Elementary Math Monsters

Models for Multiplication and Fractions How to visualize multiplication: • Groups (plates of cookes) • Skip counting (jumps on a number line) • Rectangles (area) Cut card stock into playing-cardsized pieces. For each fact you want to practice, make a set or "book" of four cards. Use your cards to play Concentration or $3 \times 4 = 12$ Go Fish. 12 How to visualize fractions: ◆ Pizza slices Fraction strips • Parts of a group © 2007 Denise Gaskins www.letsplaymath.wordpress.com

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