Times table expectations by year group

Year 1: count in multiples of 2s, 5s and 10s

Year 2: count in steps of 2, 3, and 5 from 0, and in 10s from any number, forward and backward

Year 3: count from 0 in multiples of 4, 8, 50 and 100

Year 4: count in multiples of 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 25 and 1,000

Year 5: Multiplication facts up to 12 x 12. Recognise and use square numbers and cube numbers, and the notation for squared (²) and cubed (³)

Year 6: Multiplication facts up to 12 x 12. Pupils continue to use all the multiplication tables to calculate mathematical statements in order to maintain their fluency