

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of the half term, we would like to share an important reminder regarding the statutory Multiplication Tables Check (MTC).

The check will take place for all Year 4 children during our **first week back after the half-term break**.

To support your child in feeling confident and prepared, we are sending home a variety of paper-based times tables activities and games today. In addition, we have posted links to helpful digital games on **Google Classroom** for children to access at home.

### **How you can help at home:**

- **Times Tables Rockstars:** Please encourage your child to use the **'Soundcheck'** mode daily. This specifically mimics the format of the official MTC.
- **Get Creative:** Practise doesn't always have to be on screen! Chanting tables, singing times tables songs, or "testing" siblings and grown-ups are all fantastic ways to build quick recall.
- **Regular Bursts:** Short, frequent sessions (5–10 minutes) are often more effective than long periods of study.

For further information about the check, please refer to the official government guidance for parents here: [Information for Parents - MTC](#)

Thank you for your continued support in helping your child prepare for this milestone.

Best regards,

The Year 4 Team