

Date

Subtheme

Start Time: Choose a start time.
End Time: Choose an end time.

Curriculum Area:
*Conceptual Knowledge-
 Numeracy*
 Conceptual Knowledge-
 Numeracy

Materials:

- Graham crackers
- Adapted number line
- Graham cracker fraction poster
-

Objective(s):

1. Students will demonstrate a fraction using objects or hands-on materials.
2. Students will demonstrate the ability to write a fraction using a model.
3. Students will identify simple fractions using visuals or a number line.
4. Students will sequence simple fractions on a number line.

Introduction:

Small group

- Teacher will review/make connection to previously read fraction story _____.
- "Today we are going to practice making our own fractions with food!!"
- "Remember a fraction means part of a whole. We use fractions to describe how much of something."
 - equal parts of a whole
- Show students graham cracker poster and talk about one graham cracker (the whole) can be broken into 4 smaller pieces but together they make up one graham cracker.

Body:

*have students wash hands

- Pass out one number line to each student and go over the different numbers.
- Point to 1 → 1 is the whole → 1 graham cracker.
- "I'm going to give each of you one graham cracker but we can't eat it right away. We have some work to do first and then we can enjoy the yummy graham cracker."
- Give one to each student
- "First, we are going to break it into four equal parts and then measure it."
- Model for students how to carefully break the graham cracker .
- Place graham cracker on number line one piece at a time. Each time saying the fraction aloud.
 - $\frac{1}{4}$ - "1 out of 4 equal parts"
 - $\frac{2}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ - "2 out of 4 equal parts"
 - $\frac{3}{4}$ - "3 out of 4 equal parts"
 - $\frac{4}{4}$ or 1 - "4 out of 4 equal parts. We can't eat this one or the whole. One whole graham cracker"

Closing:

- Hold up one whole graham cracker and $\frac{1}{4}$.
- Would you rather eat $\frac{1}{4}$ of a graham cracker or 1 whole graham cracker?
- Which one is more? Less?
- Ask with other variations.

- Great job working with fractions today.
- Tomorrow we are going to read about fractions with other favorite foods.
- Let students eat graham crackers.

Accommodations:

Objects
 Picture supports
 Leveled prompting
 Communication system
 Differentiated material
 Fraction plates

Multiple Intelligences:

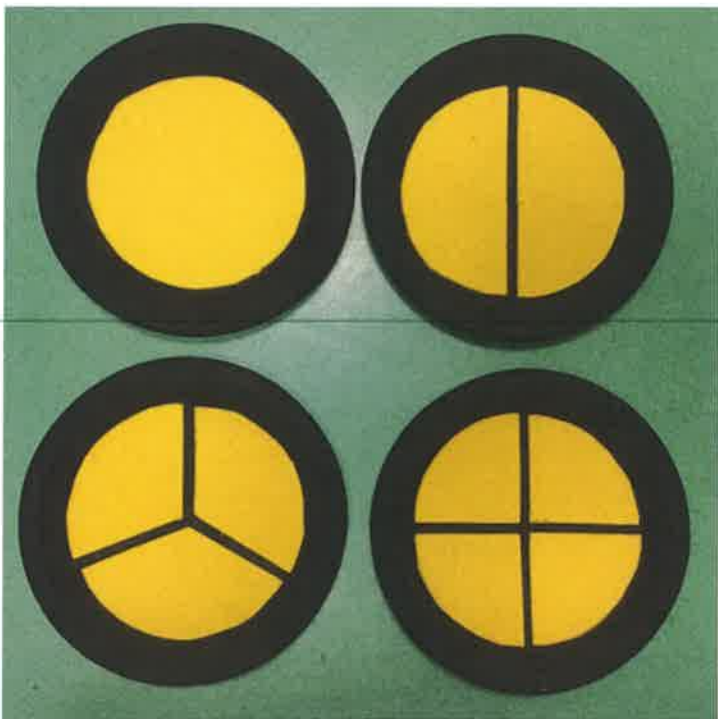
- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Linguistic | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bodily Kinesthetic | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Logical-Mathematical |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Visual-Spatial | <input type="checkbox"/> Musical | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Interpersonal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Intrapersonal | <input type="checkbox"/> Naturalist | |

Common Core Standards (<http://www.corestandards.org/read-the-standards/>) :

CCSS.MATH.CONTENT.3.NF.A.1
CCSS.MATH.CONTENT.3.NF.A.2
CCSS.MATH.CONTENT.3.NF.A.3

LCCE Competencies ([Link to LCCE Competencies](#)):

Link lesson appropriately to LCCE competencies. Click on the link above to view competencies.



*Use fraction plates for students with CVI

$$\frac{1}{4}$$

$$\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\frac{2}{4}$$

$$1$$

more



less



big



little





Graham Cracker Fractions

