

## Vocabulary: Fraction Artist 2



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- Denominator – the bottom number in a fraction.
  - The denominator represents the number of equal parts the whole has been divided into.
  - For example, in the fraction  $\frac{3}{5}$ , the denominator shows that the whole has been divided into 5 equal parts.
- Fraction – a number that shows the relationship between a part and a whole.
  - A fraction consists of a *denominator* (bottom number) and a *numerator* (top number).
- Numerator – the top number in a fraction.
  - The numerator counts the number of equal parts indicated by the fraction.
  - For example, in the fraction  $\frac{3}{5}$ , the numerator shows that the fraction refers to 3 of the 5 equal parts that make up the whole.