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**Instructions:** Model equivalent fractions for  $\frac{1}{2}$  by using a sheet of paper and following the following steps below.

### Step #1

Fold the sheet of paper into two equal parts, open the paper and count the parts.

Then, write  $\frac{1}{2}$  on each part. Students will fill out the statement:

There are \_\_\_\_\_ equal parts. Each part is \_\_\_\_\_ of the paper.

### Step #2

Fold the paper in half **two (2)** times. Open the paper and complete the statement.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ equal parts. Each part is \_\_\_\_\_ of the paper.

Students will write  $\frac{1}{4}$  on each of the fourths. Students will look at  $\frac{1}{2}$  parts and the  $\frac{1}{4}$  parts and complete the equivalent fraction.  $\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$

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### Step #3

Fold the paper in half **three (3)** times and complete the statement.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ equal parts. Each part is \_\_\_\_\_ of the paper.

List the fractions that are equivalent to  $\frac{1}{2}$  on your paper are:

\_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ are equivalent to  $\frac{1}{2}$

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