

This handout may be used with the “Responding to Paper-Based Grades 3–6 FSA Mathematics Items” narrated presentation.

FSA Grades 3–6 Mathematics Item Type Handout

1) **Multiple-Choice:** Fill in **one** bubble completely to mark your answer.

Example:

What is 78 rounded to the nearest ten?

(A) 70

(B) 75

(C) 80

(D) 100

2) **Multiselect:** Fill in **more than one** bubble completely to mark your answers.

Example:

Select all the expressions that have the same value as $30 \div 10$.

(A) 1×3

(B) $10 \div 30$

(C) 30×10

(D) $30 \div 10 \div 1$

(E) $30 \div (2 \div 5)$

(F) $(30 \div 2) \div 5$

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3) **Table Match:** Select the correct answer in each row by filling in the bubbles.

Example 1:

Select $>$, $<$, or $=$ to complete a true comparison for each pair of fractions.

	$>$	$<$	$=$
$\frac{4}{3} \square \frac{6}{5}$	(A)	(B)	(C)
$\frac{6}{2} \square \frac{9}{3}$	(D)	(E)	(F)
$\frac{3}{2} \square \frac{7}{4}$	(G)	(H)	(I)

Example 2:

Match each number to the value of the number rounded to the nearest 10.

	180	190	200
181	(A)	(B)	(C)
186	(D)	(E)	(F)
194	(G)	(H)	(I)

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4) **Editing Task:** Bubble one correct answer in each box to complete the sentence.

Example:

The two figures shown are measured in centimeters (cm).

6 cm

9 cm

Complete the statement about the two figures. For each blank, fill in the circle **before** the word or phrase that is correct.

The shapes are both

A squares

B trapezoids

C rectangles

because

A all the angles in each shape are right angles.

B all the sides of each shape have the same length.

C all the sides of each shape are made of straight lines.

5) **Gridded Response:** Using the grid for your grade level, practice entering the fraction $\frac{53}{4}$ as your answer.

Grade 3

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1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
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Grades 4 & 5

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2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
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4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
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Grade 6

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4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6
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