

MY Homework**Lesson 7****Hands On:
Distributive
Property and
Partial Quotients****Homework Helper**Need help? connectED.mcgraw-hill.com

The Statue of Liberty has a total of 354 steps. Janice decides to climb the steps in 2 equal sections. How many steps will she climb in each section?

Find $354 \div 2$.

1 Model 354 as $(300 + 50 + 4)$.

300	50	4
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2 Divide each section by 2.

Write each quotient above the bar.

$$300 \div 2 = 150$$

$$50 \div 2 = 25$$

$$4 \div 2 = 2$$

	150	25	2
2	300	50	4

3 Add the quotients.

$$150 + 25 + 2 = 177$$

So, $354 \div 2 = 177$. Janice will climb 177 steps in each section.

Check Multiply to check your answer. $177 \times 2 = 354$

Practice

1. Divide $844 \div 4$. Use the Distributive Property to draw a bar diagram.



Problem Solving

2. The fourth, fifth and sixth grade classes of 396 students take a field trip to the historical museum over 3 days. How many students can go each day?

3. Colton wants to buy a video game system in 3 months. The video game system costs \$396. If he saves the same amount each month, how much will he have to save each month?

4. Paul's MP3 player has a total of 852 songs. He has 4 different groups of songs. If he puts an equal number of songs in each group, how many songs will be in each group?

My Work!



Vocabulary Check



5. Choose the correct word(s) to complete the sentence.

Using partial quotients is a method of dividing where you break the _____ into sections that are easy to divide.

6. **Mathematical PRACTICE**

Use Math Tools Stanley is using the bar diagram to help him find $482 \div 2$. What is the quotient?

2	400	80	2
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