

Y4 – Spring – Block 3 – Step 7 – Convert mixed numbers to improper fractions Answers

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2	<p>a) $\frac{16}{4}$</p> <p>b) $\frac{32}{4}$</p> <p>c) $\frac{16}{2}$</p> <p>d) $\frac{15}{5}$</p> <p>e) $\frac{30}{5}$</p> <p>f) $\frac{30}{6}$</p>
3	<p>The integer in the mixed number is 2</p> <p>This is equivalent to 10 fifths.</p> <p>There are 3 more fifths.</p> <p>10 + 3 = 13</p> <p>So the improper fraction is $\frac{13}{5}$</p>

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4	a) $\frac{7}{4}$ b) $\frac{13}{4}$ c) $\frac{10}{4}$
5	a) $\frac{19}{6}$ b) $\frac{19}{5}$ c) $\frac{20}{3}$ d) $\frac{17}{2}$
6	a) $\frac{15}{4}$ $\frac{14}{4}$ $\frac{13}{4}$ When the numerator of the fraction part of the mixed number goes down by 1, the numerator of the improper fraction goes down by 1 b) $\frac{14}{3}$ $\frac{17}{3}$ $\frac{20}{3}$ When the whole number part of the mixed number goes up by 1, the numerator of the improper fraction goes up by the number in the denominator.
7	a) Subtract 1 from the numerator of the improper fraction; $\frac{36}{8}$ b) Add 8 to the numerator of the improper fraction; $\frac{45}{8}$ c) $\frac{29}{8}$ $\frac{46}{8}$ $\frac{117}{8}$
8	multiple possible answers, e.g. $\frac{27}{7}$ $\frac{30}{7}$ $\frac{36}{7}$ With a denominator of 7, the numerator can be any number between 27 and 36