

# Comparing Fractions

Answer Key

Compare each pair of fractions using  $>$ ,  $<$ , or  $=$ .

$$1) \quad \frac{4}{3} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{7}{3}$$

$$2) \quad \frac{1}{12} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{1}{12}$$

$$3) \quad \frac{6}{4} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{2}{4}$$

$$4) \quad \frac{3}{6} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{5}{6}$$

$$5) \quad \frac{9}{8} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{9}{8}$$

$$6) \quad \frac{12}{5} \quad \bigcirc \quad \frac{8}{5}$$

7) Alex ran  $\frac{5}{9}$  of a marathon, while his sister ran  $\frac{2}{9}$  of the same marathon.

Who ran a lesser portion of the marathon?

**As  $\frac{5}{9} > \frac{2}{9}$ , Alex's sister ran a lesser portion of the marathon.**

8) Lance completed  $\frac{3}{8}$  of the homework assignment, and Mandy finished  $\frac{1}{8}$  of the same assignment. Who completed more of their homework?

**As  $\frac{3}{8} > \frac{1}{8}$ , Lance completed more of the assignment.**