Topic: Multiplication

Year 4

Key Vocabulary:

times tables
multiply by
array
related facts
lots of
groups of
multiple
repeated
addition
factor

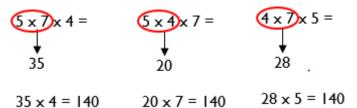
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MENTAL METHOD

Key learning: multiply three 1-digit numbers

For example, in the calculation 5 x 7 x 4 you should think about the order for calculating based on the numbers involved

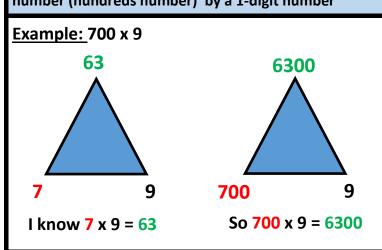
5 x 7 x 4 could be calculated as:



The best option to choose would be $5 \times 4 \times 7$ because 5×4 (=20) results in a multiple of 10

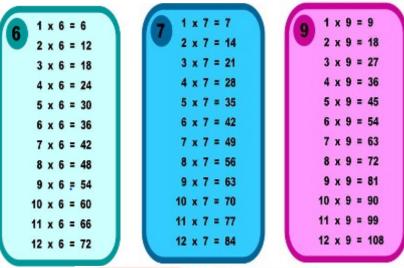
MENTAL METHOD

<u>Key learning:</u> use related facts to multiply a 3-digit number (hundreds number) by a 1-digit number



RAPID RECALL- TIMES TABLES

Building on the times tables that you learned in Years 2 and 3 (2, 5, 10, 3, 4 and 8), you now have to know all your times tables by heart by the end of Year 4



When learning your times tables practise using different language:

"four times seven"

"four lots of seven"

"four sevens"



Remember, multiplication is *commutative* (can be completed in any order). For example, 3 x 9 and 9 x 3 both equal 27, so make sure you learn each times table in any order!

MENTAL METHOD

Key learning: multiply numbers by 10 and 100

For example, $36 \times 10 =$

$$36 \times 10 = 360$$

Each digit becomes
10 times larger
(moves 1 place value
column to the left)

For example, $42 \times 100 =$

Each digit becomes 100 times larger (moves 2 place value columns to the left)

MENTAL METHOD

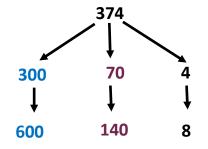
Key learning: Use partitioning to double any 3-digit number

Example: double 374

Partition 374 into hundreds, tens and ones 300, 70, 4

Use your related facts to double the multiples of 10 and 100

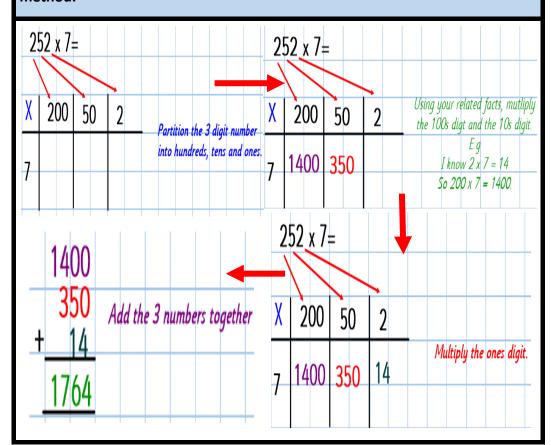
Recombine to find the answer



$$600 + 140 + 8 = 748$$

WRITTEN METHOD

Key learning: Multiply a 3-digit number by a 1-digit number using the grid method.



RAPID RECALL

Key learning: recognise and use factor pairs

Factor pairs are two numbers (factors) that when multiplied together make the product:

What are the factor pairs of 20?



