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To the parents/carers of

I would like to invite you to a parents meeting on Tuesday 25th June 3.45-4.15pm to discuss the new 'Year 4 Multiplication Tables check' (MTC) that will become statutory in June 2020. Your child will be sitting this test in year 4 and the following meeting will give you an insight into what this test will look like, how it will be administered and how you can support your child in preparation for the test.

The purpose of the MTC is to determine whether year 4 pupils can fluently recall their multiplication tables. The MTC is focused on the fluent recall of multiplication facts. This is included in the national curriculum (2014) statutory programme of study for mathematics at Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2. The national curriculum states, 'By the end of year 4, pupils should have memorised their multiplication tables up to and including the 12 multiplication table and show precision and fluency in their work'. The MTC will be delivered as an online, on-screen digital assessment and will take each pupil less than 5 minutes to complete.

There are many websites to support your child that I will talk you through on the 25th June plus games and activities to take part in.

<https://blog.oxfordowl.co.uk/what-is-the-year-4-multiplication-tables-check/>
<https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/477/Multiplication-Tables-Check>
<https://ttrockstars.com/>

Please respond via parent pay to confirm if you are able to attend. The meeting will take place in Mrs Medway's current room in year 6.

Many thanks

Mrs Medway (Maths lead)



