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Sharing Apples is Easy... With Fractions!

Apples are a great tool for teaching students all about the wonderful world of fractions. After all, fractions may be the only way to evenly distribute the apples you have amongst the whole class! Practice cutting the apples in different ways to demonstrate different fractions, as well as additions and subtractions... Snacking along the way of course!

What do you get when you add an apple and a shellfish?

First $\frac{1}{5}$ of ACORN +

First $\frac{1}{2}$ of CROP +

Last $\frac{3}{5}$ of KEBAB +

First $\frac{1}{3}$ of APPEALING +

Last $\frac{1}{3}$ of EDIBLE =

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$\frac{3}{4}$



+

$\frac{1}{4}$

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1 whole

Highly Recommended Book:

Author Jerry Pallotta and illustrator Rob Bolster use a variety of different apples to teach kids all about fractions in this innovative and enjoyable book. Playful elves demonstrate how to divide apples into halves, thirds, fourths, and more. Young readers will also learn about varieties of apples, including Golden and Red Delicious, Granny Smiths, Cortlands, and even Asian Pears. (Amazon.com)

