# $4^{\text {th }}$ Grade Unit 4: Investigating Fractions and Decimals 



## Overview:

In this unit, students will be expected to explore the relationship between fractions and decimals to solve real-life, mathematical problems. It is important for students to reason mathematically and understand the quantities when engaging in computation with fractions. Time will be spent helping students develop a conceptual understanding of fractions and build solid fractional reasoning to support a rich understanding for future topics. In this unit, students will be building on partitioning to compare fractions less than 1 , add and subtract fractions with like denominators, measure to the nearest $\frac{1}{8}$ of an inch, and read, write, represent, and compare decimal fractions.

## Learning Targets:

In Unit 4, students will:

- work with unit fractions, understanding that all fractions can be composed from and decomposed into unit fractions.
- explore the addition and subtraction of fractions and mixed numbers with like denominators as well as fractions with a denominator of 10 to a fraction with a denominator of 100 .
- recognize that fractions with denominators of 10 and 100 can be written as decimal fractions.
- order and compare decimals fractions to the hundredth.

Key Vocabulary: (linked to GA DOE Interactive Glossary)

| Common Fraction | Denominator | Decimal | Equivalent Fractions | Hundredth |
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| Equivalent Fractions | Hundredths | Equivalent Sets | Numerator | Tenth |
| Term | Unit Fraction | Whole |  |  |

## Supporting Resources:

http://ctlslearn.cobbkl2.org/
https://gavirtual.instructure.com/courses/34725\#modules
Decomposing Fractions
Equivalent Fractions on a Number Line

## Decomposing/Adding Fractions

Relating Tenths and Hundredths
Decimal and Fraction Equivalents Game
Fractions \& Decimals - GeoGebra

