ANSWER GUIDE

Equivalent responses accepted

Share Place Settings Equally

Developing: divide small totals without remainders



A lunch club prepares three tables. Each table needs the same number of cups and the same number of napkins. Share all supplies equally; nobody receives food in this counting task.

Tables	3 tables
Cups available	12 cups
Napkins available	15 napkins
Sharing rule	Use every cup and napkin. Give each table equal amounts.

Sample answers below. Accept equivalent wording and supported communication.

1. How many cups go on each table?

4 cups: 12 divided by 3.

2. How many napkins go on each table?

5 napkins: 15 divided by 3.

3. Two tables have 4 cups each. How many cups are left for the third?

4 cups: 12 - 8.

4. Check your cup answer by adding three equal groups.

4 + 4 + 4 = 12.