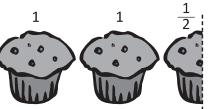
## Fractions – mixed numbers and improper fractions

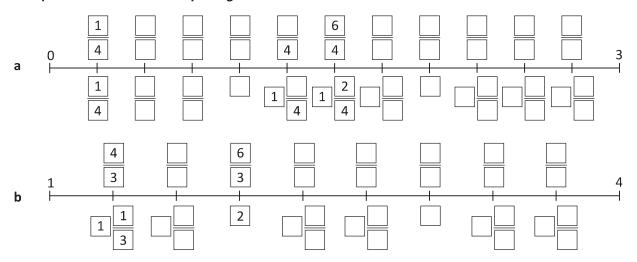
Mixed numbers are made up of whole numbers and fractions.  $2\frac{1}{2}$  is a mixed number.

Mixed numbers can also be expressed as improper fractions. Improper fractions are fractions where the numerator is bigger than the denominator.

 $2\frac{1}{2}$  can also be written as  $\frac{5}{2}$ .



1 Complete the number lines by filling in the boxes:



Use the number lines above to help you find the mystery fractions. Score 5 points for a correct answer. Lose 3 points for a wrong answer. For some questions, more than 1 answer is correct. The first one has been done for you.

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**Q1** This improper fraction is equivalent to 2.

A1  $\frac{6}{3}$  or  $\frac{8}{4}$ 

**Q2** This improper fraction comes directly before  $1\frac{2}{4}$ .

A2 \_\_\_\_\_

Q3 This improper fraction is one third greater than  $3\frac{1}{3}$ .

A3 \_\_\_\_\_

**Q4** This mixed number is the same as  $\frac{10}{4}$ .

A4 \_\_\_\_\_

 ${\bf Q5}\;$  This improper fraction is equivalent to 3.

A5 \_\_\_\_\_

**Q6** This mixed number comes directly after  $\frac{9}{3}$ .

A6 \_\_\_\_\_

**Q7** This improper fraction is equivalent to 4.

A7 \_\_\_\_\_

**Q8** This improper fraction is equivalent to 6.

A8

**Q9** This improper fraction is equivalent to  $2\frac{2}{3}$ .

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**Q10** This mixed number is one third less than  $\frac{8}{3}$ .

A10 \_\_\_\_\_