

THE VILLAGE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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3. Compute $\frac{8!}{6! \times 2!}$
4. Express the following in factorial notation. (i) $6 \times 7 \times 8 \times 9$
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(ii) repetition of the digits is not allowed?
6. How many 3-digit even numbers can be formed from the digits 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 if the digits can be repeated?
7. How many 4-letter code can be formed using the first 10 letters of the English alphabet, if no letter can be repeated?
8. How many 5-digit telephone numbers can be constructed using the digits 0 to 9 if each number starts with 67 and no digit appears more than once?
9. Find the value of n such that ${}^n P_4 = 20 {}^n P_2$, $n > 3$
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