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Class VI SUBJECT:-MATHEMATICS

CHAPTER:-PLAYING WITH NUMBERS

PART-2

TOPIC:- TEST FOR DIVISIBILITY OF NUMBERS

GUIDELINES:

Dear Students

Kindly refer to the following notes/video links from the Chapter- "PLAYING WITH NUMBERS" SUB TOPIC- " TESTS FOR DIVISIBILITY OF NUMBERS- PART-2" and thereafter do the questions in your math notebook.

***ONLY NCERT QUESTIONS TO BE DONE IN NOTEBOOK.**

LINK FOR THE CHAPTER:- <http://ncert.nic.in/textbook/textbook.htm?femh1=3-14>

INTRODUCTION:

Divisibility rules of whole numbers help us to quickly determine if a number can be divided by 2, 3, 4, 5, 9, and 10 without doing a long division.

NOTE: "Divisible by" and "can be exactly divided by" mean the same thing

SUB TOPICS

- **DIVISIBILITY BY 3**
- **DIVISIBILITY BY 9**
- **DIVISIBILITY BY 6**
- **DIVISIBILITY BY 11**

KEY POINTS

Divisibility by 3 (Refer to the link- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xk1W_WnheRc ; watch the video from 0:00 to 3:45 and 11:55 till the end)

If the sum of the digits of any number is divisible by 3 then that number is divisible by 3.

Example: 429 ;

$$4 + 2 + 9 = 15 ;$$

$$15 \div 3 = 5$$

Therefore, 429 is divisible by 3.

Divisibility by 9 (Refer to the link- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cSDSwS22j0M> ; watch the video from 0:00 to 2:21)

A number is divisible by 9 if the sum of its digits is divisible by 9.

Example: 42,471.

$4 + 2 + 4 + 7 + 1 = 18$ is divisible by 9.

Therefore, 42,471 is divisible by 9.

Divisibility by 6 (Refer to the link- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=O_LYsWaGJCg)

If a number is divisible by 2 and 3, then that number is divisible by 6.

Example: 246.

It is divisible by 2 as it ends with 6.

Now, $2 + 4 + 6 = 12$.

12 is divisible by 3,

So 246 is divisible by 3 also.

This shows that 246 is divisible by 2 and 3.

Therefore, 246 is divisible by 6.

Divisibility by 11 (Refer to the link- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I_kAuCsbltg ; watch the video from 0:00 to 5:38)

The difference of the sum of the numbers in even positions and the sum of the numbers in the odd positions is either 0 or divisible by 11.

Example 1: 9724

Sum of digits at even place : $9 + 2 = 11$

Sum of digits at odd place : $7 + 4 = 11$.

Difference between the two sums is 0.

Therefore, 9724 is divisible by 11.

Question:

What is the missing digit which makes the number 347_ exactly divisible by 11?

We know the divisibility rule for 11:

If the difference of the sum of its digits at odd places and sum of its digits at even places is either 0 or a number divisible by 11.

3476:

Sum of the odd places = $3+7=10$

Sum of the even places = $4+6=10$

Difference = Sum of the odd places – Sum of the even places

Difference = $10-10=0$

So, 3476 is divisible by 11.

Therefore, 6 is the missing digit.

Refer to the link for solved question-divisibility test for all the numbers:

[https://www.examfear.com/free-video-lesson/Class-6/Maths/Playing-With-Numbers/part-23/Maths Playing With Numbers part 23 \(Questions: Divisibility test\) CBSE Class 6.htm](https://www.examfear.com/free-video-lesson/Class-6/Maths/Playing-With-Numbers/part-23/Maths%20Playing%20With%20Numbers%20part%2023%20(Questions%3A%20Divisibility%20test)%20CBSE%20Class%206.htm)

POINTS TO REMEMBER-

DIVISIBILITY RULES

3 If the sum of all the digits in a number is divisible by 3, then the number is divisible by 3.

9 If the sum of all the digits in a number is divisible by 9, then the number is divisible by 9.

6 If the number is divisible by 2 and 3

11 Subtract the last digit from the number formed by the remaining digits. If new number is divisible by 11, the original number is divisible by 11

ASSIGNMENT

(From NCERT DO EX3.3; Q1- Divisibility test for 3,9,6,11 AND Q3 (part f to j) , Q4 (part a to d), Q5, Q6 -- TO BE DONE IN MATHS NOTEBOOK)

PRACTISE QUESTIONS

(To be done in practice notebook)

Q1. Is 9 a factor of the following?

(i) 394683

(ii) 1872546

(iii) 5172354

Q2.Fill in the smallest digit to make the number divisible by:

(i) by 5 : 7164__, 32197__

(ii) by 3 : 1__43, 47__05, __316.

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