**Fraction Usage in Number Sense**

- **Adding Fractions**: A common denominator must be present first. To get common denominator find the LCD. Simply add the numerators and carry over the denominator.

- **Subtracting Fractions**: A common denominator must be present first. To get common denominator find the LCD. Simply add the numerators and carry over the denominator.

- **Multiplying Fractions**: A common denominator need not be present. Cross reduce both sides if possible. Multiply top times top and bottom times bottom. Reduce.

- **Dividing Fractions**: A common denominator need not be present. Flip 2nd fraction set over & change dividing sign to a multiplication sign. Cross reduce. Multiply top times top and bottom times bottom. Reduce.

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