Shade the bar models to represent the fractions.

b) Write $<$ or $>$ to compare the fractions.

Use the bar models to help you.

$\frac{1}{2} < \frac{1}{3}$

$\frac{1}{4} > \frac{1}{3}$

$\frac{1}{5} > \frac{1}{3}$

$\frac{1}{3} > \frac{1}{2}$

$\frac{1}{4} < \frac{1}{5}$

$\frac{1}{5} > \frac{1}{2}$