Adding Unlike Fractions

If the denominators are different, find the LCM in order to have the lowest common denominator (LCD).	$\dfrac{3}{7}$ $+\ \dfrac{2}{5}$
	5 - 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35, 40 7 - 7, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42
2) Multiply both sides of the fraction by a number that is a FACTOR of the LCM	$\dfrac{3}{7}$ $\dfrac{2}{5}$
3) Add the numerators Don't forget the denominators ALWAYS stay the same!!!!!	$\dfrac{3}{7}$ $\dfrac{2}{5}$
4) Check to see if the fraction can be reduced or simplified (So, find the GCF)	
$\dfrac{1}{2}$ $+\ \dfrac{1}{4}$	$\dfrac{1}{5}$ $+\ \dfrac{2}{3}$