## Compare and order (numerator)

I Use strips of paper to represent the fractions.
Complete the sentences for each set.

The smallest fraction is


The greatest fraction is

a) $\frac{1}{3}, \frac{1}{5}$ and $\frac{1}{6}$
b) $\frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{5}$ and $\frac{2}{6}$
c) $\frac{3}{3}, \frac{3}{5}$ and $\frac{3}{6}$
d) What do you notice about your answers?
e) Complete the sentence.

When the $\qquad$ are the same, the $\qquad$
the denominator, the $\qquad$ the fraction.
(2) a) Colour the bar models to compare $\frac{3}{4}$ and $\frac{6}{10}$

b) Use <, > or = to compare the fractions.
(3) Which is the greatest fraction?

| $\frac{3}{100}$ | $\frac{3}{1000}$ | $\frac{3}{500}$ |
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How do you know?
(6)

Scott scored 20 out of 24 in a game.
Dani scored 5 out of 7
Compare their scores.
Explain who you think did best and why.
4. Write $<$ or $>$ to compare the fractions.
a)

c)
$\frac{3}{13} \bigcirc \frac{3}{8}$
e)

b)
 $\frac{4}{7}$
d)
 $\frac{11}{11}$
f)
 $\frac{107}{40}$

Explain how can you compare $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{4}{5}$ using the same numerator rule.

$\frac{12}{5}$

(7) Write $<,>$ or $=$ to complete each statement.
a)

$1 \frac{1}{3}$

b) $\frac{2}{5} \bigcirc \frac{6}{11}$
$3 \frac{2}{5} \bigcirc 3 \frac{6}{11}$

c) $3 \frac{2}{3} \bigcirc \frac{11}{4}$


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11 \frac{1}{9} \bigcirc \frac{100}{8}
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27 \frac{3}{4} \bigcirc \frac{111}{3}
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Complete the sentence to compare $\frac{2}{3}$ and $\frac{4}{5}$


6 Scott scored 20 out of 24 in a game.
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Compare their scores.
Explain who you think did best and why.

8 Explain how you know when it is best to compare the numerators or denominators of two fractions.

