

Workstation 3

Materials:

- **Sharing Candy Straws**
- **Candy Straws**
- Cuisenaire® Rods
- Scissors

Prompt students to complete **Sharing Candy Straws**.

Debrief:

- What is the name of each part when you share equally between two people? Four people? Eight people?
- How can you prove these are halves? Fourths? Eighths?
- How many halves did it take to make the whole? Fourths? Eighths?

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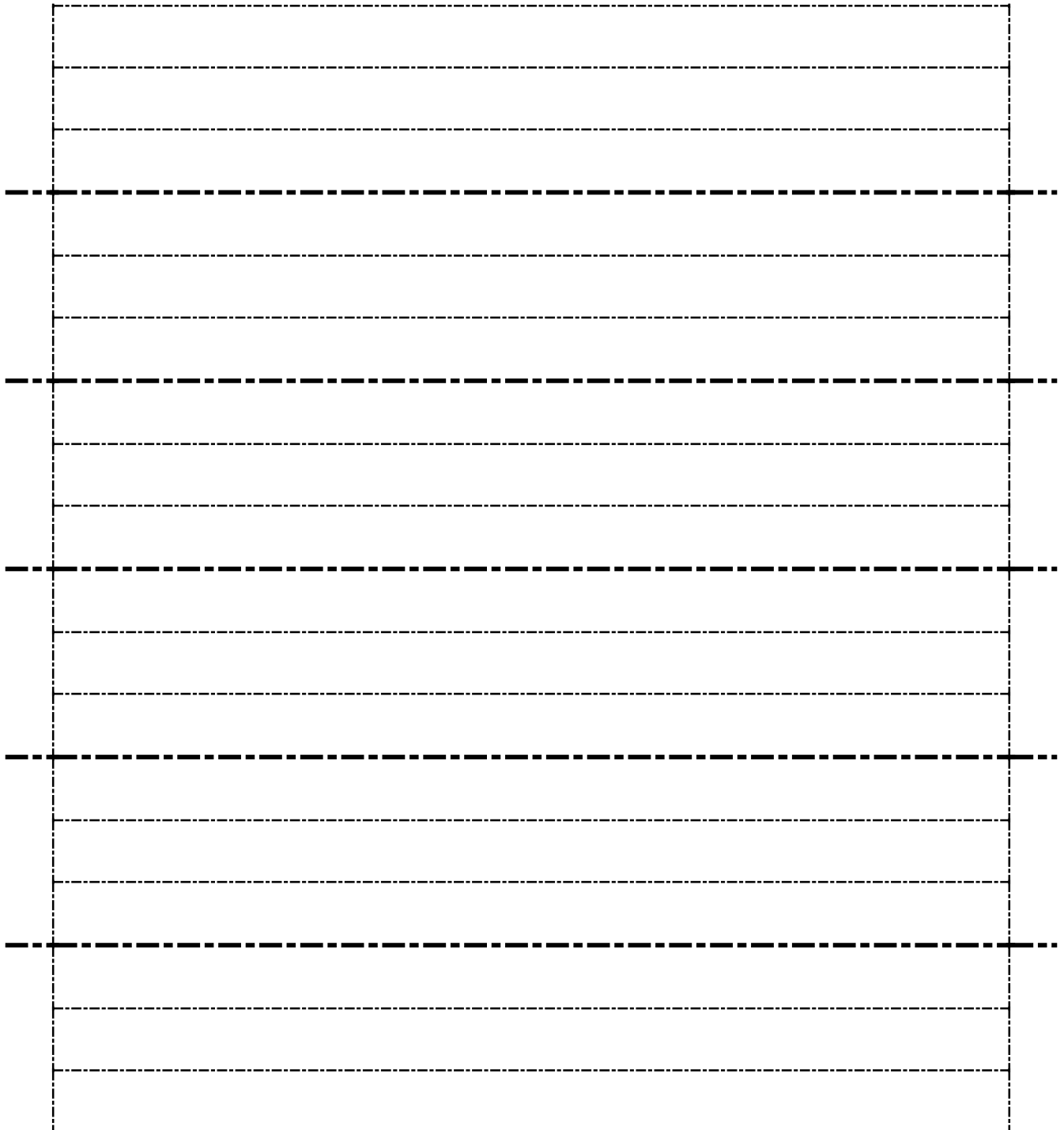
Sharing Candy Straws

- One strip of paper represents one candy straw.
- Use the rods to show how you can share one candy straw equally between two people.
- Label each share of the candy straw with its size.
- Use your representation of a candy straw to complete the "Sharing with Two People" section of the table.
- Repeat by sharing a candy straw equally among four people, then eight people.

	What is the size of one share called?	Complete the statement
Sharing with Two People	one-_____	The size is "one-_____." It takes exactly _____ one-_____ to make the whole.
Sharing with Four People	one-_____	The size is "one-_____." It takes exactly _____ one-_____ to make the whole.
Sharing with Eight People	one-_____	The size is "one-_____." It takes exactly _____ one-_____ to make the whole.

Candy Straws

Cut along the dotted lines. Six sets of candy straws are provided.



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