



**Learning and Caring Together,
“...they will flourish in the courts of our God.” (Psalm 92:13)**

Friday 10th January 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Multiplication Check Information Meeting for Year 4 Parents

New for 2020, the Department of Education have brought in a statutory multiplication tables check, which schools must administer to Year 4 pupils. This is an online check, which will be administered in school. The National Curriculum specifies that pupils should be taught to recall the multiplication tables up to and including 12×12 by the end of year 4. The purpose of the check is to determine whether pupils can recall their times tables fluently, which is essential for future success in mathematics. It will help schools to identify pupils who have not yet mastered their times tables, so that additional support can be provided.

We are holding a meeting on Wednesday 29th January 2020, at 6.00pm in the Spider’s classroom. You are invited to attend this meeting to find out more information about the check, how it’s administered and when it will be done. We will also provide you with useful support materials and advice on how you can help your child with learning their multiplication tables at home. The meeting will be run by Mr Carter and Mrs Clifford.

If you would like to learn any more about the check, prior to attending the meeting, there is more information provided on the website below.

www.gov.uk/guidance/multiplication-tables-check-development-process

Mrs Carter, Mrs Clifford and Miss Gratton (**Maths Lead**)

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Child’s Name	Class	Name of Adult Attending	Relationship to Child