Rockingham Remainders

Building Fluency: division with remainders

Materials: a die, a game marker and score sheet per player

Number of Players: 2-4

Directions:

- 1. The first player rolls the cube, then chooses a number to cover.
- 2. They then divide the covered number by the number rolled.
- 3. The remainder is his or her score.
- 4. The winner is the first player to score at least 20 points.

Variation/Extension: Students write context for their equations and explain the meaning of the remainder.

Example: Jim had 52 pieces of gum to share among he and his four finds? How many pieces of gum did they each get? The remainder of 2 represents the 2 pieces of gum left over after 52 pieces were shared equally among 5 people.

