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TIME FOR TABLES

Dear Parents,

We are raising the profile of learning times tables throughout KS1 and are introducing a new Mathematics challenge aimed at developing quicker recall of the multiplication facts (times tables).

The new National Curriculum states that by the end of Year 2, children should be able to fluently recall multiplication and division facts for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

Your child will be given a certificate in school for them to collect stickers once they are fluent in their 2x, 5x, 10x tables.

To achieve a sticker your child will be asked questions involving:

1. Different Words e.g. How many lots of 2 in 10?
2. Switchers e.g. What is 3 x 2 ? What is 2 x 3 ?
3. Four Facts e.g. $3 \times 2 = 6$ $2 \times 3 = 6$ $6 \div 2 = 3$ $6 \div 3 = 2$



Please encourage your child to practise at home and once they feel super-confident they can ask their class teacher to 'test' them to see if they can achieve the sticker for their certificate. The 'activities' sheet gives you more ideas of fun tables games to play and useful websites.

Thank you for your support



Mrs Farmer

Mathematics Leader

