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Word problems – fractions

Write your answer in the space next to each question

1. Zack has 60p pocket money still to spend. He spends $\frac{5}{6}$ of it on a new comic. How much money does Zack have left?

2. 24 children in Class 2 own at least one pet. $\frac{3}{4}$ of these children own either a dog or a cat. How many of the children have a different kind of animal?

3. It usually takes Aftab 6 minutes to run three times around the playground. Today, he ran the same distance but only took $\frac{1}{2}$ as long. How long did it take him?

4. Mrs West works in a bookshop. Today she sold 20 books. $\frac{3}{5}$ of these books were about animals. How many books about animals did Mrs West sell?

5. Noah and his family drove 50km to the seaside. On the way home, they went a different way, which is exactly $\frac{1}{2}$ the distance. How far did they drive to get home?