## Targets - Year 6

## By the end of Year 6, most children should be able to...

Read, write, order and compare numbers up to $10,000,000$
$\square$ Use knowledge of place value and tables to $12 \times 12$ to find facts involving decimals (e.g. $6.3 \div 7=0.9$ ).
Identify place value 3dp. Multiply and divide numbers by 10,100
$\square$ or 1000 in their heads, (e.g. $2.5 \times 6 ; 3.2 \div 4 ; 9.8+4.1 ; 10.3-$ 5.7; $24 \times 8 ; 96 \div 3$ ).

Put numbers, including decimals, in order of size,
$\square$ e.g. 1.06, $0.099,0.25,1.67$. Round them and position them on a number line.
Use written methods to add and subtract for larger numbers and decimals, (e.g. $3.91+8.04+24.56$, or $13.3-1.27$.)
Use written methods to multiply and divide, up to 4 digits by 2 digits (e.g. $387 \times 46,21.5 \times 7,539 \div 13,307.6 \div 4$ ).
Express one quantity as a \% of another (e.g. £400 as a
percentage of $£ 1000$ ); find equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages.
$\square$ Know square and cube numbers; know that prime numbers only have 2 factors and identify prime numbers to 100.
Find fractions and percentages of whole numbers quantities,
$\square \quad$ (e.g. $5 / 8$ of $96,65 \%$ of $£ 260$ etc). Express remainders as decimals or fractions.
Order a set of fractions by converting them to fractions with a
$\square$ common denominator; simplify fractions by cancelling common factors.
Select and use units of measure and convert between units
$\square$ using decimals to three places (e.g. 2.752 kg to 2752 g ) and vice versa...

Estimate angles and use a protractor to measure them
Solve word problems using all four operations, use estimations $\square$ to check answers.

Explore the order of operations using brackets.
Visualise and draw shapes with reflections, translations and rotations through $90^{\circ}$ and $180^{\circ}$.
Solve problems by collecting, selecting, processing, presenting
$\square$ and interpreting data; drawing conclusions and identifying further questions to ask.

## Targets for pupils in Year 6



## A booklet for parents

Help your child with mathematics

## About the targets

These targets show some of the things your child should be able to do by the end of Year 6.

Some targets may be more complex than they seem, e.g. children may know how to work out sums on paper but need to see when it is quicker to work them out in their

## Fun activities to do at home

## Favourite food

- Ask your child the cost of a favourite item of food.

Ask them to work out what 7 of them would cost, or 8, or 9.

How much change would there be from $£ 50$ ?

- Repeat with his / her least favourite food.

What is the difference in cost between the two?

## Sale of the century

- When you go shopping, or see a shop with a sale on, ask your child to work out what some items would cost with:

50\% off
25\% off
$10 \%$ off
$5 \%$ off

- Ask your child to explain how she worked it out.


## TV addicts

Ask your child to keep a record of how long he / she watches TV each day for a week. Then ask him / her to do this.

- Work out the total watching time for the week.
- Work out the average watching time for a day
(that is, the total time divided by 7).
Instead of watching TV, you could ask them to keep a record of time spent eating meals, or playing outdoors, or anything else they do each day. Then work out the daily average.


## Four in a line

Draw a $6 \times 7$ grid.
Fill it with numbers under 100.

- Take turns.

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\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline 26 & 54 & 47 & 21 & 19 & 5 & 38 \\
\hline 9 & 25 & 67 & 56 & 31 & 49 & 13 \\
\hline 39 & 41 & 6 & 1 & 75 & 28 & 90 \\
\hline 14 & 50 & 81 & 23 & 43 & 4 & 37 \\
\hline 45 & 29 & 72 & 34 & 7 & 58 & 17 \\
\hline 36 & 2 & 55 & 11 & 22 & 40 & 42 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

- Roll three dice, or roll one dice three times.
- Use all three numbers to make a number on the grid.
- You can add, subtract, multiply or divide the numbers, e.g. if you roll 3,4 and 5 , you could make $3 \times 4-5=7$, $54 \div 3=18,(4+5) \times 3=27$, and so on.
- Cover the number you make with a coin or counter.
- The first to get four of their counters in a straight line wins.


## Rhymes

Make up rhymes together to help your child to remember the harder times-tables facts, e.g.
$6 \times 7=42$ phew! $7 \times 7=49$ fine! $6 \times 8=48$ great!

## Three in a row

For this game you need a calculator.
Draw a line like this:


- Take it in turns to choose a fraction, say $2 / 5$. Use the calculator to convert it to a decimal (i.e. $2 \div 5=0.4$ ) and mark your initials at this point on the line.
- The aim of the game is to get 3 crosses in a row without any of the other player's marks in between.
- Some fractions are harder to place than others, e.g. ninths.


## Flowers

- Take turns to think of a flower.

- Use an alphabet code, $A=1, B=2, C=3 \ldots$ up to $Z=$ 26.
- Find the numbers for the first and last letters of your flower, e.g. for a ROSE, $R=18$, and $E=5$.
- Multiply the two numbers together, e.g. $18 \times 5=90$.
- The person with the biggest answer scores a point.
- The winner is the first to get 5 points.

When you play again you could think of animals, or countries.

## Card game

Use a pack of playing cards.
Take out the jacks, queens and kings.

- Take turns.
- Take a card and roll a dice.
- Multiply the two numbers.
- Write down the answer. Keep a running total.
- The first to go over 301 wins!


## Remainders

Draw a $6 \times 6$ grid like this.

- Choose the 7, 8 or 9 times table.

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\begin{array}{|l|l|l|l|l|l|}
\hline 82 & 33 & 60 & 11 & 73 & 22 \\
\hline 65 & 12 & 74 & 28 & 93 & 51 \\
\hline 37 & 94 & 57 & 13 & 66 & 38 \\
\hline 19 & 67 & 76 & 41 & 75 & 85 \\
\hline 86 & 29 & 68 & 58 & 20 & 46 \\
\hline 50 & 69 & 30 & 78 & 59 & 10 \\
\hline
\end{array}
$$

- Take turns.
- Roll a dice.
- Choose a number on the board, e.g. 59. Divide it by the tables number, e.g. 7 . If the remainder for $59 \div 7$ is the same as the dice number, you can cover the board number with a counter or coin.
- The first to get four of their counters in a straight line wins!


## Doubles and trebles

- Roll two dice.

- Multiply the two numbers to get your score.
- Roll one of the dice again. If it is an even number, double your score. If it is an odd number, treble your score.
- Keep a running total of your score.
- The first to get over 301 wins.


## Recipes

Find a recipe for 4 people and rewrite it for 8 people, e.g.

| 4 people | 8 people |
| :--- | :--- |
|  |  |
| 125 g flour | 250 g flour |
| 50 g butter | 100 g butter |
| 75 g sugar | 150 g sugar |
| 30 ml treacle | 60 ml treacle |
| 1 teaspoon ginger | 2 teaspoons ginger |

Can you rewrite it for 3 people? Or 5 people?

## Fours

- Use exactly four 4s each time.
- You can add, subtract, multiply or divide them.
- Can you make each number from 1 to 100 ?
- Here are some ways of making the first two numbers.


## Journeys

Use the chart in the front of a road atlas that tells you the distance between places.

- Find the nearest place to you.
- Ask your child to work out how long it would take to travel to some places in England if you travelled at an average of 60 miles per hour, i.e. 1 mile per minute, e.g.

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\begin{array}{lll}
\text { York to Preston: } & 90 \text { miles } & 1 \text { hour } 30 \text { minutes } \\
\text { York to Dover: } & 280 \text { miles } & 4 \text { hours } 40 \text { minutes }
\end{array}
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Encourage your child to count in 60s to work out the answers mentally.

## One million pounds



Assume you have $£ 1000000$ to spend or give away. Plan with your child what to do with it, down to the last penny.

