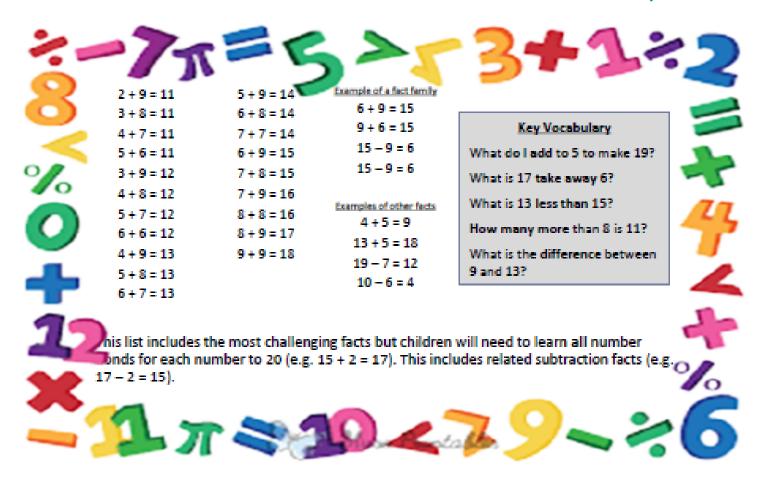


### I know number bonds for all numbers to 20

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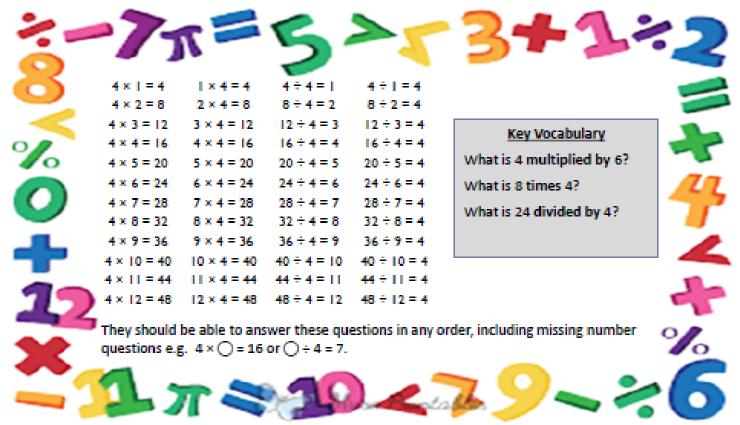
**Buy one get three free** - If your child knows one fact (e.g. 8 + 5 = 13), can they tell you the other three facts in the same fact family? **Use doubles and near doubles** - If you know that 6 + 6 = 12, how can you work out 6 + 7? What about 5 + 7?

**Play games – There** are missing number questions at www.conkermaths.com . See how many questions you can answer in just one minute.



I know the multiplication and division facts for the 4 times table

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**What do you already know? –** Your child will already know many of these facts from the 2, 3, 5 and 10 times tables.

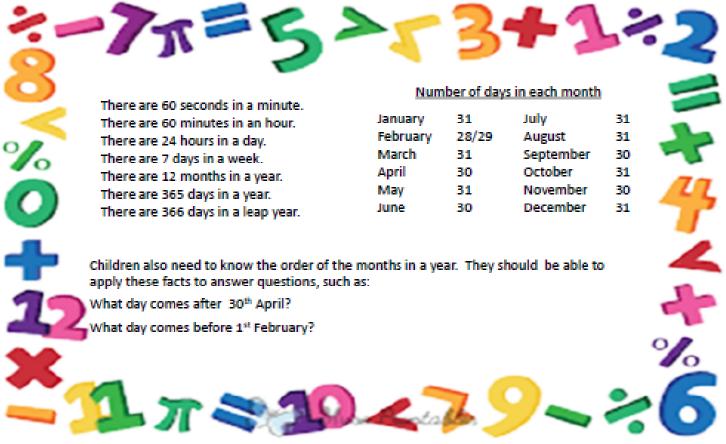
**Double and double again** – Multiplying a number by 4 is the same as doubling and doubling again. Double 6 is 12 and double 12 is 24, so  $6 \times 4 = 24$ .

**Buy one get three free** – If your child knows one fact (e.g.  $12 \times 4 = 48$ ), can they tell you the other three facts in the same fact family?



#### I can recall facts about durations of time

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**Use rhymes and memory games** – The rhyme, Thirty days hath September, can help children remember which months have 30 days. There are poems describing the months of the year in order.

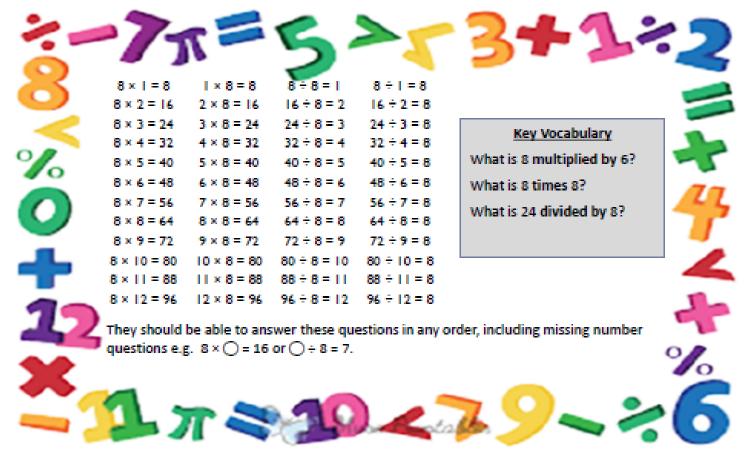
**Use calendars** – If you have a calendar for the new year, your child could be responsible for recording the birthdays of friends and family members in it. Your child could even make their own calendar.

**How long is a minute? –** Ask your child to sit with their eyes closed for exactly one minute while you time them. Can they guess the length of a minute? Carry out different activities for one minute. How many times can they jump in sixty seconds?



## I know the multiplication and division facts for the 8 times table

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**Songs and Chants –** You can buy Times Tables CDs or find multiplication songs and chants online. If your child creates their own song, this can make the times tables even more memorable.

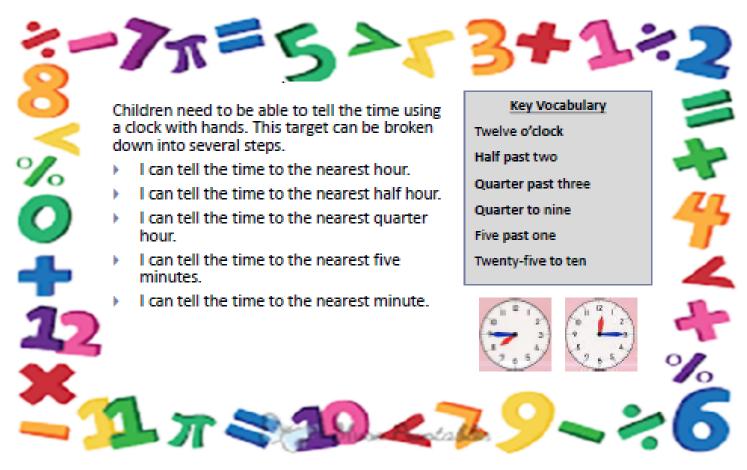
**Double your fours –** Multiplying a number by 8 is the same as multiply by 4 and then doubling the answer.  $8 \times 4 = 32$  and double 32 is 64, so  $8 \times 8 = 64$ . **Five six seven eight –** fifty-six is seven times eight (56 = 7 × 8).

**Use memory tricks** – For those hard-to-remember facts, www.multiplication.com has some strange picture stories to help children remember.



## I can tell the time to 5 mins, half and quarter past

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**Talk about time -** Discuss what time things happen. When does your child wake up? What time do they eat breakfast? Make sure that you have an analogue clock visible in your house or that your child wears a watch with hands. Once your child is confident telling the time, see if you can find more challenging clocks e.g. with Roman numerals or no numbers marked.

**Ask your child the time regularly –** You could also give your child some responsibility for watching the clock :

"The cakes need to come out of the oven at twenty-two minutes past four exactly."

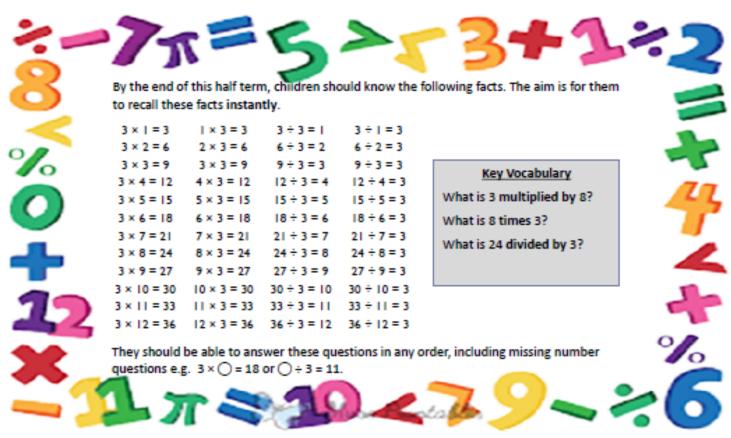
"We need to leave the house at twenty-five to nine."



# Instant Recall Maths Facts

<mark>Y3 –</mark> Summer 2

- I know the multiplication and division facts for the 3 times table
- By the end of this half term, children should know all the following facts. The aim is for them to recall these facts instantly.



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**Buy one get three free** – If your child knows one fact (e.g.  $3 \times 5 = 15$ ), can they tell you the other three facts in the same fact family?

**Warning!** – When creating fact families, children sometimes get confused by the order of the numbers in the division number sentence. It is tempting to say that the biggest number goes first, but it is more helpful to say that the answer to the multiplication goes first, as this will help your child more in later years when they study fractions, decimals and algebra.

E.g.  $3 \times 12 = 36$ . The answer to the multiplication is 36, so  $36 \div 3 = 12$  and  $36 \div 12 =$