**Adding/Subtracting Fractions**

1. Find common denominator
   1. First common **multiples**
   2. One is a **factor** of another
   3. **Product** of the denominators
2. Rename the fractions (Equivalent Fractions)
   1. What multiplier is used for common denominator?
   2. Use the same multiplier for the numerator
   3. Rule: treat the top and the bottom the same!
3. Add or subtract the fraction
   1. Add/subtract numerators
   2. Common denominators are the same in the answer
   3. Simplify if possible