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Divisibility Rules

****Divisibility – Can be divided by another number without a remainder.**

Example: 21 is divisible by 3 ($21 \div 3 = 7$)

21 is NOT divisible by 4 ($21 \div 4 = 5 \text{ R}1$ or $5 \frac{1}{4}$)

Divisibility Rules:

A whole # is divisible by:	IF:	Examples:
2	The number ends in a 2, 4, 6, 8, or 0	20, 346, 7,598
3	The sum of the digits makes a # divisible by 3	#1: $18 = 1+8 = 9 \div 3 = 3 \checkmark$ #2: $177 = 1+7+7 = 15 \div 3 = 5 \checkmark$ #3: $2,952 = 2+9+5+2 = 18 \div 3 = 6 \checkmark$
4	if the last two digits form a number divisible by 4	<u>28</u> , <u>332</u> , <u>772</u> , <u>9,304</u>
5	if the ones digit is 0 or 5	485, 2,570
6	if the number is divisible by both 2 and 3	18, 24, 756, 6,720
8	if the last three digits form a number divisible by 8	<u>128</u> , <u>1,256</u> , <u>6,408</u>
9	if the sum of the digits is divisible by 9	#1: $18 = 1+8 = 9 \div 9 = 1 \checkmark$ #2: $135 = 1+3+5 = 9 \div 9 = 1 \checkmark$ #3: $468 = 4+6+8 = 18 \div 9 = 2 \checkmark$ #4: $8,883 = 8+8+8+3 = 27 \div 9 = 3 \checkmark$
10	if the ones digit is 0	10, 300, 1170, 10,450

Divisibility Rules Riddles:

**1. I am a 2-digit number divisible by 2.
Who am I?**

**2. I am a 3-digit number divisible by 3 whose
middle digit is a “5.”
Who am I?**

**3. I am a 4-digit number divisible by 4 whose
hundreds number is 7 and the sum of my
digits is 22.
Who am I?**

4. I am a 5-digit number divisible by 5. The sum of my digits is 10.

Who am I?

YOU TRY: In groups, come up with your own riddle for class.