# Unit 1a-Understanding Multiplication And Division of Whole Numbers 

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## Essential Questions

- What are different meanings of multiplication and division?


## Big Ideas

- Equal Groups: Students interpret multiplication and division as equal groups.
- Skip Counting: Students use skip counting to generate lists of multiples involving the multiplication facts with 2,5 , and 9 .
- Diagrams: Students will use bar diagrams to represent both multiplication and division situations.
- Patterns and Properties: Students will use patterns in multiplication.


## Technology Integration

8.1.5.AP.4: Break down problems into smaller, manageable

Activity:
Students will use technology and create a graph

## Enduring Understandings

## Operations and Algebraic Thinking

3.OA.A [M] Represent and solve problems involving multiplication and division
3.OA.A. 1 Interpret products of whole numbers, e.g., interpret $5 \times 7$ as the total number of objects in 5 groups of 7 objects each.For example,describe and/or represent a context in which a total number of objects
can be expressed as $5 \times 7$.
3.OA.A. 2 Interpret whole number quotients of whole numbers, e.g., interpret $56 \div 8$ as the number of objects in each share when 56 objects are partitioned equally into 8 shares, or as a number of shares when 56 objects are partitioned into equal shares of 8 objects each. For example,describe and/or represent a context in which a number of shares or a number of groups can be expressed as $56 \div 8$.
3.OA.A. 3 Use multiplication and division within 100 to solve word problems in situations involving equal groups, arrays, and measurement quantities, e.g., by using drawings and equations with a symbol for the unknown number to represent the problem.
3.OA.B.5 Apply properties of operations as strategies to multiply and divide.

Examples: If $6 \times 4=24$ is known, then $4 \times 6=24$ is also known. (Commutative property of multiplication.) 3 $\times 5 \times 2$ can be found by $3 \times 5=15$, then $15 \times 2=30$, or by $5 \times 2=10$, then $3 \times 10=30$. (Associative property of multiplication.) Knowing that $8 \times 5=40$ and $8 \times 2=16$, one can find $8 \times 7$ as $8 \times(5+2)=(8 \times 5)+(8 \times 2)$ $=40+16=56$. (Distributive property.)
3.OA.D. 9 Identify arithmetic patterns (including patterns in the addition table or multiplication table), and explain them using properties of operations.For example, observe that 4 times a number is always even, and explain why 4 times a number can be decomposed into two equal addends.

## Mathematical Practices Focus

5. Use appropriate tools strategically.
