



INDIAN SCHOOL NIZWA- WORKSHEET

Chapter 5 Number Play

Name:

Class :VIII Sec:

- A number has digital root 7. Which of the following can be its digital root after adding 9 to it?
A) 7 B) 4 C) 1 D) 9
- If a number leaves remainder 5 when divided by 12, then the number 10 more than it will leave remainder:
A) 5 B) 3 C) 7 D) 1
- Which of the following numbers has a digital root equal to its last digit?
A) 6289 B) 5038 C) 1247 D) None of the above
- If $52a7$ is divisible by 9, the value of a must be:
A) 3 B) 4 C) 5 D) 7
- Which of the following numbers is **NOT** divisible by 11?
A) 627 B) 143 C) 307 D) 935
- Assertion (A): If a number has a digital root of 7, then adding 9 to the number does not change its digital root.
Reason (R): Adding 9 to any number increases the sum of its digits by 9, which does not affect the digital root.
- Assertion (A): All multiples of 12 are divisible by 3.
Reason (R): The prime factorisation of 12 contains 3 as a factor.
- The digital root of a number is 8. What will be the digital root of
(i) the number + 1,
(ii) the number + 2?
Explain briefly.
- A number leaves remainder 1 when divided by 3, 2, and 5, but is divisible by 7. It is less than 100. Find it.
- The sum of three consecutive numbers is 48.
(i) Write the numbers as algebraic expressions.
(ii) Find the numbers.
- Two numbers each leave remainder 5 when divided by 8. Show that their sum always leaves remainder 2 when divided by 8. Give one numerical example to justify.
- Find all digits a and b for which the number $48ab3$ is divisible by 9. Show your working using the sum-of-digits test.

13. A teacher wrote several numbers that give remainder 3 when divided by 10. She claims: “When any two such numbers are added, the result always ends with digit 6.” Is this correct? Show using algebra and an example.
14. A number leaves remainder 1 when divided by 3, remainder 2 when divided by 4 and remainder 3 when divided by 5. Find the smallest such number. Explain the reasoning step by step.
15. A number leaves remainder 1 when divided by 2, remainder 2 when divided by 3, and remainder 3 when divided by 4. Find the smallest such number.
16. Find three consecutive numbers where
- the first is divisible by 3,
 - the second is divisible by 4,
 - the third is divisible by 5.
- Are there infinitely many such triples? Explain.
17. If $8(5a - 3) - 6(7a + 4)$ is divisible by 12 for all whole numbers a , show that this is true using algebra. State clearly what makes the expression always divisible by 12.
18. Write four 6-digit multiples of 15 between 300000 and 400000, AND show whether reversing their digits keeps them divisible by 6. Explain your reasoning.
19. If $4a26b$ is divisible by 9, find all possible pairs (a, b)
20. Leela claims:
- “Any number that is divisible by 6 will remain divisible by 6 when its digits are reversed.”
- Check whether the claim is always, sometimes, or never true, with examples and reasoning.
21. The middle number of five consecutive odd numbers is $7k - 1$. Express all five numbers in terms of k , and find their sum.
22. Case study based question:
- A teacher asked students to explore the divisibility of numbers formed by different digit patterns. Four students—Arjun, Neha, Riya, and Kabir—created numbers using specific rules:
- Arjun formed a 5-digit number where the sum of digits is 27.
 - Neha formed a 6-digit number that ends in 0 and is divisible by 9 and 10.
 - Riya formed a 4-digit number $72x4$ where the digit x is unknown.
 - Kabir formed a 6-digit number whose alternating sum of digits is 8.

Answer the following:

(a) For Arjun’s number, explain whether the number can be divisible by 18.

(Use divisibility rules.)

(b) Neha’s number is divisible by 9 and 10. State two conditions it must satisfy.

(c) For Riya’s number $72x4$, determine all possible values of x such that the number is divisible by 4 and 3.

(d) Kabir's number has an alternating sum of 8. Is his number divisible by 11? Explain.

23. Case study based question:

A group of students explored divisibility using remainders and modular thinking.

They examined these statements:

- A number leaves remainder 7 when divided by 15.
- Another number leaves remainder 5 when divided by 20.
- A third number of the form $48a23b$ must be divisible by 18.
- They also looked for a 6-digit number divisible by 12, whose reverse is divisible by 9.

Answer the following:

(a) A number leaves remainder 7 when divided by 15. What remainder will it leave when divided by 3? Explain.

(b) A number leaves remainder 5 when divided by 20. Can it be divisible by 5? Justify your answer.

(c) For the number $48a23b$ to be divisible by 18, list the conditions needed for digits a and b , and find all possible pairs (a,b) .

(d) A 6-digit number is divisible by 12, and its reversed number is divisible by 9. State the conditions each number must satisfy and give one possible example.

24. Revision:

- Add: 23.45, 7.608, 0.75, and 9.003
- If $345.6 \div 24 = 14.4$, then find the value of $3456 \div 0.24$.
- Divide: $6\frac{2}{3} \div 3\frac{3}{4}$
- Multiply: 18.25×4.08
- Simplify: $(-2)/9 \times 3/(-6) \times (-18)/5$
- Subtract: $(-5)/12$ from $7/8$
- Find the LCM of 20, 36 and 48
- Find: $(-72) \div (-9) \times (-15) + 40$
- Find: $30 \times (-8) \times (-5) \times (-3)$