Key Instant Recall Facts

Year 6 - Autumn 1



I know the multiplication and division facts for all times tables up to 12 × 12 .

By the end of this half term, children should know the following facts. The aim is for them to recall these facts instantly.

Please see separate sheet for all times table facts.

This is a chance for Year 6 children to consolidate their knowledge of multiplication and division facts and to increase their speed of recall.

Key Vocabulary

What is 12 multiplied by 6? What is 7 times 8?

What is 84 divided by 7?

They should be able to answer these questions in any order, including missing number questions e.g. 7 × ⃝ = 28 or ⃝ ÷ 6 = 7.

Children who have already mastered their times tables should apply this knowledge to answer questions including decimals e.g. 0.7 × ⃝ = 4͘2 or ⃝ ÷ 60 = 0.7

Top Tips

The secret to success is practising little and often. Use time wisely. Can you practise these KIRFs while walking to school or during a car journey? You don’t need to practise them all at once: perhaps you could have a fact family of the day. If you would like more ideas, please speak to your child’s teacher͘

Speed Challenge - Take two packs of playing cards and remove the kings. Turn over two

cards and ask your child to multiply the numbers together (Ace = 1, Jack = 11, Queen = 12). How many questions can they answer correctly in 2 minutes? Practise regularly and see if they can beat their high score.

Online games - There are many games online which can help children practise their
multiplication and division facts. [www.conkermaths.org](http://www.conkermaths.org/) is a good place to start.

Use memory tricks - For those hard-to-remember facts, [www.multiplication.com](http://www.multiplication.com/) has some
strange picture stories to help children remember.

