

Practice: Free Throws—Who Is the Best?

Three men were practicing free throws.

- Tom hit 16 of 25 of his shots.
- Jerome got 18 of 40 of his shots.
- Kayem made 15 out of 20 of his shots.



1. Who is the best free-throw shooter? Jerome says he is because he sank the most shots. Tom says he is because he got more than Kayem but missed less than Jerome. What do you say?

2. Explain how you arrived at your decision.