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Part 1: Building a Foundation

What is the numerator in the fraction $\frac{3}{4}$?

Hint: Identify the top number in the fraction.

- 3
- 4
- 7
- 1

Which of the following are proper fractions?

Hint: A proper fraction has a numerator smaller than its denominator.

- $\frac{5}{6}$
- $\frac{7}{3}$
- $\frac{2}{5}$
- $\frac{9}{9}$

Define what a mixed number is and provide an example.

Hint: A mixed number combines a whole number and a fraction.

Part 2: Comprehension and Application

What is the least common denominator of $\frac{1}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{6}$?

Hint: Find the smallest number that both denominators can divide into.

- 12
- 24
- 6
- 8

When adding fractions with unlike denominators, which steps are necessary?

Hint: Consider the process of finding a common denominator.

- Find a common denominator
- Add the numerators directly
- Simplify the result
- Convert to improper fractions

Explain why it is necessary to find a common denominator when adding or subtracting fractions.

Hint: Think about how fractions represent parts of a whole.

What is the result of adding $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{1}{6}$?

Hint: Make sure to find a common denominator before adding.

- $\frac{3}{9}$
- $\frac{5}{6}$
- $\frac{7}{6}$
- $\frac{1}{2}$

Solve the following problem: Add $1\frac{1}{4}$ and $2\frac{2}{3}$. Show your work and provide the answer as a mixed number.

Hint: Convert mixed numbers to improper fractions for easier addition.

Part 3: Analysis, Evaluation, and Creation

If you have the fractions $\frac{3}{5}$ and $\frac{4}{10}$, which statement is true?

Hint: Compare the two fractions by finding a common denominator or converting them.

- $\frac{3}{5}$ is greater than $\frac{4}{10}$
- $\frac{3}{5}$ is less than $\frac{4}{10}$
- $\frac{3}{5}$ is equal to $\frac{4}{10}$
- Can not be determined

Analyze the following problem: Why might someone choose to convert mixed numbers to improper fractions before adding them?

Hint: Consider the ease of calculation when adding fractions.

- It simplifies the calculation
- It makes it easier to find a common denominator
- It is required by mathematical rules
- It allows for direct addition of numerators

Break down the process of subtracting $\frac{7}{12}$ from $\frac{5}{6}$. Explain each step and why it is necessary.

Hint: Think about finding a common denominator and subtract the numerators.

Which of the following scenarios correctly apply the concept of fraction addition in real life?

Hint: Think about situations where parts are combined.

- Combining $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of sugar with $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of sugar in a recipe
- Adding $\frac{3}{4}$ of a mile to $\frac{1}{2}$ of a mile for a total distance
- Subtracting $\frac{1}{3}$ of a pizza from $\frac{1}{2}$ of a pizza
- Doubling a recipe that requires $\frac{2}{3}$ cup of flour

Create a real-world problem involving the addition of fractions. Provide a detailed solution to your problem.

Hint: Think about a scenario where you combine parts.