

Name _____

Kitchen Estimates Answer Key

1. 0 cup
2. $\frac{1}{2}$ cup
3. 1 cup
4. 0 cup
5. $\frac{1}{2}$ cup
6. 1 cup
7. $\frac{1}{2}$ cup
8. $\frac{1}{2}$ cup

Teacher's Guide

- Quick implementation: Review 0, $\frac{1}{2}$, and 1 as benchmarks. Have students focus on the fraction first, then record the estimated recipe measurement.
- Differentiation: For support, provide a number line from 0 to 1 with $\frac{1}{2}$ marked. For a challenge, have students explain why two selected measurements are closer to one benchmark than the others.
- Engagement: Tell students they are kitchen helpers making quick estimates before cooking. Afterward, have them identify which recipes use about 1 whole unit.
- Extension: Ask students to invent three recipe measurements, with one rounding to 0, one to $\frac{1}{2}$, and one to 1.