

CAMOGIE CLUB PLAYERS

- 1 Read the story: a camogie club has 6 teams and every team has 4 players. How many players are there?
- 2 Underline the action words 'every team has' — these show equal groups.
- 3 Equal groups means we multiply, so the number sentence is $6 \times 4 = ?$
- 4 Work it out: 6 groups of 4 make **24** players in total.

WARM-UP

Use the blank bar models to show each story's operation.

1. Draw a bar model that shows $35 + 28$ for the hurling points

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2. Draw a bar model that shows 5 groups of 8 for the camogie players

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3. Draw a bar model that shows $30 - 12$ for the players who are left

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PRACTICE

- 1 Saoirse gathers **26** sliotars and finds **17** more. How many sliotars does she have altogether?

SPOT THE MISTAKE

Aoife reads: 'A camogie club has 6 teams of 4 players. How many players in all?' She works it out like this:

$$6 + 4 = 10$$

So there are 10 players.

Aoife chose the wrong operation. What should she do, and what is the correct answer?

Explain _____ Answer

REFLECT

Which words in a story help you choose add, take away, times or share?