

## Target Tests

From the spring term of reception, all children to Year 5 will be tested on rapid recall targets (Reception, Year 1, Year 2) or time table targets (Year 2, Year 3, Year 4, Year 5.) The tests follow a progression of skills which lasts through the end of Year 5. The titles of the skills tested are listed in the back of the children's reading diaries. This is also where children's targets are noted and updated each time they pass a skills test. In addition, the class teacher keeps a tracker which is passed on each year, ensuring that there is a clear progression from year to year. By indicating on the tracker which targets are passed each term, it can then be clear which children are regularly passing target tests as well as those that are not. Parents are also made aware of their child's progress in targets on their child's termly progress report.

The following are expected benchmarks for the *start* of the summer term for each year group:

	Rapid Recall	Times Table
Reception	No specified expectation	Not tested
Year 1	Know subtraction facts for 8 and 9	Not tested
Year 2	Know addition facts for 18 and 19	Know by heart multiplication facts for 2, 10 and 5 times tables (division may be skipped)
Year 3	Not tested	Know by heart multiplication facts for 4 and 8 times tables (6 times tables and division for new facts may be skipped)
Year 4	Not tested	Know by heart multiplication facts up to $12 \times 12$ (division for new facts may be skipped)
Year 5	Not tested	All targets up to division linked to tables facts times a multiple of 100 (including past division targets that may have been skipped)
Year 6	Not tested	

Lists of targets with example problems that can be practiced at home are provided in the attached documents. TT Rock Stars and NumBots, which children in Years 1-5 have for homework, also allow children to practice these targets.

In the Spring term of Year 5 and in Year 6, children are transitioned from target tests to taking skills tests which practice the formal and mental calculations found on the Year 6 SATs Paper 1 Arithmetic test. These follow a slight progression and are tracked in the front of children's books as well as by the teacher.