

Friday 25th September 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

You may have noticed a new addition to the home school diary in the form of a times-tables passport. In the next few weeks, your child will begin earning stickers for the times-tables that they have learnt securely. In time, the passport will allow you and your child to see their individual timestables gaps, allowing you the opportunity to rehearse with them at home.



There are many methods and activities available for parents/carers to help your child to improve their times tables:

- Times Tables Rockstars (your child will have their log in details in their diary).
- Hit the button <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button</a>
- Repetition/singing/chanting.
- Dice games (a 12 sided dice works best).
- Card games.
- Read, write and cover.

More will be discussed at the times-tables coffee morning video on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2020. http://hoxtongarden.hackney.sch.uk/parents-guide/parent-and-school/coffee-mornings/

If you have any questions regarding the passport or the best ways for your child to learn their timestables, please speak to your child's class teacher. Year group times-tables expectations are provided for your reference on the back of this letter.

Many thanks for your continued support

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In the table below are the National Curriculum times-tables end of year expectations for each year group. Children regularly work on their times tables in school but it is important for them to practice at home too.

Year 1	Count in multiples of 2, 5 and 10. Recall
	and use doubles of all numbers to 10 and
	corresponding halves.
Year 2	Recall and use multiplication and division
	facts for the 2, 5 and 10 multiplication
	tables, including recognising odd and even
	numbers.
Year 3	Recall and use the multiplication and
	division facts for the 3, 4 and 8
	multiplication tables.
Year 4	Recall and use multiplication and division
	facts for multiplication tables up to 12 x 12.
Year 5	Revision of all multiplication and division
	facts up to 12 x 12.
Year 6	Revision of all multiplication and division
	facts up to 12 x 12.

























































