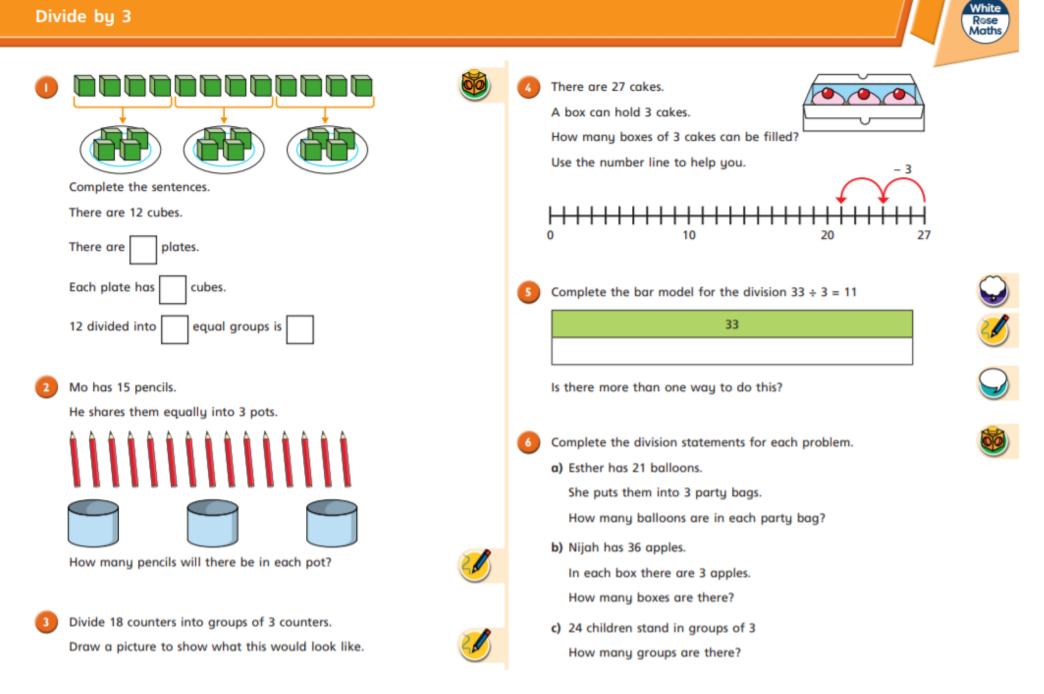
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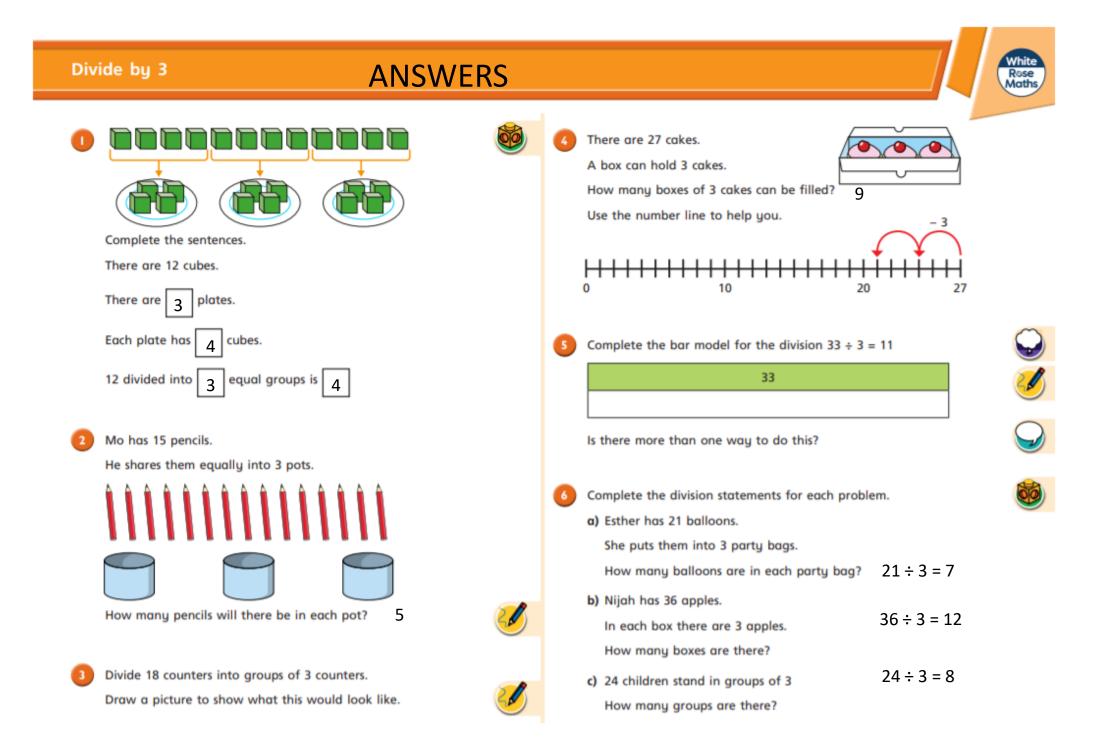


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This statement is correct because you will have 3 groups. One group will have 1 more than the middle group and the one group will have 1 less than the middle group.

If you move one block from the greatest group to the lowest group you will create 3 equal groups.