

## Family Math Engagement Grab & Go: Understanding Fractions of a Group

This activity would be  
best used by:

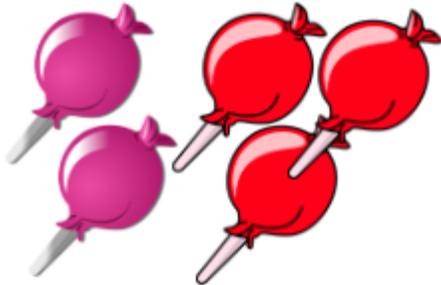
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### Materials:

- Paper and pencil
- Colors/markers/colored pencils
- Multiple types of objects

### Steps:

1. Using paper and a pencil, draw and show a group of two types of objects.  
Example:



2. Talk about the fractions of the group.
3. Example: Two-fifths of the candies are pink lollipops.  
Three-fifths of the candies are red lollipops.  
Each lollipop is one-fifth of the whole group.
4. Repeat the process with other drawn objects.
5. Apply to real-world objects.  
Example: bag of Skittles

### Lagniappe:

- Practice seeing fractions as part of a group with drawings and real-world applications.
- Use after your child has mastered “Upper Elementary Grab & Go: Understanding Fractions of a Whole.”
- Once mastered, see “Upper Elementary Grab & Go: Understanding Fractions of a Ruler.”

