



Fractions & Decimals: Tips

- **Know the difference between a fraction and a decimal.**
 - As crazy as it may seem, some people forget the difference between fractions and decimals and get the rules for solving them confused.
 - **Fraction: part/whole**
 - **Decimal: has a dot (d for dot)**
- **Try to become proficient in finding equivalent fractions.**
 - The number 1 mistake in solving fractional equations is that people find the wrong equivalent fraction.
 - **Practice this the most** and you will be set for life with fractions!
- **Try to memorize the rules for solving fractions and decimals.**
 - **Be able to not look at a note sheet to remember how to perform a certain operation** on a fraction or decimal. It will just take a couple of minutes to memorize and help you out for many years to come.