Division and Division Fact

Division means sharing equally or making equal groups. Let us understand division with the help of an example.

Example 1: There is a badminton tournament in Nikhil's School next week. The teacher has asked Nikhil to make 4 teams of his classmates for practice. If there are 12 students in his class who are interested in Badminton. How many students should he select in each team?



So children, first he should select 1 child in 4 teams.



Now, the remaining number of children are 8. Now he should select again 1 child in each team.



The remaining number of children are 4. Again he should select 1 child in each team.

Each team has 3 children.

Thus, he has divided 12 children into 4 equal groups and each group has 3 children. We can read it as 12 divided by 4 is equal to 3

Also, **12 ÷ 4 = 3**

The symbol '+' stands for division.

In the division fact 12 ÷ 4 = 3

We call, 12 as divided, 4 as divisor and 3 as quotient.

