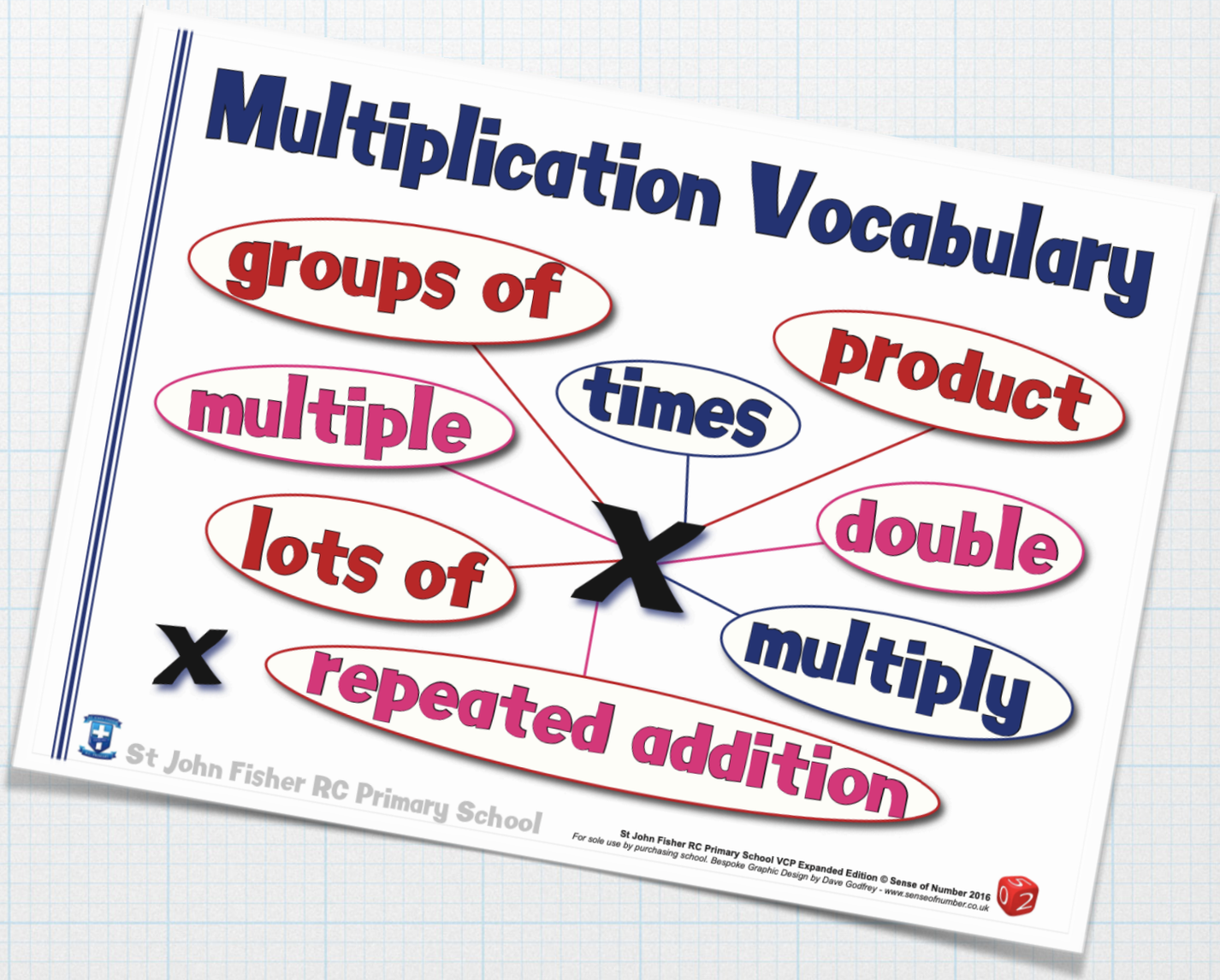
St John Fisher RC Primary School

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

What is the Year 4 times tables test?







Key Points:

Introduced as a trial in 2019 with a view to going 'live' in June 2020. But now postponed until June 2022

There will be 25 questions on an iPad based on the 12 times tables e.g. 6 x 5 = ___ and so on.

Children will be given 6 seconds per question (with a 3 second gap).

There will be 3 practice questions before the test begins.

The test will mainly be based on the 6, 7, 8, 9 and 12 times tables.

The test will take 5 minutes to complete.

So what happens after the test?

No child will fail as
there is no pass mark.

The test is purely to help us
know what gaps there
might be for each child.

The results are not
published or given to the
children (or parents).

How are we getting ready in school?

Expectations for times tables for each year group:	
Year 1	Count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10. Recall and use all doubles to 10 and corresponding halves.
Year 2	Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication tables, including recognising odd and even numbers.
Year 3	Recall and use multiplication and division facts for the 3, 4 and 8 multiplication tables.
Year 4 6, 7, 9 & 11's	Recall and use multiplication and division facts for multiplication tables up to 12x12.
Year 5	Revision of all times tables and division facts up to 12x12.
Year 6	Revision of all times tables and division facts up to 12x12.

Daily times tables practice.



Paper form

Songs

Online form

Games


TIMES TABLES
ROCK STARS

What can you do?
Language

There are many different ways to say the tables and they're all correct –

but it helps if you're consistent and if you adopt the language your child already uses in school.

For example we have;

- Three times eight is...
- Three multiplied by eight...
- Three eights are...
- Three lots of eight...
- Three groups of eight are...
- The product of 8 and 3 is...

Useful Tips

- Stick to one table at a time to minimise confusion.
- Start with chanting and writing them out slowly in order.
- Then move on to completing the answers quickly in order – on paper or verbally with your child.
- Finally, move on to completing the answers in any order.
- Keep reminding your child that 3 x 4 is the same as 4 x 3 – this is effectively halves the number of tables facts.
- Each table has a square number 3 x 3, 7 x 7 etc. These are special numbers that can act as a memory hook – emphasise them!
- Talk about the numbers as you are encountering them " 5 x 7 = 35 that's our house number" – this makes more memory hooks.

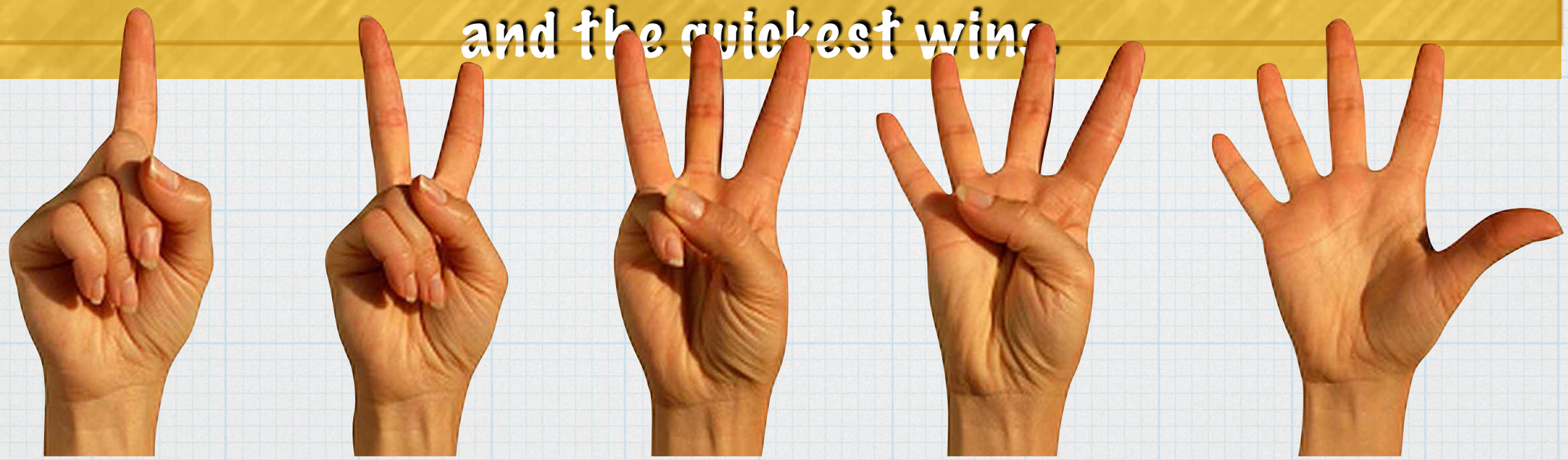
Games

Super Fingers!

This is a game for two players.

The game is basically a version of rock, paper, scissors but with numbers. Two players count to 3 and then make a number using their fingers.

Both players then have to multiply both numbers together and the quickest wins.



Games

Multiplication Snap!

You will need a deck of cards for this game.

1. Flip over the cards as though you are playing snap.
2. The first to say the fact based on the cards turned over (2 and 3 say 6) gets the card.
3. The person to get all of the cards wins.



Games, Apps & Songs

Best 10 Multiplication Table Apps

ANDROID | IPHONE

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Multiplication table

Free INSTALL

Learn multiplication tables while playing!

Pavel Olegovich

4.6 14K+ Reviews 1M+ Education | Report

90% positive reviews | Free | Editor's Choice

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Multiplication Table IQ / Times Tables

Free INSTALL

Intelligent method for learning the basics of math.
Innovative repetition method

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30 users said "useful" | Free

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Multiplication tables

Free INSTALL

The best and most simple way to learn multiplication tables!

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Thank you for coming!