



# Times Tables and the Multiplication Check

*Visit our class blog to find out about the new statutory Multiplication Check for Year 4 pupils June 2022.*

## **How does my child learn times tables in school?**

1. Repeated addition
2. Skip counting e.g. songs
4. Break it down into manageable chunks and introduce tips and tricks e.g. 9s, 8s, 11s,
  - Key facts
  - Next door facts
  - Brain busters
5. Games, repetition and spaced recall to build fluency and speed:
  - card games (pelmanism, hide and seek, say the answer, say the question, splat the answer, splat the question, speed quiz)
  - timed quizzes (mad maths minutes)
  - speed write
  - Leitner method
  - online Games: Hit the Button/ EdShed/ MathsFrame
  - class games – Around the World, Bingo
  - exit questions
6. Commutative law/ Fact Families

## **How can I support my child at home?**

- Skip counting – songs (see class blog)/ high fives
- Card games (see above)
- Leitner Method -  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C20EvKtdJwQ>
- Hit the Button/ EdShed
- Maths Frame