

Varied Fluency

Step 8: The Mean

National Curriculum Objectives:

Mathematics Year 6: (6S3) [Calculate and interpret the mean as an average](#)

Differentiation:

Developing Questions to support calculating the mean of up to 5 numbers. Questions and answers using whole numbers only.

Expected Questions to support calculating the mean of up to 6 numbers. Questions include some decimal numbers, answers using whole numbers only.

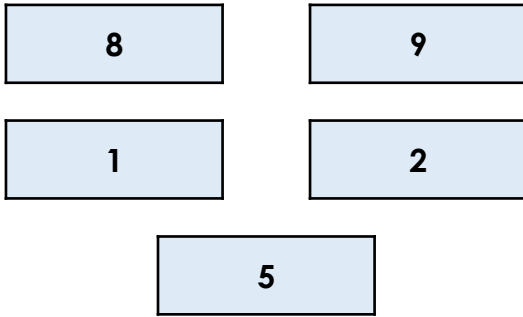
Greater Depth Questions to support calculating the mean of up to 6 numbers. Questions and answers include some decimal numbers and conversions of mm, cm and m.

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The Mean

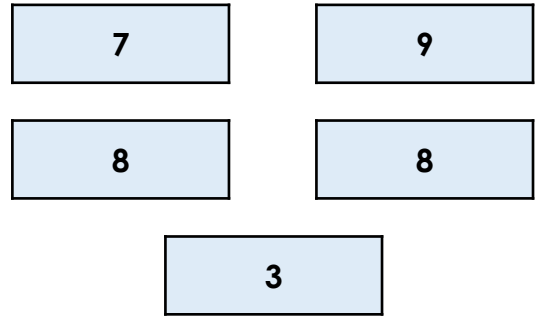
1a. Calculate the mean of these numbers.



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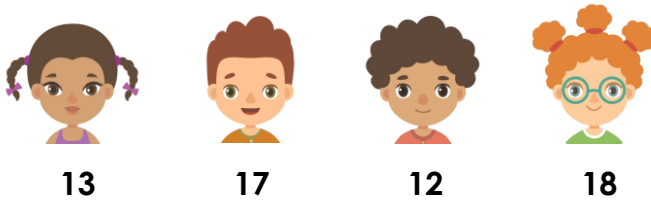
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1b. Calculate the mean of these numbers.



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2a. Tick the correct mean of these children's test scores.

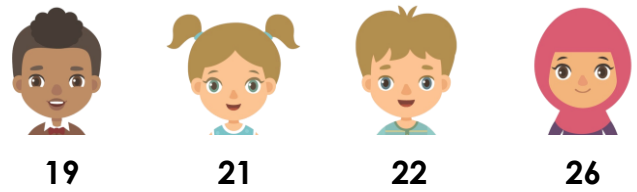


13	14	15
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2b. Tick the correct mean of these children's Sports Day scores.



21	22	23
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3a. True or false? The mean of these numbers is 8.



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3b. True or false? The mean of these numbers is 7.



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4a. Four friends want to share out their sweets equally. They have 8, 4, 7 and 9 sweets.



What is the mean amount of sweets?



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4b. Four friends want to share their toys out equally. They have 9, 8, 3 and 12 toys.



What is the mean amount of toys?



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5a. Calculate the mean of these numbers.

7.3	12
13.4	8
6	25.3



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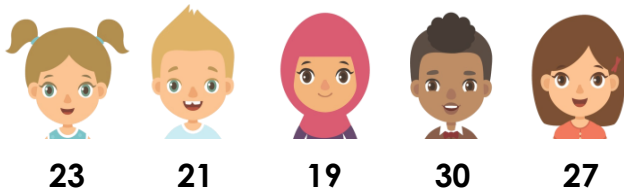
5b. Calculate the mean of these numbers.

26	15.1
8.8	11
6	41.1



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6a. Tick the correct mean of these children's test scores.

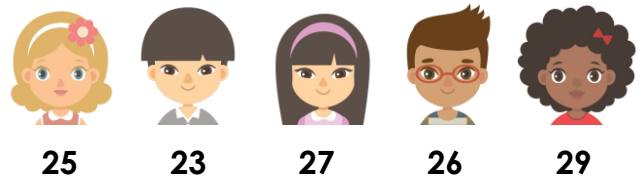


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20	24	23



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6b. Tick the correct mean of these children's Sports Day scores.



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24	25	26



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7a. True or false? The mean of these numbers is 16.

12.4	17	13.1
16.3	18.2	19



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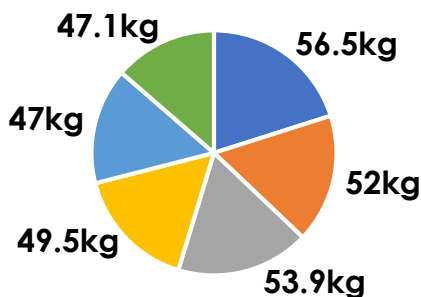
7b. True or false? The mean of these numbers is 19.

24.7	33	8.8
12.6	25	15.9



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8a. The chart below shows the weight of six different chimpanzees.



What is their mean weight?



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8b. The table below shows how much six friends spent on sweets.

Leon	£1.64
Alice	£0.65
Chloe	£2.33
Noah	£1.62
Jamie	£3.25
Samantha	£2.51



What is the mean amount they spent?



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9a. Calculate the mean of these numbers.

321.9

65.7

256.8

27.9

12.1

134.6



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9b. Calculate the mean of these numbers.

145.7

65.9

132.8

89.7

123.5

127.9



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10a. Calculate the mean value of the place value counters.

100

10

0.1

10

0.1

100



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10b. Calculate the mean of these coins.



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11a. True or false? The mean of these numbers is $108\frac{1}{4}$.

124

272

14.7

37.3

123

60.5



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11b. True or false? The mean of these numbers is $220\frac{1}{3}$.

34.1

561

128

432

2.9

164



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12a. Six children have been growing plants and want to calculate the mean height. They measure 12cm, 204mm, 0.17m, 18.3cm, 167mm, 0.14m.



What is their mean height in cm?



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12b. Six friends want to calculate their mean height. They measure 1.43m, 136cm, 1.4m, 139cm, 1410mm, 1350mm.



What is their mean height in metres?



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Developing

- 1a. 5
2a. 15
3a. False (6)
4a. 7

Expected

- 5a. 12
6a. 24
7a. True
8a. 51kg

Greater Depth

- 9a. 136.5
10a. 36.7
11a. False ($105\frac{1}{4}$) or 105.25
12a. 16.4cm

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Developing

- 1b. 7
2b. 22
3b. True
4b. 8

Expected

- 5b. 18
6b. 26
7b. False (20)
8b. £2

Greater Depth

- 9b. 114.25
10b. £0.76
11b. True
12b. 1.39m