(b) Fractions

Fill in the guided notes as you watch the video in the Digital Toolbox.

	must have the same _	 in order to add or
subtract them.		

■ Write mixed numbers as improper fractions _____ multiplying or dividing.

It is helpful to rewrite all mixed numbers as improper fractions before performing any operations.

- Fractions do not need to be written as mixed numbers, but they do need to be ______.
- When directions say _______, calculate the value by performing the given operation on the fraction and then write it in simplest form.
- Simplest form means that the ______ of the numerator and denominator is _____ .

Example 1

Complete the example as you watch the video in the Digital Toolbox.

Evaluate.

$$2\frac{4}{7} - \left(-\frac{2}{3}\right)$$

Implement

Explain

Rewrite the mixed number as an improper fraction Simplify the double negative and find the ${\it LCD}$

Write fractions with the LCD

Add the numerators

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Example 2

Complete the example as you watch the video in the Digital Toolbox.

Evaluate.

$$-3\frac{1}{5} \div \left(1\frac{1}{3}\right)$$

Implement

Explain

Rewrite mixed fractions as improper fractions

Take the reciprocal of the fraction after the division symbol Simplify fractions

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Practice

Evaluate. Show your work. Answers do not need to be written as mixed numbers.

1)
$$-4\frac{2}{3} - \left(-\frac{4}{5}\right)$$

2)
$$3\frac{3}{4} \cdot 2\frac{2}{13}$$

3)
$$\frac{7}{12} - \frac{1}{3}$$

4)
$$\frac{9}{10} \div 1\frac{1}{2}$$

$$2\frac{3}{4} - \frac{5}{6}$$

6)
$$-3\frac{2}{5} \div 1\frac{2}{7}$$

Evaluate. Show your work. Answers do not need to be written as mixed numbers.

7)
$$\frac{3}{4} \cdot 2\frac{2}{9}$$

8)
$$-\frac{2}{5} - 5\frac{1}{3}$$

9)
$$\frac{5}{9} - \frac{5}{6}$$

10)
$$\frac{8}{21} \div \frac{9}{14}$$

11)
$$2\frac{2}{5} \cdot \frac{9}{16}$$

12)
$$4\frac{2}{3} - 1\frac{1}{8}$$