



Parent Guide

How can I use this with my children?

Simply roll a dice and solve the five times table calculations. This game can be played alone against the clock, or turned into a team game for a bit of fun!

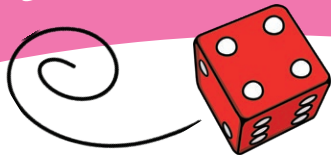
How does this help my children's learning?

Times tables are a key part of the maths national curriculum. Not only can they help speed up your child's mental maths, but also good recall can support their confidence with other operations.

Ideas for further learning:

Head to our [Times Tables](#) section of the Parents' Hub for loads more resources to help your child practise their times tables, including parent guides to explain what they need to know and when!

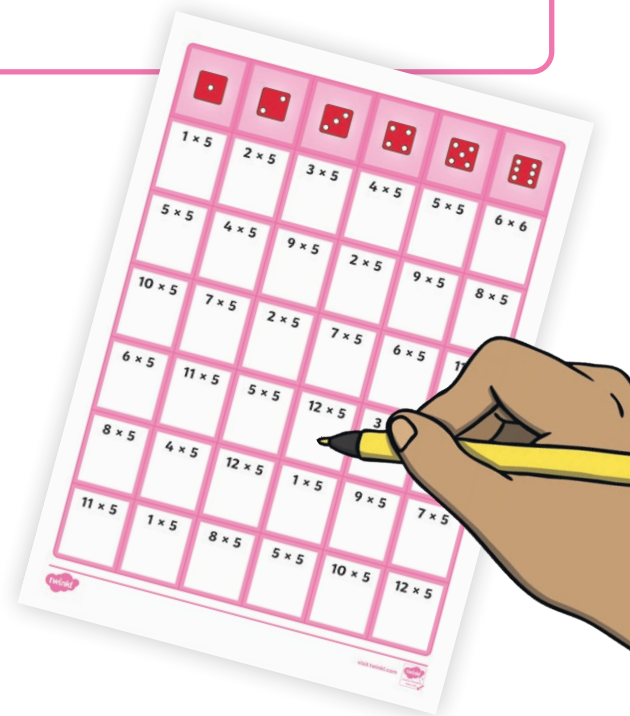
Five Times Tables Roll and Solve



This super easy and fun game can be played on your own against the clock, or you can play against a friend or family member. Simply roll and solve!

You will need:

- a dice
- a coloured pencil or felt-tip pen per person playing
- the Roll and Solve board (included in this resource)
- a timer/mobile phone (optional)
- an adult or a five times tables display poster (so you can check your answers if you aren't sure)



If you are playing alone:


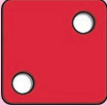




When you are ready to start, set the timer going and roll the dice. You must solve a calculation in the column which matches the number you have rolled on the dice. Write your answer in the correct box. Roll the dice again and repeat these steps. Keep going until you have solved all of the calculations, then stop the timer.

To make this easier, you could stop the timer when you have solved a calculation from each column or you have got four in a row!

If you are playing against someone:

Take it in turns to roll the dice. Look at the number that you have rolled. Solve a calculation in the column which matches the number on your dice. Write your answer in the box in your coloured pencil or felt-tip pen. Then, your partner can have a turn. The winner is the person who has the most boxes filled in correctly at the end of the game (you should be able to tell this by how many answers of each colour there are).

You could award extra points for being the first person to complete one in each column or to get four in a row.

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|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1×5 | 2×5 | 3×5 | 4×5 | 5×5 | 6×6 |
| 5×5 | 4×5 | 9×5 | 2×5 | 9×5 | 8×5 |
| 10×5 | 7×5 | 2×5 | 7×5 | 6×5 | 11×5 |
| 6×5 | 11×5 | 5×5 | 12×5 | 3×5 | 3×5 |
| 8×5 | 4×5 | 12×5 | 1×5 | 9×5 | 7×5 |
| 11×5 | 1×5 | 8×5 | 5×5 | 10×5 | 12×5 |

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