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A sing-along alternative to traditional times tables learning!

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Introduction to Sing your times tables with Percy Parker

What is Sing your times tables with Percy Parker?

Sing your times tables Percy Parker is an exciting alternative to traditional methods of learning the times tables. Multiplication facts are incorporated into memorable and entertaining tunes that you and your pupils will be singing long after the maths lesson has finished. Each times table song is sung and played by the captivating Percy Parker and his talented band of musicians.

We all know that a sound understanding of times tables and how to use them to solve problems is an important step to successful calculating, but learning times tables can be a challenge for some children. Making the learning fun and encouraging different learning styles is the key to effective learning. Singing is an enjoyable activity and a successful method of reinforcing basic skills such as times table facts.

The *Percy Parker* songs incorporate a range of styles and have been designed to not only be memorable but entertaining. The lyrics, repetition and rhyming used in the songs will have children singing along, probably unaware that they are repeating (and thus learning) their times tables. Children will improve the ability to recall and use times tables facts, and develop a sound foundation for building further mathematical knowledge.

Combined within this comprehensive workbook are teaching ideas and photocopiable pupil worksheets that have designed to support whole class teaching and independent work.

What children say about Percy

A version of *Sing Your Times Tables with Percy Parker* was used in research for an MA dissertation. A class of year 5 pupils used the program, focusing on the 12x table, to see if its use would lead to improved times table recall performance and/or increased levels of motivation towards the learning of times tables.

The children loved the entertaining animations and were highly motivated to learn their times tables when using the program:

- "...normally if children aren't having fun in their work then they don't seem to do as well as if there were having fun. So the song actually made it so we had fun while learning 12 times tables."
- 'I think that it's helped me a lot because I didn't know what 12 times 7 was before, and now I can just do it, like 12 x 12 is 144.'
- 'I thought the grid on it was very helpful.'

The children not only enjoyed using the program but gained confidence and showed improvement. The research revealed that a high percentage of the pupils demonstrated improved 12 times table recall and good retention.

More Percy Parker fun!

An audio CD of *Sing Your Times Tables with Percy Parker*, containing the 12 tracks featured in this software plus 5 new adventures with Percy, is available from www.percyparker.com and from Sherston Publishing Group.

News, music and photos of Percy and his band can also be found at www.percyparker.com

Teaching with Sing your times tables with Percy Parker

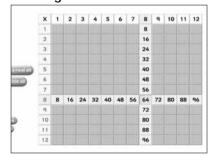
Percy Parker supports the teaching of times tables by introducing them in a fun and exciting way. The most obvious method of introducing the times table songs would be to the whole class, either on an interactive whiteboard or large monitor but, equally, pupils can work within small groups or individually.

Percy Parker could also be played as background music when pupils are doing alternative tasks – they could be learning their tables whilst clearing up, doing brain gym, waiting for assembly or creating in art or DT!

Working with the whole class

- Use the songs in a mental/oral starter of the daily Numeracy lesson.
- Use the chorus that does not contain the answers to the multiplication facts in a plenary, as a way of assessing how well your pupils know the times tables.
- Count along a number line/stick as the CD plays and/or point to the table answers as the song is heard.
- Use the interactive tables grid to introduce/practise a times table.

Working with the interactive tables grid



- Hide all the numbers. Ask volunteers to come and reveal the answers to questions. These could be random or focus on a particular table.
- Hide all the numbers. Pick a number, eg 40 and ask volunteers to reveal the number, giving the multiplication facts.
- Hide all the numbers. Ask the children to reveal all the square numbers. Discuss the pattern it makes on the multiplication grid.
- Hide all the numbers. Split the class into two teams. Each team has to make
 a line of five numbers by giving the answer to multiplication sentences of
 their choosing and revealing the answer. If incorrect, the number must be
 hidden again. One team must make a horizontal line and the other team
 must make a vertical line. Who can make the line first? Take it in turns to
 start.
- Reveal all the numbers. Tell the class which times table you are going to focus on and highlight it by clicking on the appropriate row/column. Then hide the numbers by clicking on the row/column again. Ask volunteers the answers to the multiplication sentences and then reveal them by clicking on the individual cells.
- Reveal all the numbers. Double-click on a selection of individual cells to hide them. These could be random if
 practising a few/all times tables. Ask volunteers to say the hidden numbers and click on the cells to reveal
 them.

Working in groups

- Ask pupils to write their own times tables lyrics and songs in the style of Percy Parker.
- Give each child in the group a number or numbers that are the multiples of a particular table. Encourage the children to hold up their number before it is heard in the song.
- Ask pupils to use individual write-on whiteboards to write the answers to a particular table as they listen.
- Get pupils to create their own dances/moves/lyrics/percussion/rhythms/rap to accompany the songs.

Working in pairs or individually

- Pupils can fill in gaps in pre-prepared times tables number sentences as they listen
- Pupils can draw pictures of the sets that make up each table.
- Pupils can create times tables posters based on Percy and the Gang, using images from the lyrics and number sentences for each times table.
- Pupils can use the worksheets in this book.

Using Sing your times tables with Percy Parker

Introductory sequence

Percy Parker begins with an introductory sequence. Click on the Skip button to go straight to the Main Menu.

Generic Buttons

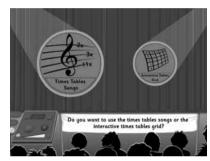


Click on this button at any point in the program to go to the Main Menu.



Click on this button at any point in the program to quit. A confirmation pop-up will appear. Click **Yes** to quit the program. Click **No** to return to the previous screen.

Main Menu



This screen contains two options: the Song Selector Menu and the Interactive Tables Grid. You can return to the Main Menu at any point by clicking on the M button.

Song Selector Menu



This screen allows you to select which times table song you wish to listen to, which version of the song (full or chorus), and how the song will be presented.

Please note: There is no chorus version of the 2x table.

If Band is selected, the curtain will be up and the band will be visible.

If Lyrics is selected, the lyrics will be displayed on a banner throughout the song. Please note that if **Numbers** is selected at the same time as **Lyrics** then the banner will display multiplication facts instead of the lyrics during the chorus.

If **Numbers** is selected, the multiplication grid will be visible during the chorus and multiplication facts will appear on the banner.

Remote Control buttons



Click on this button to play the previous times table song.



Click on this button to start playing the song. It will then change into a pause button.



Click on this button to stop the song.



Click on this button to play the next times table song.

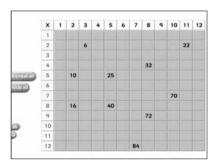


Click on the + or - buttons to increase or decrease the volume.



Click on this button to go to the Song Selector Menu.

Interactive Tables Grid



The interactive tables grid has been designed to be used on an interactive whiteboard and makes interactive work on multiplication tables easy.

Clicking on the Reveal all button will reveal all the numbers on the grid.

Clicking on an individual cell in the grid will highlight the number. Clicking on it again will hide the number. Clicking on it a third time will reveal the number again.

Clicking on the first cell of a row or column will highlight the whole row/column. Clicking on it again will hide all the numbers in the row/column. Clicking on it a third time will reveal all the numbers again.



Clicking on the Hide all button will hide all the numbers on the grid.

Clicking on an individual cell in the grid will reveal a number. Clicking on it again will highlight the number. Clicking on it a third time will hide the number again.

Clicking on the first cell of a row or column will reveal the numbers in that row/column highlighted. Clicking on it again will hide all the numbers in the row/column.

How do I install Sing your times tables with Percy Parker?

Windows PC Users

Percy Parker can be used in two different ways:

- By performing a basic installation
- By fully installing on a computer or network

Please note that you must ensure that the number of computers you use *Percy Parker* on matches the licence that you have purchased. Please contact Sherston for further details if necessary (01666 843 200). If you have evaluated the software on Sherston's 28-day free approval scheme and have decided not to keep it, you must remove all installations of the program from your computers and network. Continued use without an appropriate licence is illegal.

Performing a basic installation

Place the CD-ROM in the relevant drive on your computer: the CD window should open automatically; otherwise, you should open it from within **My Computer**. For full functionality, install *Percy Parker* by double-clicking on the **Setup** icon and following the on-screen instructions. For a standard installation click **Next** on each screen. This will add *Percy Parker* to your program menu in the location, **Start** > **Programs** > **Sherston** > **Percy Parker**. The installed version will still require the CD-ROM to be in the drive during use.

Fully installing the software on a computer or network

Please note: If fully installing the program on to a shared area on a network you will need to carry out the installation from a workstation so that you can browse to a mapped network drive, for example P:\Applications\ProgramFolder

Installing *Percy Parker* in the following way will mean that the CD will not be required for future use of the software. To fully install the software, place the CD-ROM in the relevant drive on your computer: the CD window should open automatically; otherwise, you should open it from within **My Computer**. Double-click on the **Setup** icon. After reading the copyright information on the Welcome screen, click **Next**. You will then be asked to select a setup type. Choose either **Full** or **Custom** then click **Next** and follow the on-screen instructions. For full installation to a single computer, choose the **Full** setup type and specify local paths. You will be asked to select locations for the following:

Directory name – this is for program executable files (and media files if you choose the Full setup type). Click the Browse button to change the destination. You can create a new folder by using the New Folder button or simply by adding a folder name to the end of the path. All users must have Read access permission to run the files in this location.

Saves location – this must be an area of your network to which all users have modification permissions. Click the Browse button to choose the drive and folder you wish to use. You can create a new folder as directed above.

Media location – this is only requested during a Custom setup type and is for the bulk of the information on the CD. Click the **Browse** button to choose the drive and folder you wish to use. You can create a new folder as directed above. You can also set this to a location where the files will already exist, such as a CD server. All users must have **Read access** permission for the files in this location.

UNC Paths and Mapped Drives on Networks

Please note that the installer does not support UNC paths, for example \ServerName\ShareName\ProgramFolder

You will need to carry out the installation from a workstation so that you can browse to a mapped network drive, for example P:\Applications\Program Folder

If you have evaluated *Percy Parker* on your computers or network as part of Sherston's 28-day free approval scheme and have decided not to keep the software, you must ensure that all installations of the software are removed before returning the software.

Recommended System Requirements

Windows Computers

- Windows 98 or later
- 64 MB RAM
- 800 x 600 screen resolution
- 16 bit colour
- Sound card
- CD-ROM drive

Many Sherston titles will run on computers with lower specifications than those listed above. In some cases, performance may be affected. Please call us for further advice concerning our minimum specifications and we will be happy to help you.



Times Table

WAVE YOUR ARMS IN THE AIR WITH PERCY - Lyrics



2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24

Wave your arms in the air with Percy, Wave your arms in the air with Percy, Wave your arms in the air with Percy, And we'll count all the arms.

One times two is two arms,
Two times two is four arms,
Three times two – altogether – is six arms,
Four times two is eight arms,
Five times two is ten arms,
Six times two – altogether – is twelve arms,
Seven times two is fourteen arms,
Eight times two is sixteen arms,
Nine times two – altogether – is eighteen arms,
Ten times two is twenty arms,
Eleven times two is twenty-two arms,

Twelve times two – altogether – is twenty-four arms.



CHORUS

VERSE - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

CHORUS

Two, four, six, eight, everybody,

Ten, twelve, everybody,

Fourteen, sixteen, everybody, let's count all the arms,

Eighteen, twenty, everybody,

Twenty-two, twenty-four, everybody,

Wave your arms in the air with Percy and we'll count all the arms,

Let's count all the arms with Percy.



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 2 times table.

2		6	8	12	14		18		22	
	4		8	12		16		20		24

The 2 times table

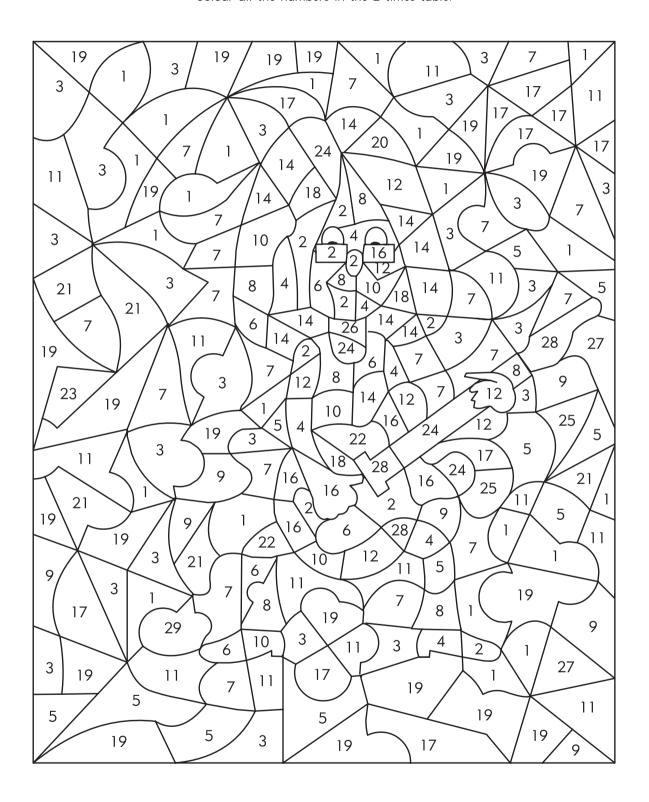
As you listen to the song complete the sentences below.



One	2 is	
Two	2s are	
Three	2s are	
Four	2s are	
Five	2s are	
Six	2s are	
Seven	2s are	
Eight	2s are	
Nine	2s are	
Ten	2s are	
Eleven	2s are	
Twelve	2s are	



Colour all the numbers in the 2 times table.



Who can you see?







3 Times Table

WHO LIKES SCHOOL DINNERS? - Lyrics



3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36

I eat three meals every day - this keeps me strong and fit.

Sometimes I eat platefuls and sometimes just a bit.

If you use your three times table, you'll know how many meals I eat.

In three days, six days, nine days, twelve, or even in fifteen.

One three is three,
Two threes are six,
Three threes are nine,
And Percy likes fish and chips – YEAH!
Four threes are twelve,
Five threes, fifteen,
Six threes are eighteen,
Percy likes runner beans – UGH!
Seven threes, twenty-one,
Eight threes, twenty-four,
Nine threes are twenty-seven,
I'd like to eat some more – YEAH!
Ten threes are thirty,
Eleven threes thirty-three,
Twelve threes are thirty-six.

So count all the meals with Percy.



Who likes pizza and what's your favourite topping?

Do you like school dinners or are they yuk and sloppy?

Using your times tables to help you count is neat.

Try counting up in threes to see how many meals you eat.

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 3 times table.

3		9	12	18	21		27		33	
	6		12	18		24		30		36

The 3 times table

As you listen to the song complete the sentences below.



One	3 is	
Two	3s are	
Three	3s are	
Four	3s are	
Five	3s are	
Six	3s are	
Seven	3s are	
Eight	3s are	
Nine	3s are	
Ten	3s are	
Eleven	3s are	
Twelve	3s are	



Percy loves crosswords. Can you help him fill in this crossword with numbers from the 3 times table?

1	8	9	2
		3	
4			10
	5		
		6	
7			

Across

$$1.7 \times 3 =$$

$$3. 10 \times 3 =$$

Down

9.
$$11 \times 3 =$$







4 Times Table

WARM FEET - Lyrics



4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48

This is the story of Roger.

My friend Roger has a field of cows, of black and white and brown. With Christmas getting near he thought he'd take one into town.

WHAT? HE TOOK ONE INTO TOWN?

Roger went to the shoe shop to buy his Christmas treats. The man behind the counter said, 'Did you say forty-eight feet?' WHAT? HOW MANY FEET?

But Roger knew his four times table and he said,

'One four is four,
Two fours are eight, you see,
Three fours are twelve and
Four fours are sixteen,
Five fours are twenty,
Six fours are twenty-four, (says who?)
Seven fours are twenty-eight,
Eight fours are thirty-two,
Nine fours are thirty-six,
Ten fours are forty, (but wait...)
Eleven fours are forty-four,
Twelve fours are forty-eight.'



Roger tried to explain he owned the farm at the end of the street.

'I have a field of cows, you see, who like to have warm feet.'

WHAT? THEY LIKE TO HAVE WARM FEET?

Roger had the answer – he knew what style would suit.

What they need for Christmas is forty-eight wellington boots.

WHAT? FORTY-EIGHT WELLINGTON BOOTS?

Roger knew his four times table and he said,

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

And twelve fours are forty-eight.



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 4 times table.

4		12	16	24	28		36		44	
	8		16	24		32		40		48

The 4 times table

As you listen to the song complete the sentences below.



One	4 is	
Two	4s are	
Three	4s are	
Four	4s are	
Five	4s are	
Six	4s are	
Seven	4s are	
Eight	4s are	
Nine	4s are	
Ten	4s are	
Eleven	4s are	
Twelve	4s are	



Percy thinks about times tables all the time. He likes to experiment with different ways to write and ask questions about tables. Can you find the answers to these?

- 1) 4 x 4 = ____
- 2) Four times seven equals _____
- 3) 8 times 4 is ____
- 4) Four multiplied by 9 = ____
- 5) What is the answer to one times four? ____
- 6) $44 \div 4 =$
- 7) How many fours are there in 40? ____
- 8) 48 is the answer to 4 times? ____
- 9) 8 = 4 x ____
- 10) If you shared 12 sweets equally between 4 friends, how many would each get?
- 11) 4 x ___ = 20
- 12) There are 24 children in a PE football lesson and 6 balls. Children must be grouped equally. How many will be in each group? ____

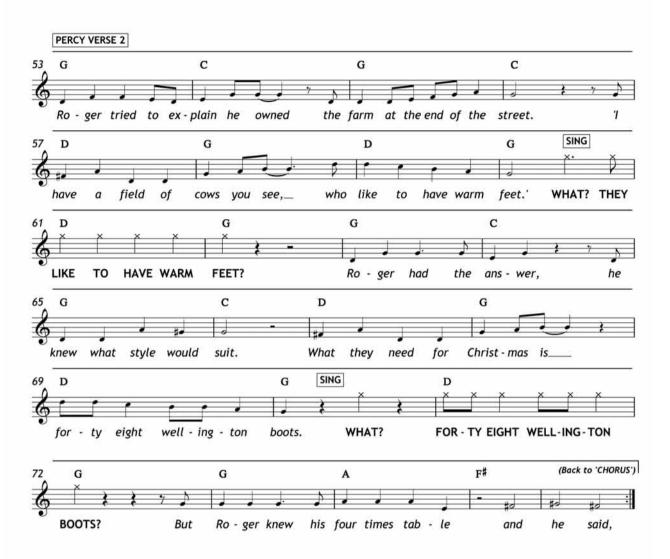
Noughts and Crosses

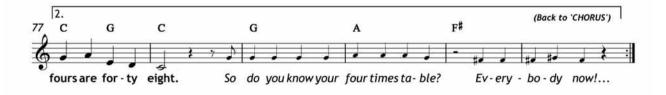
Play this game with a partner. One chooses noughts and the other chooses crosses. Take it in turns to answer a question in the box and then put in either a naught or a cross if you answer correctly. Who can make a line or noughts or a line or crosses first? Lines can be vertical, horizontal or diagonal.

5 x 4 =	9 x 4 =	8 x 4 =
7 x 4 =	12 x 4 =	3 x 4 =
4 x 4 =	6 x 4 =	10 x 4 =













5 Times Table

SAY PERCY PARKER QUICKLY - 5 times table



5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60

I look up at my fingers, look down at my toes. I think to myself, 'I've got ten of those.' There are five on my left and five on my right. Can you get your five times table right?

One five is five and
Two fives are ten,
Three fives are fifteen and
Four fives are twenty,
Five fives are twenty-five and
Six fives are thirty,
Seven fives are thirty-five and
Eight fives are forty,
Nine fives are forty-five,
Ten fives are fifty, oh yeah,
Eleven fives are fifty-five and
Twelve fives are sixty.



Try it everybody – say 'PERCY PARKER' quickly...

Percy Parker, Percy Parker, Percy Parker, (x 4)

So now that it's your turn, it's easy you'll see,
When you learn your five times table with Percy.
Just remember this song and you'll be alright.
Can you get your five times table right?

CHORUS

Try it everybody – say 'PERCY PARKER' quickly...

Percy Parker, Percy Parker, Percy Parker (x 4)

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

Try it everybody – say 'PERCY PARKER' quickly...

Percy Parker, Percy Parker, Percy Parker (x 4)

(Get on up! Yeah, get on down! 'Cos Percy Parker's back in town...x2)



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 5 times table.

5		15	20	30	35		45		55	
	10		20	30		40		50		60

The 5 times table

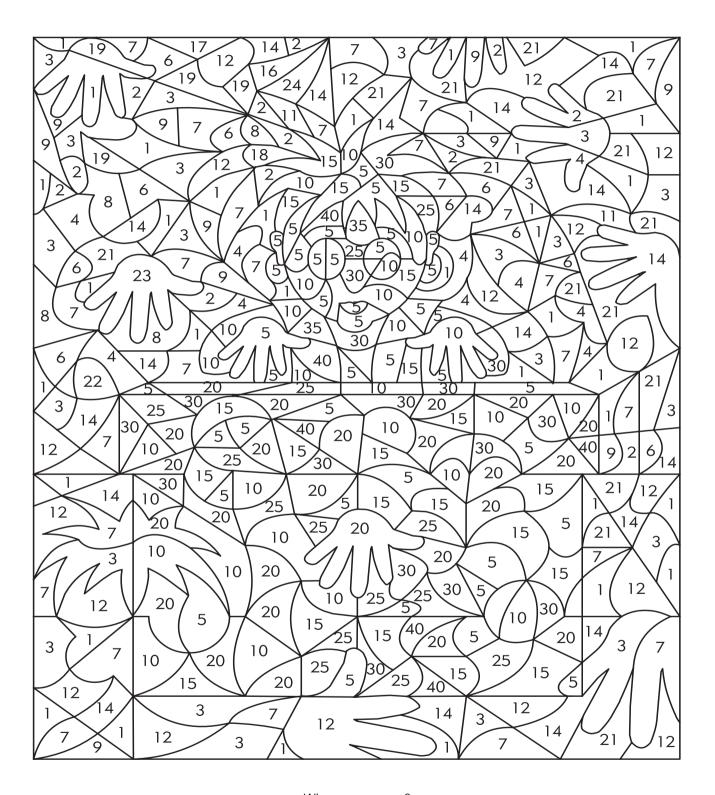
As you listen to the song complete the sentences below.



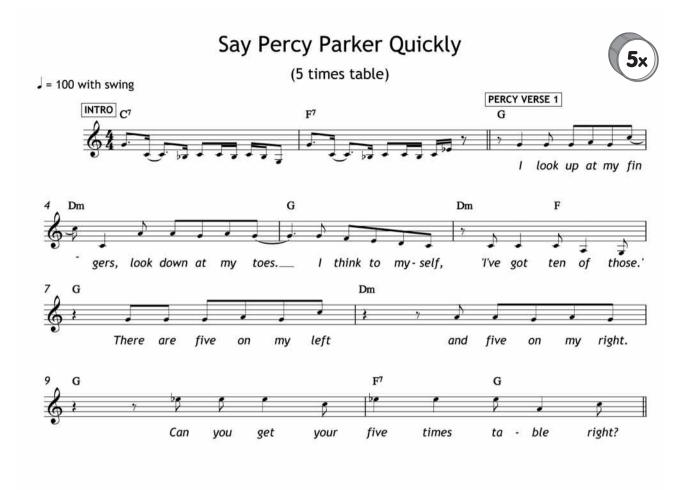
One	5 is	
Two	5s are	
Three	5s are	
Four	5s are	
Five	5s are	
Six	5s are	
Seven	5s are	
Eight	5s are	
Nine	5s are	
Ten	5s are	
Eleven	5s are	
Twelve	5s are	



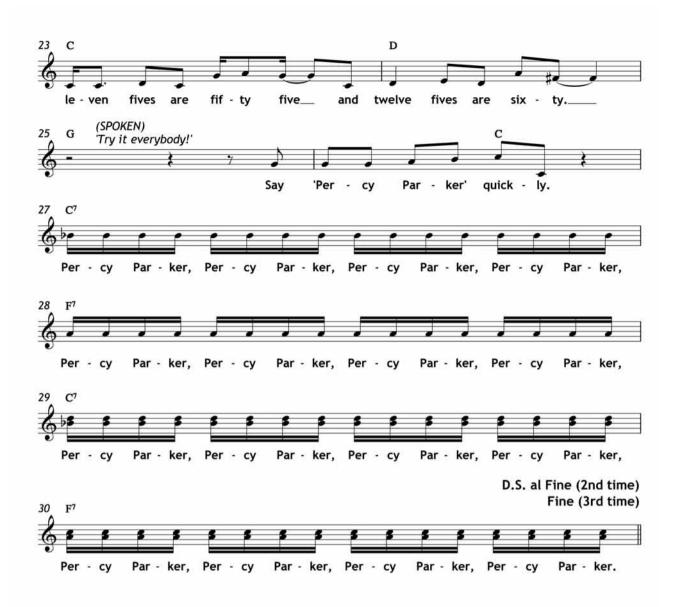
Colour all the numbers in the 5 times table.

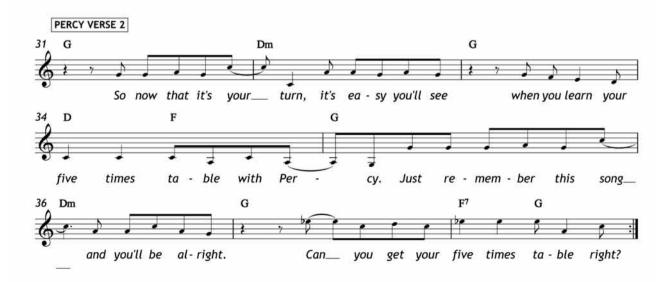


Who can you see?











6 Times Table

BIZWAS THE BEE - Lyrics



6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72

I was chilling on a sunny day -

One Sunday in the month of May.

A friend of mine she flew my way.

It was Bizwas the bee.

She was hanging out her socks you see -

Six for each of her family.

How many socks altogether?

Well let's count them and see...

Singing, 'How many socks to dry has Bizwas the bee?'

One times six is six and

Two times six is twelve and

Three times six is eighteen and

Four times six is twenty-four,

Five times six is thirty and

Six times six is thirty-six,

Seven times six is forty-two,

Eight times six is... yeah eight times six is forty-eight,

Nine times six is fifty-four,

Ten times six is sixty, yes I'm sure,

Eleven times six is sixty-six,

Twelve is seventy-two.

Counting sixes keeps Bizwas busy, how about you?

Bizwas liked to play guitar,

Like a real bee superstar -

The funkiest insect around by far,

Was Bizwas the bee.

Each guitar has got six strings.

She plays them with her dainty wings.

How many strings altogether? Let's count them and see...

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

We're gonna rap, rap, rap with our sixes rap...

6, 12, 18, 24 - 30, 36, 42 - 48, 54, 60, 66 - 72 yeah, yeah!

6, 12, 18, 24 -30, 36, 42 - 48, 54, 60, 66 - 72 yeah, yeah!





Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 6 times table.

6		18	24	36	42		54		66	
	12		24	36		48		60		72

The 6 times table

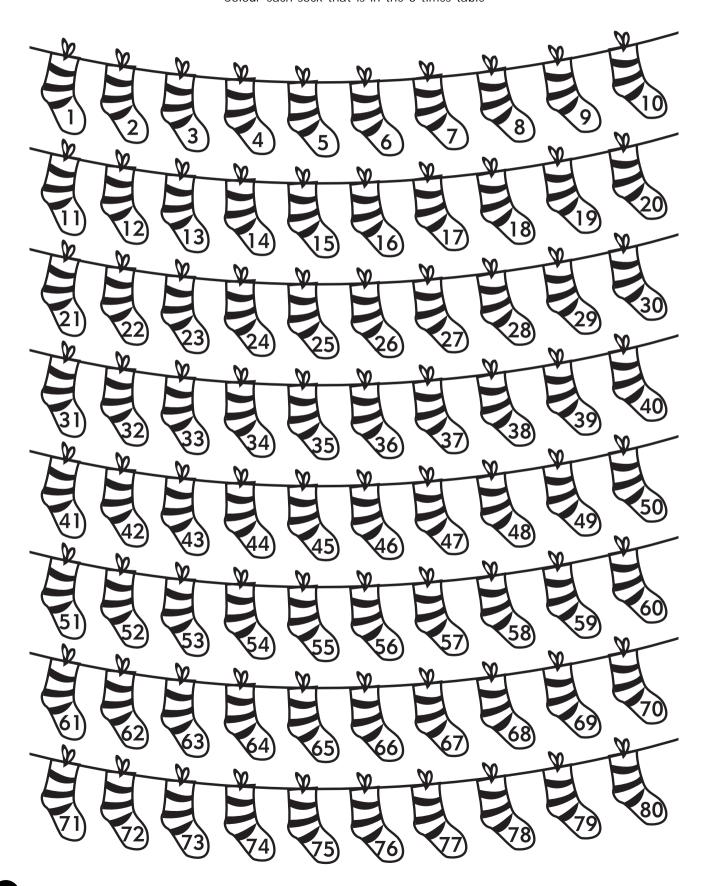


One	6 is	
Two	6s are	
Three	6s are	
Four	6s are	
Five	6s are	
Six	6s are	
Seven	6s are	
Eight	6s are	
Nine	6s are	
Ten	6s are	
Eleven	6s are	
Twelve	6s are	



Bizwas the bee is hanging out her family's socks.

Colour each sock that is in the 6 times table









Times Table

THE STORY OF BABY PERCY PARKER - Lyrics



	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
1												

The story of baby Percy Parker.

Week one – when I was seven days old I did nothing but scream.

Week two - at fourteen days old I was the cutest baby you've ever seen.

Week three – at twenty-one days old I did nothing but yell.

Week four - at twenty-eight days old I just loved to make funny smells.

The story of baby Percy Parker.

Week five - at thirty-five days old I fell out of my pram.

Week six - at forty-two days old I was sick on my gran.

Week seven – at forty-nine days old I was having so much fun.

Week eight - at fifty-six days old I was sick all over my mum.

One seven, seven,
Two sevens are fourteen,
Three sevens, twenty-one,
And four sevens, twenty-eight,
Five sevens, thirty-five,
And six sevens, forty-two,
Seven sevens are forty-nine,
Eight sevens, fifty-six,
Nine sevens, sixty-three and
Ten sevens, seventy,
Eleven, seventy-seven,
Twelve... don't ask me!



The story of baby Percy Parker.

Week nine – at sixty-three days old I made everybody laugh.

Week ten – at seventy days old I dropped a whoopsee in the bath.

Week eleven – at seventy-seven days old I made Mummy Parker happy.

Week twelve – at eighty-four days old I made a big smelly mess in my nappy.

One seven, seven,

Two sevens are fourteen,

Three sevens, twenty-one,

And four sevens, twenty-eight,

Five sevens, thirty-five,

And six sevens, forty-two,

Seven sevens are forty-nine,

Eight sevens, fifty-six,

Nine sevens, sixty-three,

And ten sevens, seventy,

Eleven, seventy-seven,

Twelve... don't ask me!

The story of baby Percy Parker.

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

7, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42, 49, 56, 63, 70, 77, 84 is Percy's life.

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7, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42, 49, 56, 63, 70, 77, 84 is Percy's life.



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 7 times table.

7		21	28	42	49		63		77	
	14		28	42		56		70		84

The 7 times table



One	7 is	
Two	7s are	
Three	7s are	
Four	7s are	
Five	7s are	
Six	7s are	
Seven	7s are	
Eight	7s are	
Nine	7s are	
Ten	7s are	
Eleven	7s are	
Twelve	7s are	



Percy has made a times table function machine.

The machine works by putting numbers into it.

When they come out they will have been multiplied by 7!

Can you predict what numbers will come out for each question?



Percy's Function Machine







8 Times Table

THE SPIDERS SONG - Lyrics



8 16 24 32 40 48 56 64 7	2 80 88 96
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Last week I met a spider, he had eight long legs -Spinning webs with his family, with his aunty Mabel. I said, 'A family of spiders, that's how many legs?' He said, 'You need to use your eight times table! I've got eight, so with my wife we've got sixteen, With our kids we've got twenty-four, thirty-two, forty, And so it goes on, and on, and on.

To find how many legs we've got, you have to sing along, oh yeah...'

One eight is just eight, Two eights are sixteen, yabadoo Three eights are twenty-four and Four eights are thirty two, Five eights are forty, Six eights are forty-eight, gimme more, Seven eights are fifty-six and Eight eights are sixty four, Nine eights are seventy-two, Ten eights are eighty, yeah, Eleven eights are eighty-eight and Twelve eights are ninety-six. Boy – that's a lot of legs!



He said, 'We may be only spiders but here is the news' He said, 'We may be only spiders but here is the news: Nothing makes more noise than our tap dancing shoes." He said, 'We may be only spiders and we're not very tall But you should see a team of spiders playing football!' There are so many legs on a football field: Six spiders have forty-eight legs, seven have fifty-six feet, Eight have sixty-four, and nine have seventy-two, Ten spiders have eighty legs and that's a lot more than you... ...and a full team of eleven has eighty-eight!

CHORUS

That's a lot of I-I-I-legs you've got there, Mister!

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS

Boy – that's a lot of legs



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 8 times table.

8		24	32	48	56		72		88	
	16		32	48		64		80		96

The 8 times table



One	8 is	
Two	8s are	
Three	8s are	
Four	8s are	
Five	8s are	
Six	8s are	
Seven	8s are	
Eight	8s are	
Nine	8s are	
Ten	8s are	
Eleven	8s are	
Twelve	8s are	



Percy knows that you can use your tables to find the area of different rectangles.

Can you help him find the area of these rectangles?

8 cm



8 cm

____ cm²

H H



8 m

_____ m²

12 cm



8 mm

____ mm²

10 km



8 km

____km²

e mm



8 mm

_____ mm²

9 cm



8 cm

____cm²

4 mm



8 mm

_____ mm²

КЯ



8 km

____km²







OTimes Table

THE COOLEST CATS - Lyrics



Let me tell you about my twelve cats.

They're the coolest cats you've ever seen

But they get up to all sorts of mischief

And they never say where they have been

And as you know, every cat starts with nine lives.

This makes them feel so clever and strong.

How many lives do my cats have in total?

We can work it out with our nine times table song.

One nine is nine,
Two nines, eighteen,
Three nines are twenty-seven,
Four nines are thirty-six,
Five nines are forty-five,
Six nines are fifty-four,
Seven nines are sixty-three,
And eight nines are seventy-two,
Nine nines are eighty-one,
And ten nines are ninety,
Eleven nines are ninety-nine,
Twelve nines, a hundred and eight.



So let's celebrate! Staying alive with nine lives, miaow, miaow, miaow! Staying alive with nine lives, miaow, miaow, miaow!

One day Edna fell out of a window.

One day Magic fell out of a tree.

One day Doris got hit by a bus.

How they're still alive is a mystery to me!

One day Stanley got stuck in the washing machine.

One day Rosie got stuck down the loo.

How many lives did my twelve cats start with?

I know my nine times table, do you?

CHORUS

So let's celebrate! Staying alive with nine lives, miaow, miaow, miaow! Staying alive with nine lives, miaow, miaow, miaow!

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

So let's celebrate!



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 9 times table.

9		27		45		63		81	99	
	18		45		54		72			108

The 9 times table



One	9 is	
Two	9s are	
Three	9s are	
Four	9s are	
Five	9s are	
Six	9s are	
Seven	9s are	
Eight	9s are	
Nine	9s are	
Ten	9s are	
Eleven	9s are	
Twelve	9s are	



Percy has been investigating the 9 times table. He has spotted a pattern.

Have a look at the answers for multiplying by 7.

Look what happens when you multiply by 90 – you just put another 0 on the answer.

Can you help Percy fill in this grid?

Х	10	4	7	1	5	12
9			63			
90			630			
900			6300			
9000			63000			

To find the answer to 18 x 6, you double the answer to 9 x 6.

Look what happens when you multiply by 180.

Can you help Percy fill in this grid?

Х	11	2	6	9	3	8
9			54			
18			108			
180			1080			
1800			10800			







10 Times Table

JUST ADD A ZERO - Lyrics



10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120

Just add a zero, just add a zero, just add a zero if you want to times by ten. Just add a zero, just add a zero, just add a zero if you want to times by ten.

Behind a pair of smelly socks, I found my old money box.

I turned the key in the lock.

WHAT IS INSIDE IT?

It was full of ten pound notes.

NO WAY!

Counting tenners can take all day!

But I've found an easy way, so let me hear you say...YEAH!

One ten is ten,
Two tens are twenty,
Three tens are thirty,
Four tens are forty,
Five tens are fifty,
Six tens are sixty,
Seven tens are seventy,
Eight tens are eighty,
Nine tens are ninety,
Ten tens, one hundred,
Eleven tens one-ten and
Twelve tens are one-twenty.



With my cash, I thought I'd try to find something nice to buy – A coat, a boat or even a goat?

HOW WILL HE SPEND IT?

I shopped and shopped until I dropped,

Found twelve things I liked a lot.

Ten pounds each at my local shop – so how much did that cost?

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

Just add a zero, just add a zero, just add a zero if you want to times by ten. Just add a zero, just add a zero, just add a zero if you want to times by ten. Just add a zero, just add a zero, just add a zero if you want to times by ten.



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 10 times table.

10		30	50	70		90		110	
	20		50		80		100		120

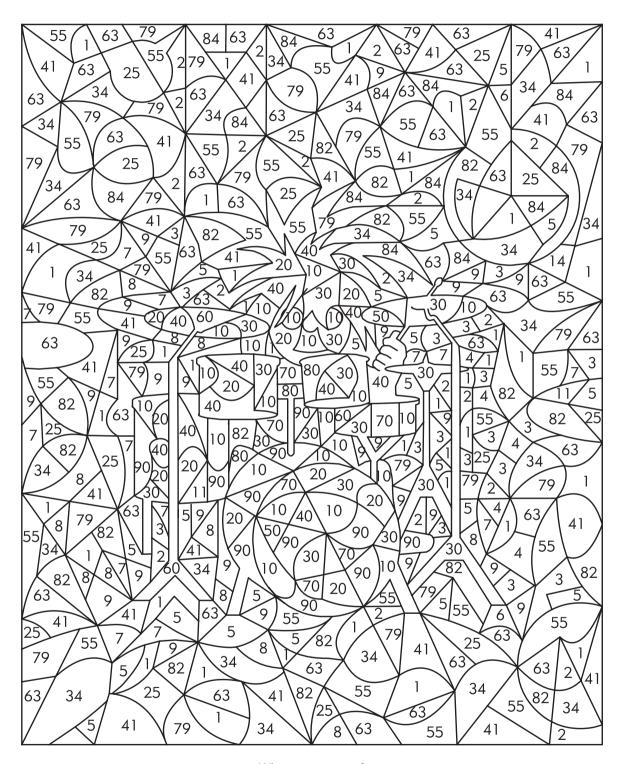
The 10 times table



One	10 is	
Two	10s are	
Three	10s are	
Four	10s are	
Five	10s are	
Six	10s are	
Seven	10s are	
Eight	10s are	
Nine	10s are	
Ten	10s are	
Eleven	10s are	
Twelve	10s are	



Colour all the numbers in the 10 times table.



Who can you see?





ten. Just add a

times

you want to

times

by



Times Table

PERCY PARKER'S PARTY - Lyrics



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Percy Parker's having a party –
The biggest one you've ever seen.
I'm inviting all of the players
From all of my favourite football teams.
I just can't wait for my party.
We're going to have so much fun
But I need to know how many places to set
If twelve teams of eleven players come?

One eleven, eleven,
Two elevens, twenty-two,
Three elevens, thirty-three,
Four elevens, forty-four,
Five elevens, fifty-five,
Six elevens, sixty-six,
Seven elevens, seventy-seven,
Eight elevens, eighty-eight,
Nine elevens, ninety-nine,
Ten elevens, one-one-o,
Eleven elevens, one-two-one,
Twelve elevens, one-three-two.
Does anybody else like football too?



Each team has two up front,
Four midfield just behind,
Four defenders at the back,
And the keeper on his line.
So the twelve teams arrived, I threw open my doors
And someone did a header to huge applause.
'Time to play?' somebody said.
That's a huge game of football – let's count the heads...

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 11 times table.

11		33	55	77		99		121	
	22		55		88		110		132

The 11 times table



One	11 is	
Two	11s are	
Three	11s are	
Four	11s are	
Five	11s are	
Six	11s are	
Seven	11s are	
Eight	11s are	
Nine	11s are	
Ten	11s are	
Eleven	11s are	
Twelve	11s are	

Times table worksheets - 11 times table



Percy likes to group his times tables in families.

Complete these families for the 11 times table.

$$55 \div 5 = 11$$

$$55 \div _{--} = 5$$

$$_{-} \div 9 = 11$$

$$_{x 2} = 22$$

$$_{-}$$
 ÷ 10 = 11

$$x 6 = 66$$



1 2 Times Table

HOW OLD AM I IN MONTHS? - Lyrics



12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144	
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When I was twelve years old, I liked to play mathematics games. So if you're learning your tables, maybe you'd like to do the same. And I thought to myself one day, while eating my lunch I'm twelve years old, but how old is that in months?

One twelve is twelve,
Two twelves are twenty-four,
Three twelves are thirty-six,
Four twelves are forty-eight,
Five twelves are sixty,
Six twelves are seventy-two,
Seven twelves are eighty-four and
Eight twelves are ninety-six and
Nine twelves are a hundred and eight,
Ten twelves are one-twenty,
Eleven, one thirty-two,
Twelve twelves are one-four-four.



When I was one year old, I'd been around for twelve months.

When I was two years old I'd been around for twenty-four months, but wait...

At twelve years old, one hundred and forty-four months

And now I'm eighty-four, I've been around for a thousand and eight, so remember...

CHORUS

CHORUS - FILL IN THE ANSWERS!

Twelve, twenty-four, thirty-six, forty-eight, oh yeah, Sixty, seventy-two, eighty-four, ninety-six, oh yeah, One-o-eight, one-twenty, one-three-two, one-four-four, oh yeah, So how old are you in months? LET'S SEE....

Twelve, twenty-four, thirty-six, forty-eight, oh yeah, Sixty, seventy-two, eighty-four, ninety-six, oh yeah, One-o-eight, one-twenty, one-three-two, one-four-four, oh yeah, So how old are you in months? LET'S SEE....



Listen to the song.

Fill in this grid with the answers from the 12 times table.

12		36	60	84		108		132	
	24		60		96		120		144

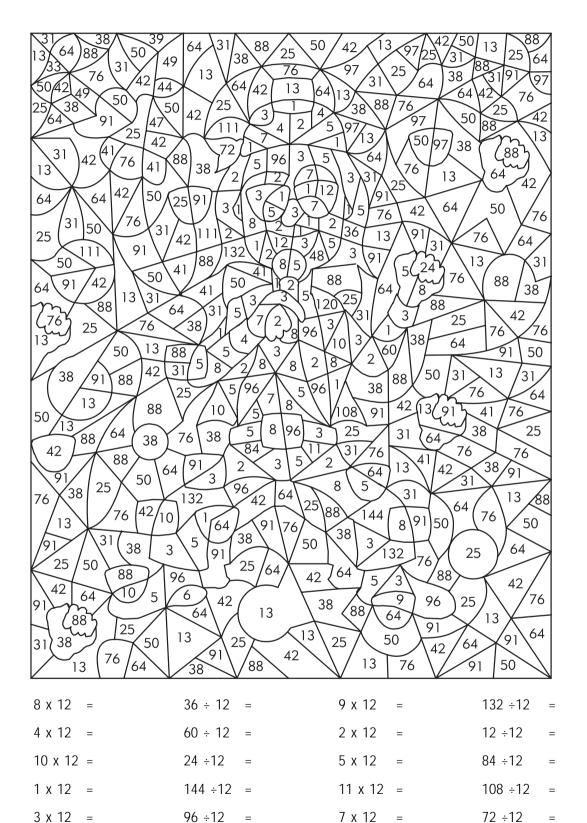
The 12 times table



One	12 is	
Two	12s are	
Three	12s are	
Four	12s are	
Five	12s are	
Six	12s are	
Seven	12s are	
Eight	12s are	
Nine	12s are	
Ten	12s are	
Eleven	12s are	
Twelve	12s are	



Colour all the answers to the number sentences below



Who can you see?

12 x 12 =

120 ÷12

48 ÷12

6 x 12 =







Additional Worksheets

The worksheets on the following pages can be customised for any times table.



Circle the answers:

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Every answer above is in the ____ times table.

Can you write a question for each number you haven't circled?

__ X __ = ____

____ times ____ equals ____

___ times ___ is ____

___ multiplied by ___ = ____

What is the answer to ____ times ____? ____

___ ÷ ___ = ___

How many ____s are there in ___? ___

___ is the answer to ___ times? ___

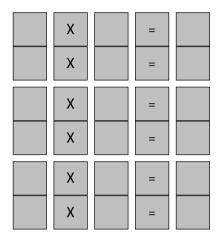
____ = ___ X ____

If you shared ____ sweets equally between ____ friends, how many would each get? ____

____ X ___ = ___

There are ____ children in a PE football lesson and ____ balls. Children must be grouped equally. How many will be in each group? ____





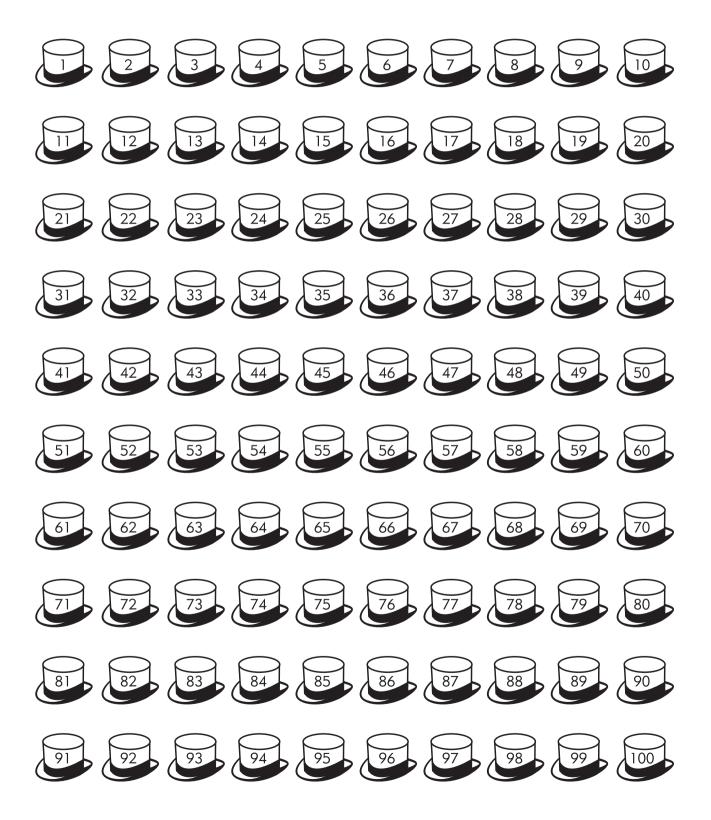
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Percy's Function Machine



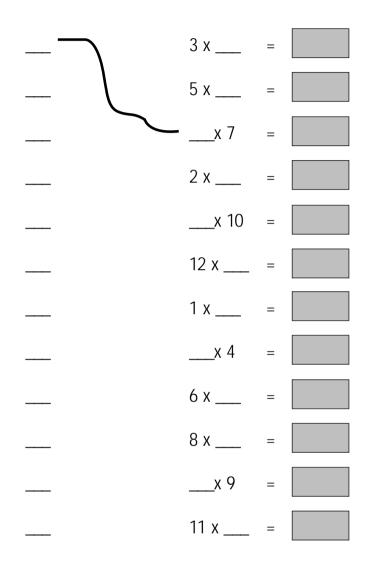


Colour all the numbers in the ____ times table





Match the answers in the left hand column with the multiplication facts on the right.



х	11	12	7	1	10	5	2	6	8	3	9	4



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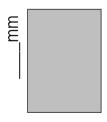


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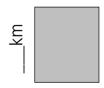
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Х	1	2	5	10
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2		4		20
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10			50	

Х	2	10	1	5
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Х	2	10	1	5
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Multiplication Grid

Х	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144



Х	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1		3				7	8		10		12
2		4	6		10						22	
3					15		21		27			36
4			12				28		36			48
5	5			20		30		40			55	
6			18						54			72
7	7			28				56		70		
8		16			40						88	
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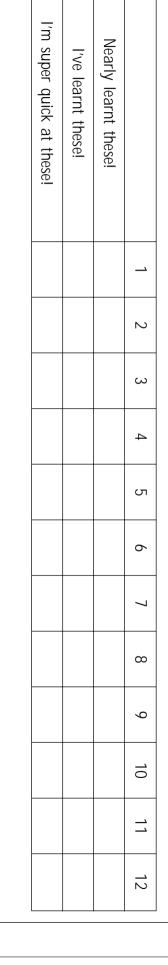
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Pupil Record Sheet



My Percy Parker Times Tables

Give yourself a ② when you've learnt each table





Class Record Sheet



						Time	Tabl	es				
Names	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

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