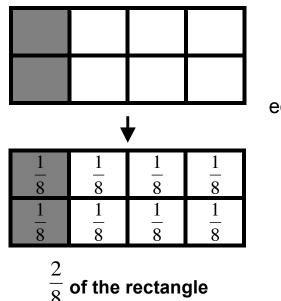
EQUIVALENT FRACTIONS

Equivalent fractions are fractions that have the same value or represent the same part of a particular whole.

This rectangle is split into 8 equalsized sections, called "eighths."

The rectangle is divided into 4 equalsized sections, called "fourths."



are shaded

Look closely – you can see those eighths can be grouped into four equal sized-sections.

> One of the four sections is shaded.

 $\overline{4}$ of the rectangle is shaded

 $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{1}{8}$ 4 4 Each fourth is made up of two eighths so

8

2 8 4

8

EQUIVALENT FRACTIONS: ANOTHER LOOK

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