

# The Meaning of Division

**P 3-1**

Draw a picture or use objects to show each division situation.  
Then find the quotient.

- How many groups of 6 can be formed if there are 36 students in the class?  
**6 groups of 6**
- In a theater with 108 seats, there are 12 times as many seats as there are rows. How many rows does the theater hold?  
**9 rows**
- Ann and Bill need to arrange 36 coins from their collection on a page. If they use 4 rows, how many coins will be in each row?  
**9 coins**

Name the operation needed to solve each problem. Then solve.

- At the airport, 72 people are waiting to board 9 different planes. If an equal number of people board each plane, how many people get on each plane?

**Division; 8 people**

- At the halftime show during a football game, a band with 7 people in 8 rows marches out onto the field to entertain the crowd. How many people are in the band?

**Multiplication; 56 people**

## Test Prep

- A high school volleyball team has 20 members. If there is an equal number of members from each of the 4 grades, how many students from each grade are on the team?

**A. 3**
**B. 4**
**C. 5**
**D. 6**

- Writing in Math** If there are 50 students in the fifth grade and the entire grade had to take the same language class, which language would have 10 different classes? Explain.

**Russian;  $50 \div 10 = 5$**

Language	Class Size
French	7
Italian	6
Russian	5
Spanish	10
German	6