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with God as our firm foundation

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Dear Parents/Carers

Y4 Multiplication Tables Check

We would like to take this opportunity to update all parents on how to help support your child's times tables knowledge.

As you may be aware, the National Curriculum states that all children should be confident with all times tables up to 12x12 by the end of Y4. Rapid recall of these times tables really gives all children an excellent foundation on which to build a wide variety of mathematical skills.

This year, Year 4 will complete the Multiplication Tables Check in the period from Monday 6th June 2022 to Friday 24th June 2022. It will be done in small groups on chrome books and will take about five minutes to complete.

The results of the check will inform both school and you as parents as to where your child is in terms of their times tables knowledge. We can then celebrate their successes and work together to identify and address any gaps.

What can you do?

Crucially, we ask that you encourage your Y4 child to use their online TTRockstars account as regularly as possible at home – it has an excellent track record for improving times table recall and is great fun! Children can earn coins and create an online Rockstar avatar by battling one another and taking part in arena tours!

One of the excellent features of TTRockstars is the 'Sound Check'. This is an online game set up in the same way as the Multiplication Tables Check in June. Practising via 'Sound Check' will help children to prepare for this.

We would prefer you not to inform your child when the actual test will take place to avoid any anxiousness. As far as they are concerned, it will just be another times table practice session in school.

If you have any further questions about the Multiplication Tables Check, please do come and see me.

Thank you for your support.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs Peterson
Year 4 Teacher

