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Dear Year 4 parents,

Re: Year 4 multiplication tables check

In June 2020, all Year 4 pupils will sit a statutory multiplication check, which will be administered online, to assess whether they are able to fluently recall their multiplication tables up to 12.

The test will be digital so the children will use an iPad to submit their answers. It will consist of 25 timed questions and the children will have 6 seconds from the time the question appears to input their answer. There will be a 3 second pause between each question. The questions will appear in a random order, rather than by difficulty, and the emphasis will be on the 6, 7, 8, 9 and 12 times tables.

Children will go out with a member of staff to sit the test which will take place over a three week period. It should last around 5 minutes. Before the test period, there will be the opportunity for children to access a practice test in school to become familiar with the style of the test.

In order to prepare your child for the test, please sign up to the Rock Star Times Table app (see separate letter) and use this to practise at home.

<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477> is also a good link with a resource that has timed multiplication questions.

If you have any questions about this information, please do not hesitate to contact us

Yours sincerely,

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