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# Fair Sharing and Making Groups

Tell the difference between finding how many in each group and finding how many groups.

Get ready: 12–24 matching counters or blocks, and a few cups or paper circles.

### 01 How many in each group?

Share 12 counters equally among 3 toy friends.
Give each friend one at a time. Keep going until all 12 are gone.
Each friend gets 4. Ask: How can you tell they have the same amount?

### 02 How many groups?

Use the same 12 counters. Put 4 in each bag.
Make one group of 4 at a time. Count how many groups you made.
You filled 3 bags. Ask: What did we know before we started?

## Ask as you play

“Can you show me how you know?” Let your child point, build, draw or tell.