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Question 1	Solution
Michael's football team plays for a total of 70 minutes.	To calculate the length of each half of football, divide the total length of the game by 2.
How long is each half?	$70 \div 2 = 35$
Question 2 Joanne has 86 birds. How many would she have if she sold half of them?	Solution To calculate the number of birds left after Joanne sold half of them, divide the total number of birds by 2. $86 \div 2 = 43$
Question 3	Solution
John and Jack have 92 flowers.	To calculate the number of flowers John and Jack each will get, divide the total number of flowers by 2.
If they share them equally, what will they each get?	$92 \div 2 = 46$
Question 4 The bowling club has 48 members. There are the same number of men and women. How many women are there?	Solution To calculate the number of women in the bowling club, divide the total number of members by 2. $48 \div 2 = 24$
Question 5	Solution
Sammy grew 76 carrots.	To calculate the number of carrots Sammy will have left, divide the total number of carrots by 2.
If he gives half to his brother Tony, how many carrots will he have left?	$76 \div 2 = 38$
Question 6	Solution
We were playing a 70 minute game of basketball.	To calculate the length of time for half of the game of basketball, divide the total length of time by 2.
When we stopped for half time, how long had we been playing?	$70 \div 2 = 35$
Question 7	Solution
88 bricks are used to make two identical pyramids.	To calculate the number of bricks in one pyramid, divide the total number of bricks by 2.
How many bricks in one pyramid?	$88 \div 2 = 44$
Question 8 George was half way through making a model car. It is made up of 94 pieces. How many pieces has George left to go?	Solution To calculate the number of pieces George has left to go, divide the total number of pieces by 2. $94 \div 2 = 47$
Question 9	Solution
52 cupcakes are made for a school fete.	To calculate the number of cakes left, divide the total number of cakes by 2.
If half of the cupcakes are sold, how many are left?	$52 \div 2 = 26$
Question 10	Solution
Jim has got 38 sweets.	To calculate the number of sweets Rodney will get, divide the total number of sweets by
He gives half to Rodney and half to Julie.	2.
How many sweets will Rodney get?	38 ÷ 2 = 19