



Times Table Rockstars

Times Tables Practise: Little and OFTEN



Times Tables at Springdale



- Times Tables are Practised Daily at the start of every Maths Lesson to develop speed and accuracy. Training the brain to know and recall facts automatically- even under pressure.
- This practise involves chanting with numicon support, super movers (chanting and dancing), bingo, snap games, counting in multiples, anything that is interactive and multi-sensory
- Most classes have a times table of the week and this will be their focus of the daily practise and the Times Table set on TT Rockstars which is mainly used as a home work tool.
- We also use Numbergym which is a timed practise of Times Tables in the formats Ordered, Mixed and Division. Once the children can answer ALL these in one minute it is judged that they know this times table. (see record cards on the table)
- The understanding of multiplication and Times Tables are TAUGHT during multiplication and division maths lessons using concrete/practical/pictorial resources such as numicon and real life objects.
- The National Curriculum expectation is that ALL children will know ALL their times tables by the end of year 4. The proposed Year 4 Times tables test will assess the achievement of schools in meeting this target.



Principle: Little and often practise of times tables to build up robust and rapid recall of times tables. A partnership of learning.

At school



At home



Why is TT Rockstars is so much fun?



- It mimics the sort of games they enjoy playing.
- You can choose their own rock name.
- They design a personal avatar.
- They can earn coins to spend in the online shop.
- The online shop is regularly updated and they can buy seasonal items.
- It's very competitive...they can improve their status, they can play against each other AND try to improve their time so that they get higher on the leader board- updated weekly AND includes teachers.
- It reinforces the idea that to achieve success you need to practise and improve. Small progress steps forward.
- Once it grabs them it can be quite addictive- which has positives and negatives- but mainly positive!



Why is it so useful?



- Children practise their times tables but don't feel like they are working hard.
- It doesn't take up much time.
- It regularly assesses progress, identify where their weaknesses are and gives the children an individual practise programme.
- Teachers can set classes, groups and individual children the times tables they need to practise.
- Children practise teacher set/individually set times tables OR all the times tables depending on which games they choose.
- Teachers can monitor the progress of groups/ individuals using this to inform lesson planning and set homework.



TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS



INTRODUCING...





But that's enough
Lead singer in the
band!
I've been making
I'm a a vestiger
Rock artist's band..
for YOU!!!





WHY IS IT HELPFUL
TO KNOW THE
TIMES TABLES?





Here's how I think about it. Imagine a big house...



ALL THE EVEN MORE FUN STUFF

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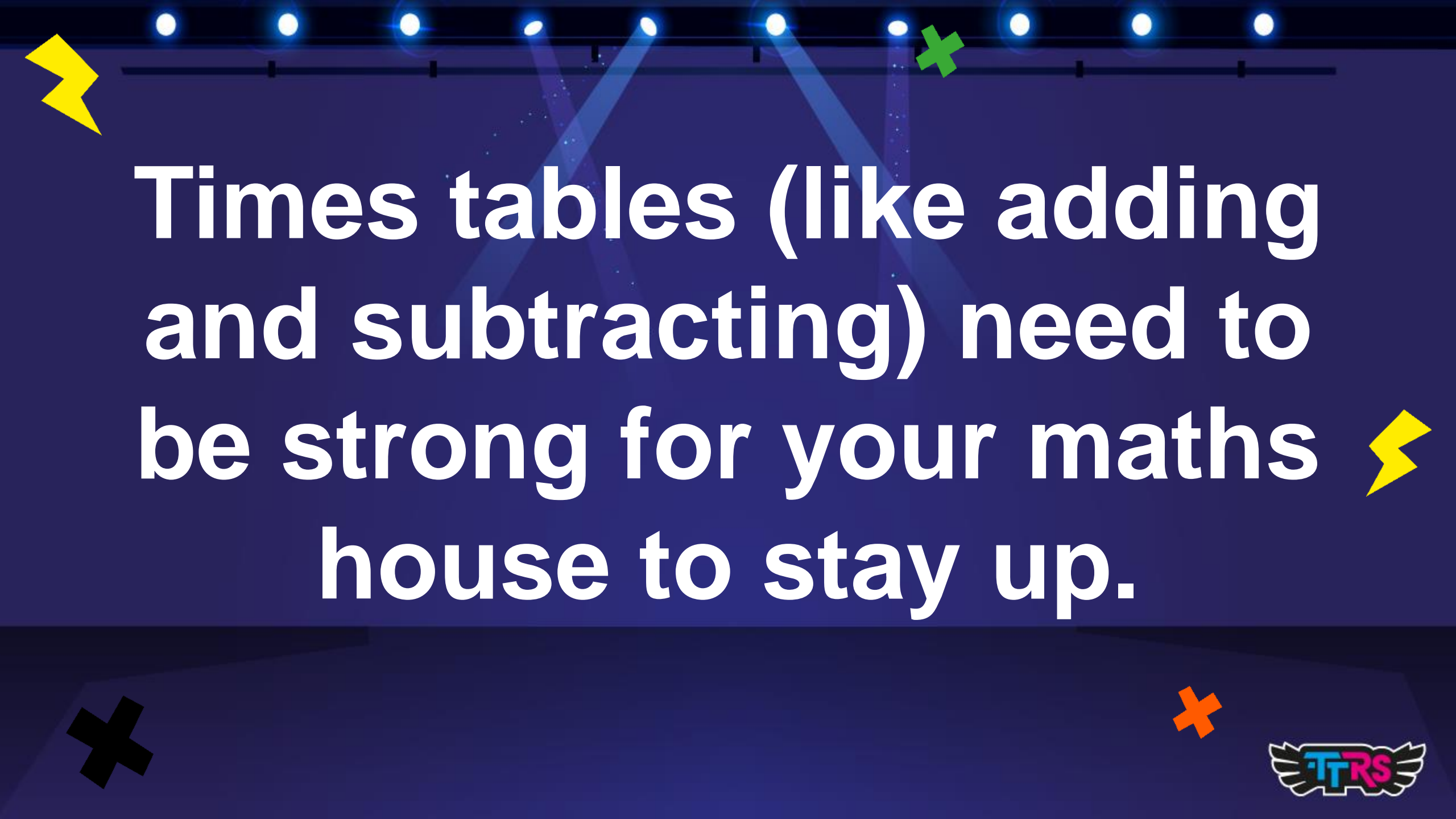

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WHEREA

HOUSE


+ -

COUNTING





Times tables (like adding and subtracting) need to be strong for your maths house to stay up.



OK, times tables are important but I find them hard to remember.

And no to

So what's the plan?





**TIMES
TABLES
ROCK
STARS**

The logo features the text "TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS" in a bold, stylized font. "TIMES TABLES" is in blue, and "ROCK STARS" is in pink. The text is set against a black background with a white outline, surrounded by a white, jagged, starburst-like shape. The background of the entire image is a dark blue stage with spotlights at the top.



WHAT IS TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS?

A CHILDREN'S GUIDE



Welcome to the band, let's meet the other members!



Yo, its Vibe
here...time
to get on my
vibe!





Hi y'all it's
Pop, turn
up the amp!

My name is
Spark, are you
ready to light
up the stage?





Hey I'm Star!
Let's rock
together!

Rox is the
name, rocking
times tables
is the game!





HIYA!
I'm Groove, lead
vocalist with Baz and
the grooviest gal
you'll meet.

**Alto here,
we're going to
reach new
times tables
heights.**





Yooo,
wazzup, it's
Dazzle. Let's
hit it, team!



Put your hands
in the air and
go loco! The
name is Air!

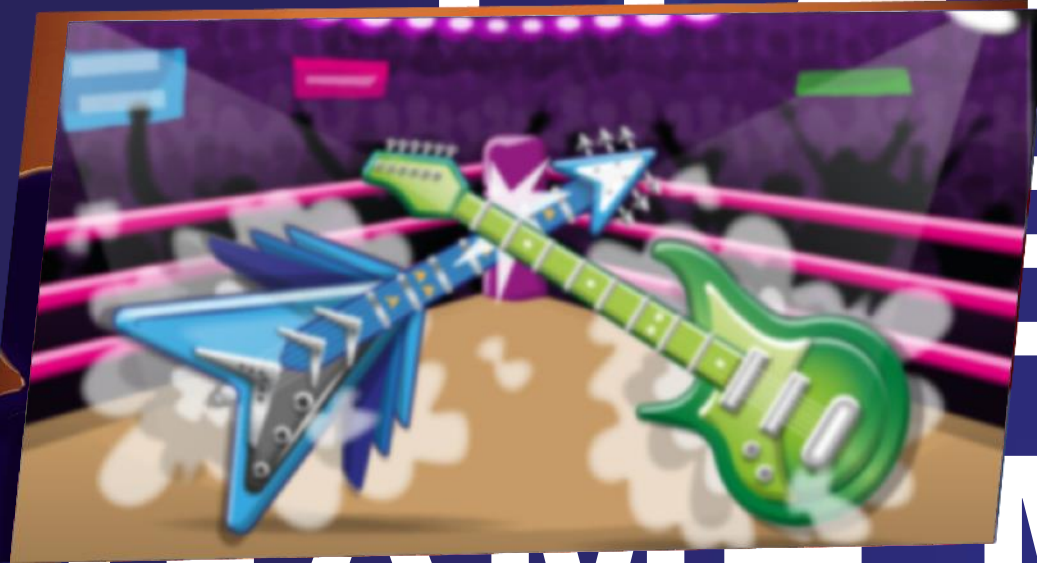




I'm Electra and
I'm buzzing to
meet you all!

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GIBT ES KEINE
GIBT ES KEINE

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GAMIE MODES!



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SET A ROCK STATUS





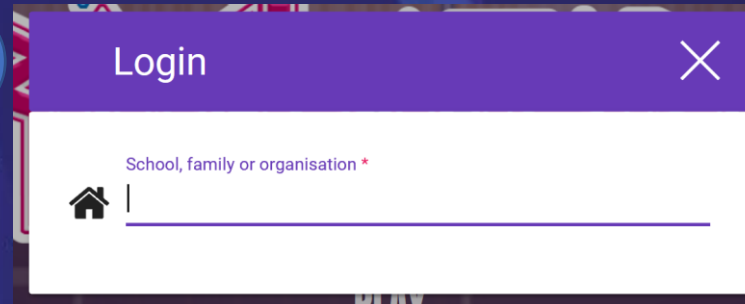
**BRITAIN'S GOT TALENT
SHOWS THE BEST OF
TALENTED CHILDREN
UNION OF GREAT BRITAIN
PER QUESTION**



Logging In - Students

1 Direct pupils to play.ttrockstars.com

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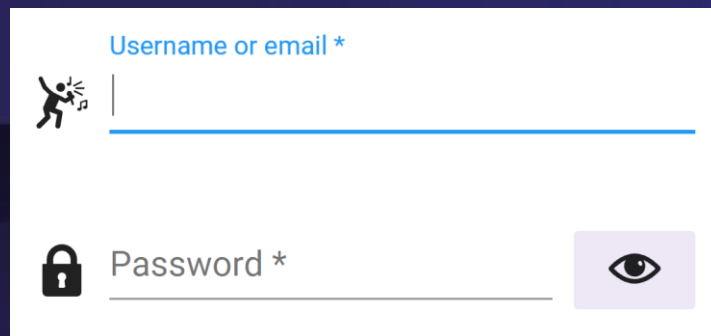


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School, family or organisation *

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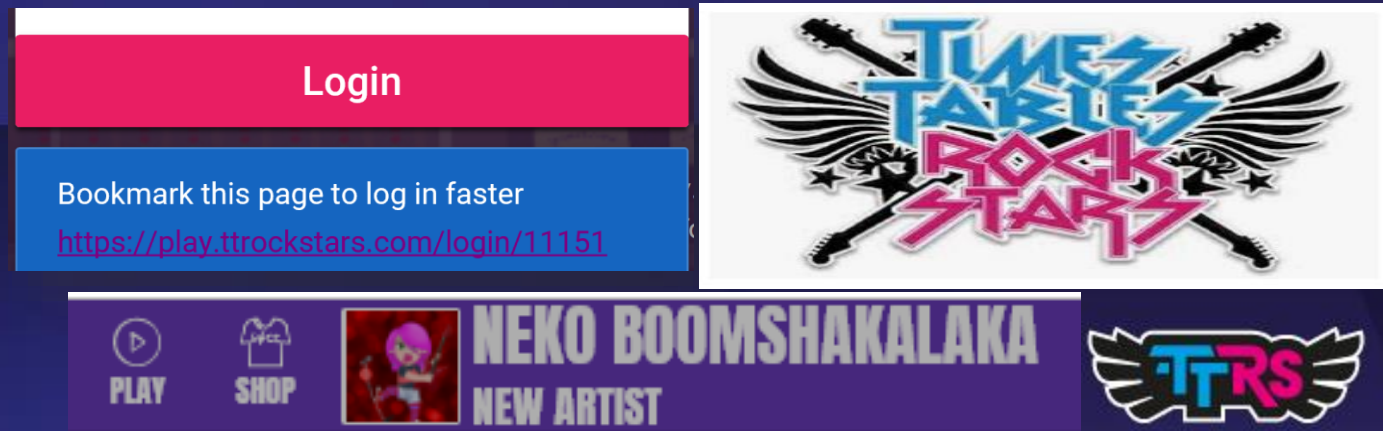
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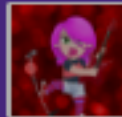



Login

Bookmark this page to log in faster

<https://play.ttrockstars.com/login/11151>

TIMES TABLES ROCK STARS

PLAY SHOP  **NEKO BOOMSHAKALAKA** NEW ARTIST 

How do I know if there is homework set?

All Homework Complete. **Shown in Green.**

3 Homework sessions to complete. **Red means not done!**



Children can't access any other area on TT RockStars until ALL homework is complete.





LEARN HOW TO SPEND IN THE SHOP



Questions you might have ?

Is it safe?

Yes! Each child has a personalised log in and it is carefully monitored by the TT Rockstars team AND teachers in school.

What if someone gets into my child's account and spends their coins OR deliberately plays slowly to improve their own score?

We can reinstate coins, speed and change passwords.

What if my child is getting very stressed as they are struggling too much with the times tables set?

Obviously encourage them to take small steps and improve a little more each time- maybe even give them the times tables so that they can have some support to start with- BUT if they really are too challenging then let the teacher know using the blue homework diary and we can limit the times tables set.

Other Questions? Email School so I can answer your question personally.

The best way to find out is to have a go! Login with your child and see who can complete a game in the fastest time.



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