

20th January 2022

Dear Parents,

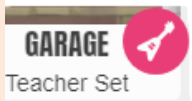
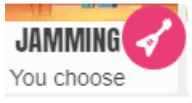
Year 3 - Times Tables Spring Term 2022

Thank you for your support in helping your child to practise their times tables at home. It really does make a huge difference and we are really pleased to see the progress they are making week by week. Recalling multiplication facts is a skill that requires regular, repeated practice to improve and maintain both speed and accuracy. This in turn plays a vital role in developing children's mathematical fluency skills.

Please find below a list of the times tables that have been set for the rest of this term. The dates written in bold are when the children will have their quiz. The children are very familiar now with the routine – they answer as many questions as they can in 6 minutes, aiming to improve their score each time.

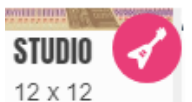
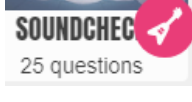
YEAR 3 TIMES TABLES												
Fri 14 Jan	Fri 21 Jan	Fri 28 Jan	Fri 4 Feb	Fri 11 Feb	Fri 18 Feb	25 Feb – half term	Fri 4 Mar	Fri 11 Mar	Fri 18 Mar	Fri 25 Mar	Fri 1 April	8 April Teacher Training Day
3x	6x	6x	4x	4x	8x	8x	8x	4x 8x	4x 8x	End of term baseline	STEM fortnight	

Please remember that your child has access to Times Table Rock Stars <https://trockstars.com/>
Once logged in, the following areas are the most useful. **Little and often is definitely the best way.**

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 minute games set up weekly by the teacher to practise the tables from the above homework list.• Both multiplication and division facts tested
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• No time limit• Choose the tables you need to practise.• You can choose either multiplication or division (or both)

The programme can be accessed on a mobile, tablet or PC. It's a free download and available from the Amazon, Android and Apple apps stores by searching for "Times Tables Rock Stars". You just need to login with your child's username and password.

Use the two areas below from Times Table Rock Stars if you feel confident and are ready to be challenged even further!

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 minute games covering tables up to 12 x 12 (both multiplication and division)• Children try to get at least one right answer in every Studio game.• They will be given their first status when they have scored in 10 Studio games
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 25 questions up to 12 x 12 (multiplication only)• 6 seconds per question• When you have finished, you will see a list of the questions, your answers and your score.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you once again for all your help and support.

Class 2 Team