## YR6 PROGRESSION IN MASTERY LESSON PACK - SIMPLIFYING FRACTIONS

## FLUENCY 1

Complete the stem sentence.

If we divide the fraction's $\qquad$ and $\qquad$ by the —, we will find its simplest form.

## FLUENCY 2

Use the bar models to help you simplify the fractions.

$\square$



## FLUENCY 3

Draw your own bar models to help you simplify.


Match the fraction with its simplified fraction.


## REASONING 1

Jerry says....

7/12 cannot be simplified.

Do you agree?
Explain your reasoning.
REASONING 2
Always, Sometimes or Never True?


> When you simplify a fraction, both the numerator and the denominator will be smaller than the original fraction.

## REASONING 3

Which of these is the Odd One Out?

| 12 |  |
| :--- | :--- |
| 16 | 16 |
| 18 | 1530${ }^{16}$ |

REASONING 4
Spot the mistake.


Explain Darcey's error and correct it.
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PROBLEM SOLVING 1
Caleb is thinking of a fraction...


It simplifies to 9/10.

The denominator is a multiple of 20.

The numerator has a digit that is a prime number.

All the digits in the numerator are greater than 3.

What could Caleb's fraction be?

PROBLEM SOLVING 2
Using the digits 1-9, explore how many simplified fractions you can create.


Work systematically to find all possibilities.

