

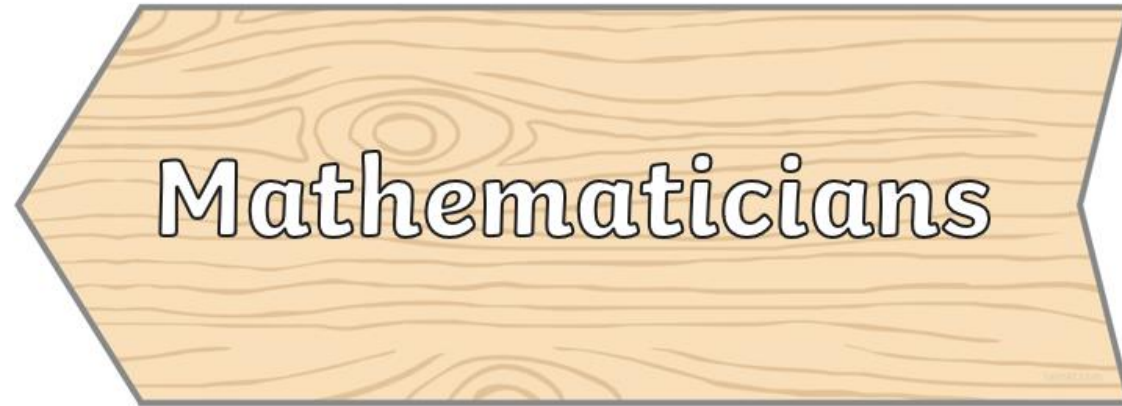


Multiplication Tables Check Parent Workshop

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In this classroom we are...





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WHAT ARE WE GOING TO COVER?



- *What is the MTC?*
- *MTC key facts.*
- *Preparing pupils for the MTC.*
- *Q & A time.*



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INTRODUCTION



- *The Multiplication Tables Check (MTC) needn't be daunting!*
- *For many pupils, it's a fantastic opportunity for pupils to show off their fluency with their tables, which they've been practicing for years.*



WHAT IS THE MTC?

- The MTC stands for Multiplication Tables Check.
- Set by the government, the MTC is an on-screen assessment designed to determine whether pupils are able to fluently recall their multiplication tables up to 12, through a set of timed questions.

MTC KEY FACTS.



- There is a 2-week check window starting 3rd June 2024 during which schools must complete the MTC with pupils in Year 4.



- Pupils will have 3 practice questions before the check begins.

MTC KEY FACTS



- The MTC will ask the pupils 25 random multiplication questions- they will not be asked division questions.
- Pupils will have 6 seconds to read the question, understand it, and enter a response. They will then receive a 3 second pause before the next question is shown.



MTC KEY FACTS.

Multiplication Table	Minimum number of items in each form	Maximum number of items in each form
1	Not applicable	Not applicable
2	0	2
3	1	3
4	1	3
5	1	3
6	2	4
7	2	4
8	2	4
9	2	4
10	0	2
11	1	3
12	2	4

This table shows the upper and lower limits for the number of items from each multiplication table that can be included in each check form.

There is an emphasis on the 6, 7, 8, 9 and 12 multiplication tables because these have been determined to be the most difficult multiplication tables.

MTC KEY FACTS.



- Schools can decide whether the pupils take the test on a tablet or a computer, but there is no option to complete the test on paper.
- Teachers will have the flexibility to administer the check to individual pupils, small groups or a whole class at the same time.
- There is no pass mark for the MTC.



MTC RESULTS

- ⚡ After the MTC window closes, schools will be able to compare their school average, with their Local Authority and National average.
- + Guidance can be found on the government website: The parent guide is printed out for you today.
- Your child's results will be shared with you in their end of year report.

PREPARING PUPILS : SCHOOL



- *We might be spending a bit more time practising our times tables in class.*
- *Children might be set more times tables specific homework.*
- *Children will have the opportunity to complete a practice check before the real check.*



PREPARING PUPILS : OUT OF SCHOOL



- Regular verbal times tables practice.
- Download the TTRS free app on to a home device.
- Play Times Tables Rock Stars 3 minutes a day.
- Regular practice using number touch pad.
- Useful websites sheet.





Any questions?

