Divisibility Rules - How to help your children.

How do we know when we can divide one number into another exactly?

Divisibility Rules (2)

✓ A number can be divided by 2 if

✓ the last digit is even





Divisibility Rules (3)



✓ a number is divisible by 3 if

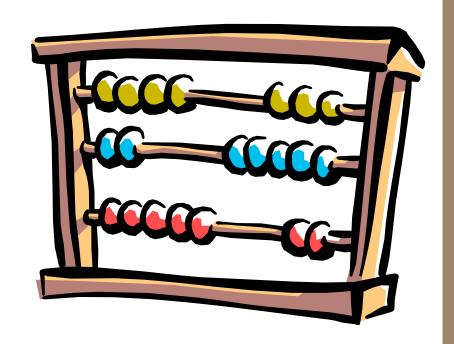
✓ the sum of the digits is 3, 6 or 9



Divisibility Rules (4)

a number is divisibleby 4 if

✓ the number made by the last two digits can be divided by 4





Divisibility Rules (5)

✓ A number is divisible by 5 if

✓ the last digit is a 5 or a 0





Divisibility Rules (6)

✓ A number can be divided by 6 if

✓ the last digit is even and the sum of all the digits is 3, 6 or 9





Divisibility Rules (8)

- ✓ A number is divisible by 8 if
- ✓ the number made by the last three digits will be divisible by 8





Divisibility Rules (9)

✓ A number is divisible by 9 if

✓ the sum of all the digits will add to 9





Divisibility Rules (10)

✓ A number can be divided by 10 if

✓ the last digit is a 0





✓ A number can be divided by 7 if

you find a rule?





✓ 2, the last digit will be an even number

✓ 3, all the digits will add to 3,6 or 9

✓ 4, the number made by the last two digits can be divided by 4

√5, the last digit will be a 5 or 0

✓ 6, the last digit will be even and the digits will add to 3, 6 or 9

✓ 8, the number made by the last three digits will be divisible by 8



✓ 9, the sum of the digits will be 9

✓ 10, the last digit will be a 0

There is no easy test for 7, although some methods have been invented, however it is easier to use a pencil and paper method.



- ✓ Apply these rules to theses numbers:
- **√** 74,673,042
- **444**,555,448
- **61,616,168**
- **√** 732,510
- **4** 66,666,666
- **179,131,590**

