Dividing in a Ratio Worded Problems

- (a) Yusuf and Zohra have earned £50 in a bake sale. They want to share the money in the ratio 2:3. How much money does each person receive?
- (b) Tina has a bag of 42 sweets. The sweets are either orange or pear flavour and the ratio of orange to pear sweets is 5:2. Find the number of orange sweets and the number of pear sweets in the bag.
- (a) There are 30 students in a class. The ratio of boys to girls is 3:7. Find the number of boys and the number of girls in the class.
- (b) Concrete is made by mixing cement and sand in the ratio 9:4. How many kilograms of cement and sand are needed to make 65 kg of concrete?
- (a) A drawer contains knives, forks and spoons in the ratio 4:2:3. There are 72 items of cutlery in total. Find the number of knives, forks and spoons in the drawer.
- (b) Doggy daycare has 60 dogs. There are small, medium and large dogs in the ratio 5:3:4. Work out how many of each size of dog there are.
- (a) A tennis club has 130 members that are either adults or children. Monthly membership fees are £12 for adults and £5 for children. If the ratio of adults to children is 10:3, work out the total amount earned in membership fees per month.
- (b) Ollie has a jar that contains 5 pence and 10 pence coins. There are 195 coins in the jar. If the ratio of 5 pence coins to 10 pence coins is 6:7, what is the value of all the money in the jar?

- (a) Yusuf E20 Zohra E30
- (b) Orange 30 Pear 12
- (a) Boys 9 Grys 21
- (b) Cement 45kg Sand 20kg
- (a) Knives 32 Forks 16 Spoons 24
- (b) Small 25 Medium 15 Large 20
- (a) Adults 100 × E12 Children 30 × E5 Total = E1350
- (b) 5 perce 90 × 5 = 450 10 perce 105 × 10 = 1050 Total 1500 p or £15