

**NO PREP FOR PARENTS
OR TEACHERS**

30
Games

WEEKLY Multiplication Games



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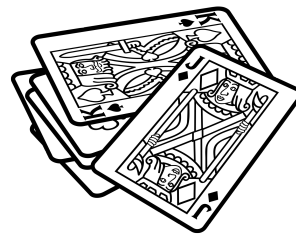
Game: Multiplication War

Directions:

- Shuffle playing cards.
- Place all of the cards face down in between two players.
- Taking turns, each player should select two cards from the deck.
- Each player should multiply the number on the two cards together.
- The player who has the largest product (answer) gets to keep all four cards.
- If there is a tie, draw again. The player with the highest product keeps all eight cards!
- Play until all of the cards are used. The player who collected the most cards wins!

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards



Mixed
multiplication facts

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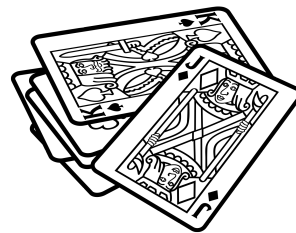
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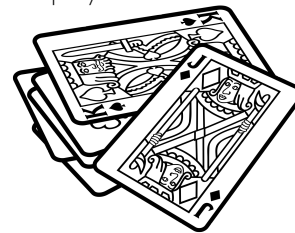
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- Shuffle playing cards and lay them face down in a stack.
- Player 1 and Player 2 select a card and without looking place the card on their forehead (number facing out).
- Player 3 multiplies the two number together and calls out the product.
- Player 1 and Player 2 should use the product and the card their opponent is holding to determine the card on their forehead. No peeking!
- The first player to correctly identify their card wins that round.
- Take turns changing roles.

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 3 players



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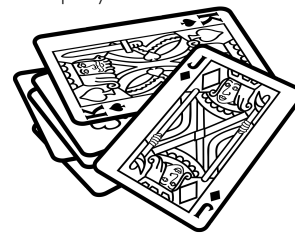
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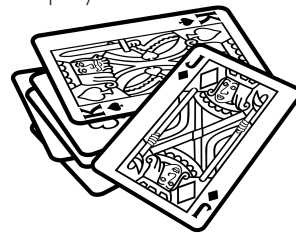
Game: Write the Equations

Directions:

- Shuffle playing cards and lay them face down in a stack.
- Player 1 draws five cards from the top of the stack.
- In one minute, Player 1 should try to write and solve as many multiplication equations as possible, using only the five numbers drawn.
- Repeat the steps where Player 2 draws five cards.
- Whoever wrote the most equations wins the round.
- Play until all of the cards are used.

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 2 players



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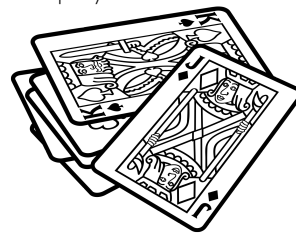
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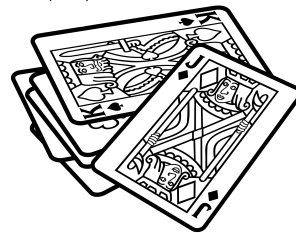
Game: Race to 500

Directions:

- Shuffle playing cards and lay them face down in a stack.
- Player 1 draws two cards from the top of the stack.
- Player 1 multiplies the two number and says the product.
- Repeat with Player 2.
- The player with the greater product finds the difference between the two products. The player uses the difference for the number of points for that round.
- The first player to reach 500 wins!
- If you run out of cards, just reshuffle the deck.

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 2 players



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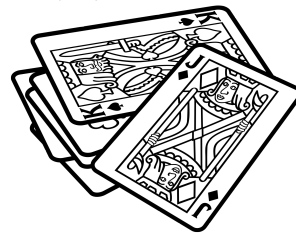
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- If you run out of cards, just reshuffle the deck.

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 2 players



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Game: Marker Multiplication

Directions:

- Both players place their markers on any numbers on the game board. More than one marker may be placed on a number.
- Place the cards facedown in a pile.
- Player 1 draws two cards and says the product of the cards.
- If any player has a marker on that number on the game board, that player removes the marker (one at a time).
- Player 2 repeats the steps above.
- The first player to remove all 10 markers wins.
- ***Ace=1

Materials

- Playing cards-remove all but 2-6 cards and Aces.
- 10 small markers per player (pennies, buttons, beans, etc)
- 2 players

1-6
multiplication facts

1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30
31	32	33	34	35	36

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Game: Use the Factors

Directions:

- Place the cards facedown in a pile.
- Player 1 draws two factor cards. Locate the factors on the top and left side of the game sheet to find the product.
- Player 1 places a marker on the product.
- Player 2 repeats the steps above.
- Continue taking turns. If a product has been covered, the player may not play another marker on the number and does not place a marker during that round.
- The first player to cover three in a row wins!

Materials

- Playing cards-remove 10s, Aces, and facecards
- Small markers per player (pennies, buttons, beans, etc)
- 2 players

Mixed
multiplication facts

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81

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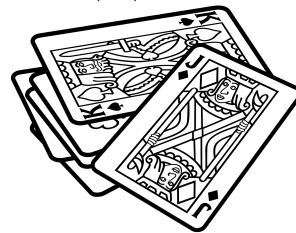
Game: Representing Multiplication

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- Shuffle playing cards and lay them face down in a stack.
- Player 1 draws two cards from the top of the stack.
- Player 1 represents the multiplication fact through any model (array, grouping model, picture, etc.)
- If playing with a partner, then it is Player 2's turn. Just repeat the same steps as Player 1.
- See if you can answer the multiplication fact before you represent it!

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 1 or 2 players



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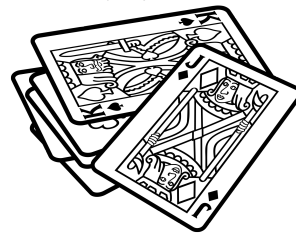
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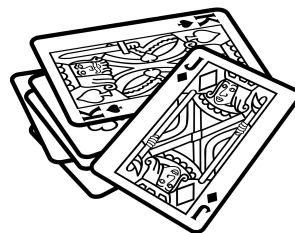
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- Choose a number to be the multiplier. (Select the number of set of facts currently studied).
- Take turns flipping over the top card. Whatever number is on top, must be multiplied by the multiplier.
- Whoever calls out the answer first keeps both cards.
- If there is a tie, place the cards at the bottom of the deck.
- Once all cards have been taken the game is over.
- Whoever, has the most cards at the end wins!

Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards



any one set of multiplication facts

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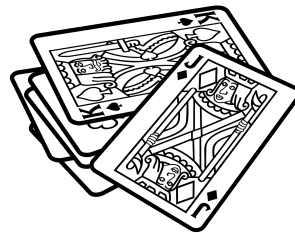
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Dice Games

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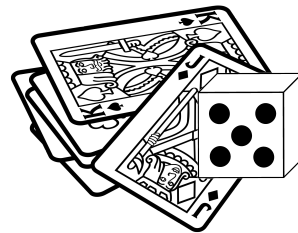
Game: Cards & Dice

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- Shuffle playing cards and lay them face down in a stack.
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Materials

- Playing cards-remove face cards
- 1 Die



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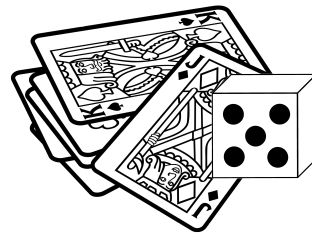
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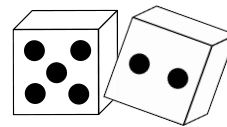
Game: Beat the Clock

Directions:

- Set a timer or watch a clock for one minute.
- Roll two dice and multiply the two numbers rolled.
- Continue and see how many problems you can solve in one minute.

Materials

- Dice
- Timer



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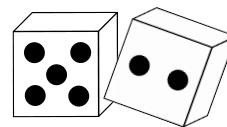
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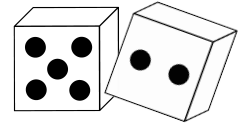
Game: Race to the Top

Directions:

- Player 1 rolls a die and multiplies the number rolled by the bottom number.
- Player 2 repeats the step.
- Take turns rolling the die and multiplying the numbers.
- At the end of the game, each player should add all of the products (answers) together. Whoever has the highest total wins that round!

Materials

- Die
- Game board



Mixed
Multiplication Facts

Round 1

x4

x8

x6

x2

x7

x3

x5

x9

PLAYER 1

PLAYER 2

Total

Round 2

x4

x8

x6

x2

x7

x3

x5

x9

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PLAYER 2

Total

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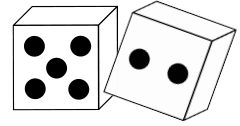
Game: Cover the Number

Directions:

- Player 1 rolls two dice and multiplies the numbers that land face up.
- Player 1 places a marker on the number that matches the product. If the number is already covered, do not cover any number.
- Player 2 repeats the same steps.
- The first player to cover four in a row wins!
- Make your own game board for extra practice!

Materials

- 2 Dice
- Marker (pennies)



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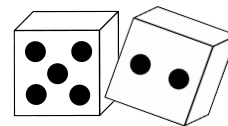
Game: Race to 20

Directions:

- Choose a multiplier. Pick a multiplier you're ready to practice: 3 facts, 4 facts, etc.
- Player 1 rolls two dice and ADDS the numbers together.
- Multiply the sum (answer by the multiplier).
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Materials

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one set of
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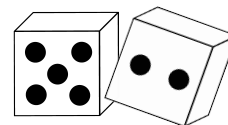
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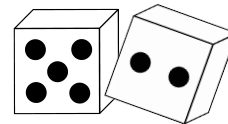
Game: Race to 100

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- Player 1 rolls two dice and multiplies the number together for the product (answer).
- Player 2 repeats the same step.
- Player 1 rolls and multiplies again. Add the product to the product of the previous roll.
- Player 2 repeats the same steps.
- Continue rolling and multiplying. Each time a player multiplies for a product, s/he should add the product to the running total.
- The first player to reach 100 wins.

Materials

- 2 Dice



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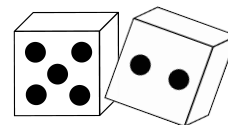
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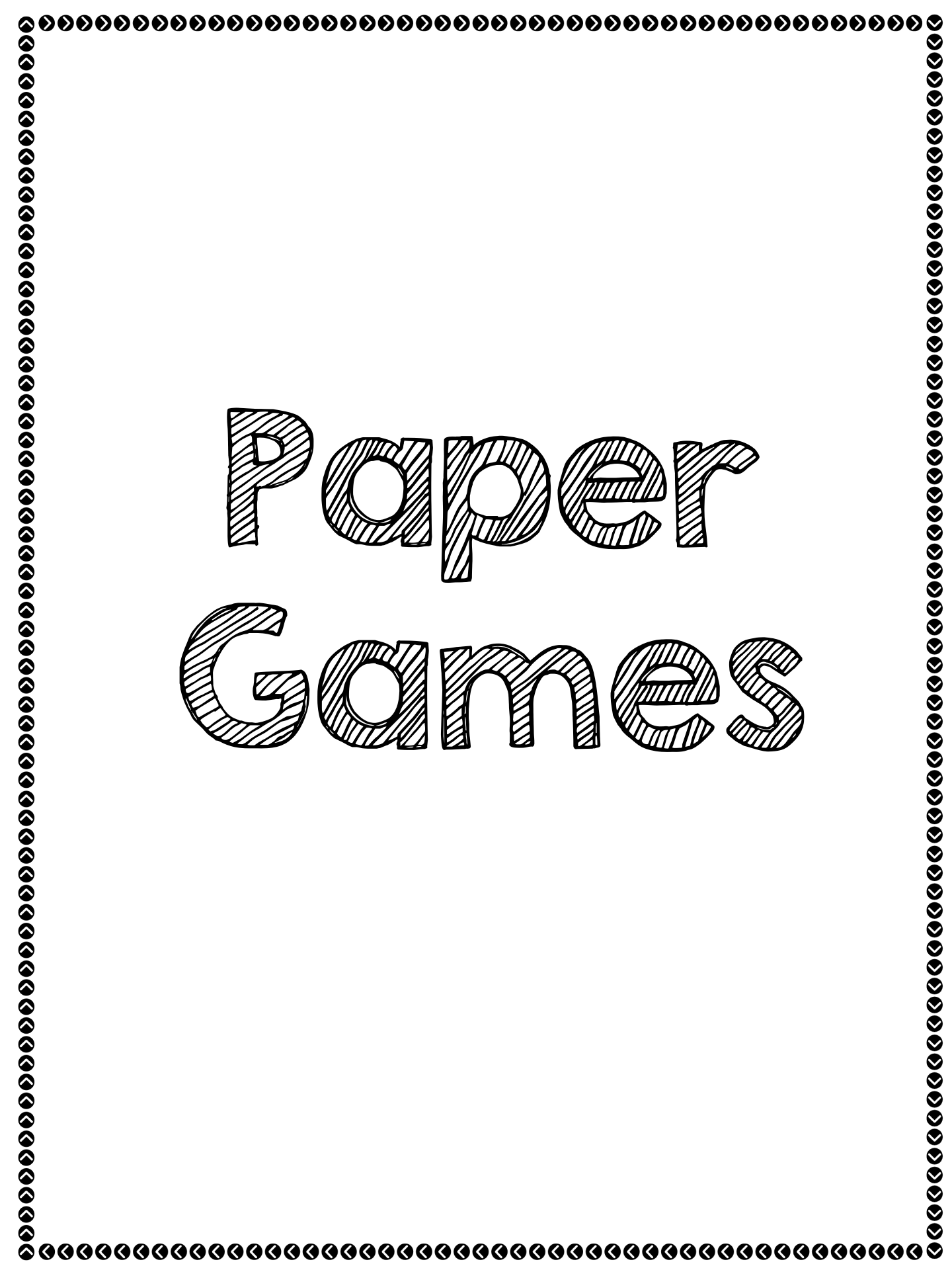
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Materials

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Paper
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Game: Multiplication Matching

Directions:

- Write a multiplication fact on one side of an index card. Don't write with a dark marker.
- Write the product (answer) on another index card.
- Repeat the process for about 12 facts (24 total cards).
- Flip all of the cards over and shuffle them around.
- Spread the cards out in six rows of four (facedown).
- Take turns turning over two cards at a time to find a match of multiplication fact and answer.
- Keep all of your matches.
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Materials

- Index cards

One set or mixed multiplication facts

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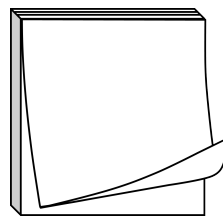
Game: Make it Stick

Directions:

- Write one set of multiplication facts on several sticky notes. Don't write the answer!
- Place the sticky notes all around the house. (On the bathroom mirror, on the back door, on the refrigerator, in a shoe, etc.)
- Whenever your child sees the sticky note s/he must say the whole multiplication fact and the answer three times.
- Every now and then, change the location of the sticky notes to keep the game fun.

Materials

- Sticky Notes



One set or mixed multiplication facts

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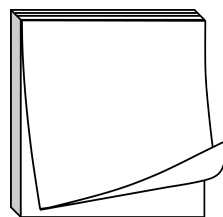
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Game: Multiplication Flash Cards

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- Write one set of multiplication facts on one side of several index cards.
- Choose the facts your child is studying.
- Hold the index card up and have your child quickly call out the answer.
- Encourage your child to answer as quickly as possible (3 seconds or less).
- Turn the flash card practice into a game. See how many multiplication facts your child can answer in 30 seconds or try to answer all facts in 3 seconds or less.

Materials

- Index Cards

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Game: Multiplication Tic-Tac-Toe

Directions:

- Draw a tic-tac-toe grid.
- On each square, write a different multiplication fact (no answers).
- Answer the multiplication fact correctly to write the X or O in the square.
- Take turns marking Xs and Os like regular tic-tac-toe.
- Play the game several times with different facts. See how many times each player wins the game!

Materials

- Paper
- Pencil
- Two Partners

One set or mixed multiplication facts

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Game: Nickel Fun

Directions:

- Player 1 holds between 1 and 12 nickels in his/her hand.
- Player 2 guesses the total value of the nickels hidden in player 1's hand.
- Player 1 shows Player 2 the nickels.
- Player 2 must say a multiplication fact to determine the value of the nickels.
- Take turns hiding the nickels
- Play the game several times. See how many times each player guesses the correct number!

Materials

- 12 nickels



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Materials

- 12 Nickels



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Game: Rock, Paper, Multiply

Directions:

- Two people face each other and hold a hand behind their back.
- Players call out, "Rock, paper, multiply!"
- At the call of "multiply" both players hold their hands out and show either 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5 fingers on each hand.
- The first player to call out the correct answer wins.
- Play several rounds. See who can win the most rounds.

Materials

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1-5

multiplication facts

Weekly Multiplication Game

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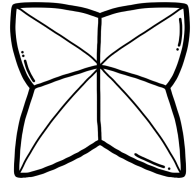
Game: Multiplication Fortune Teller

Directions:

- Cut out the square
- Fold up all 4 corners so that all points meet in the middle
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- Use fingers to open and close fortune teller.

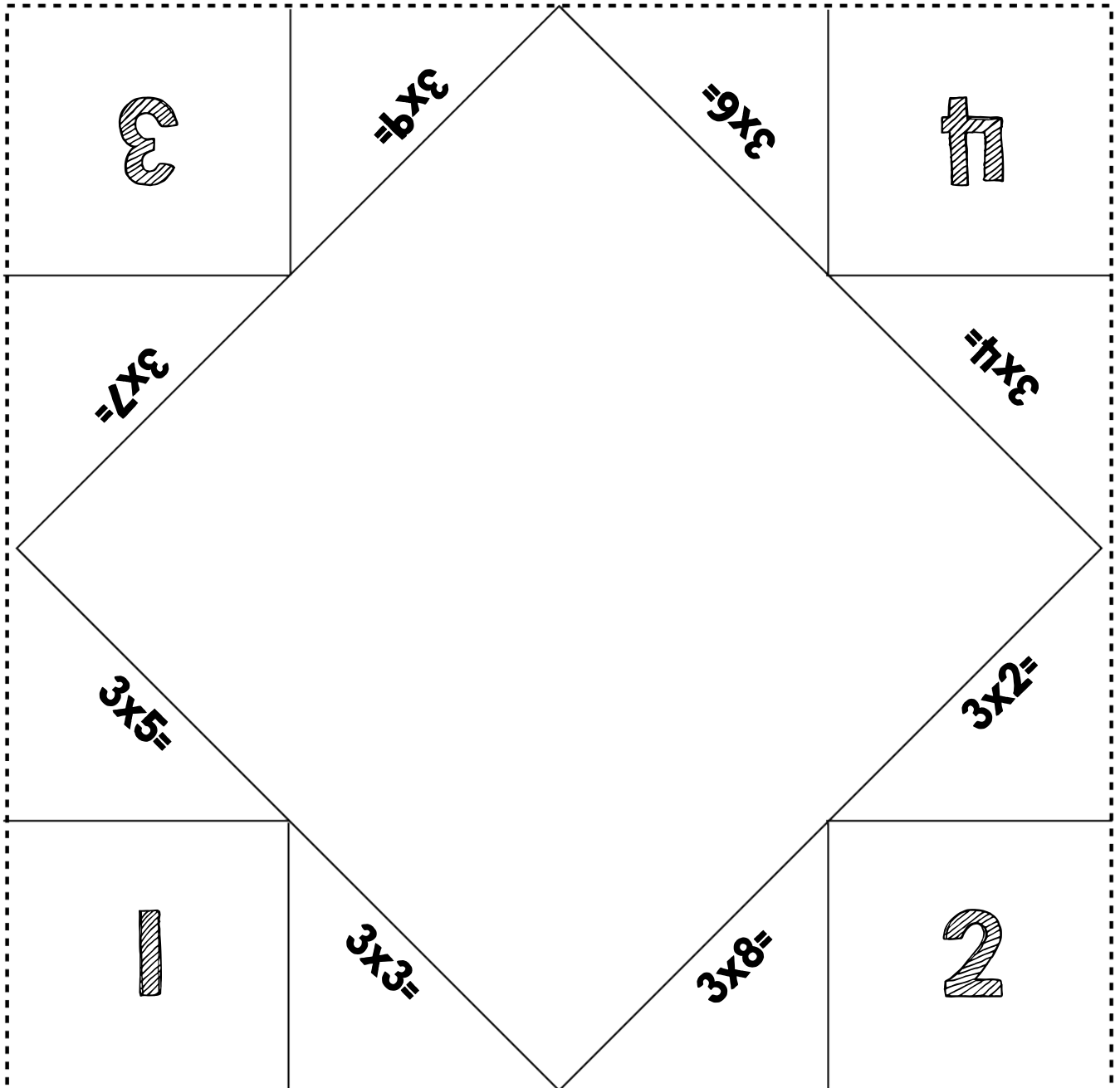
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- Fortune Teller cutout



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Weekly Multiplication Game

Game: Triangle Puzzle

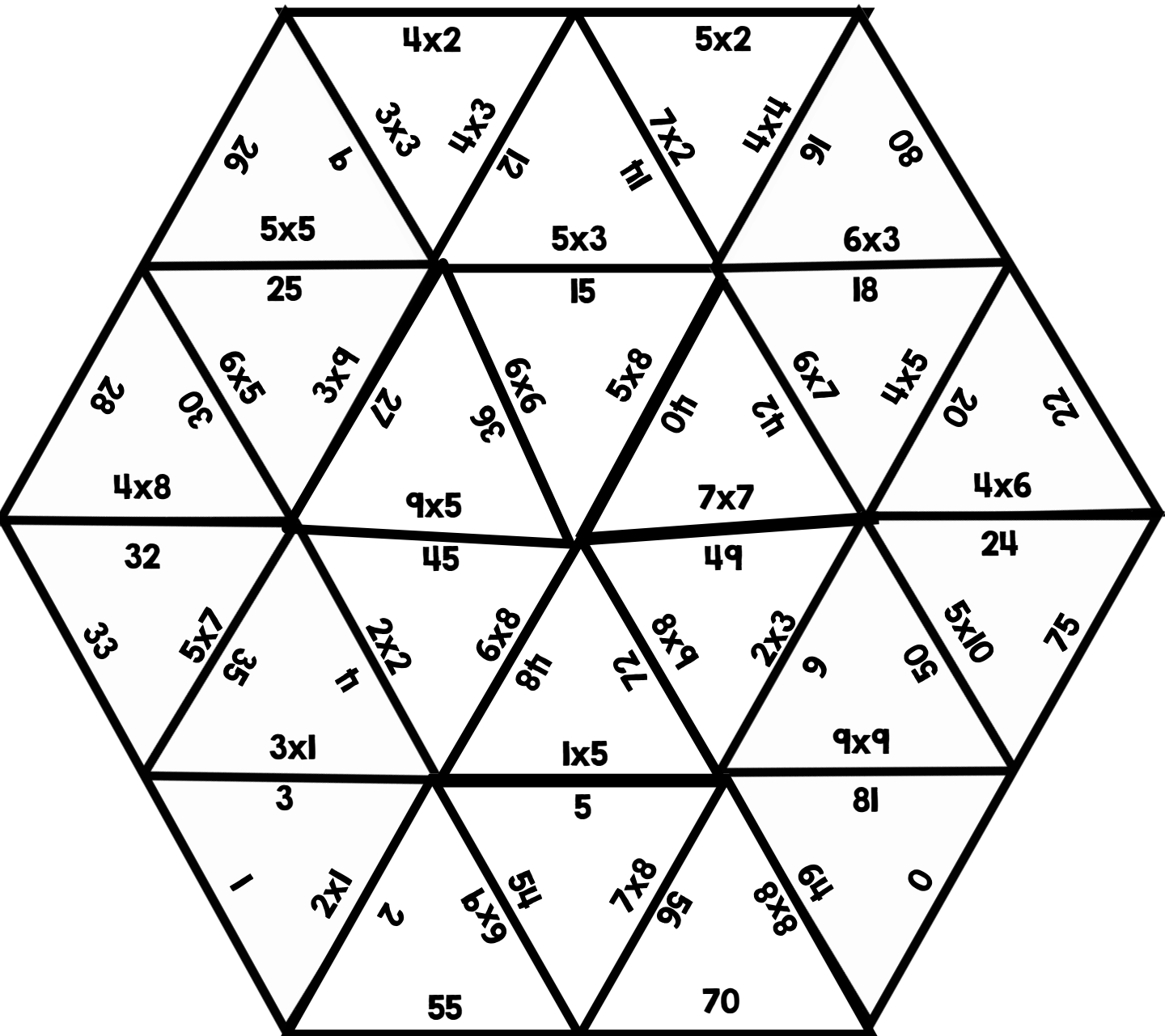
Directions:

- Cut out all of the triangles.
- Spread out triangles face up.
- Player 1 selects one triangle and lays it out.
- Player 2 looks at one side of the triangle and finds a multiplication fact that matches the number or a number than answers a multiplication fact.
- Continue taking turns putting the puzzle together.
- Each piece only fits in one spot.

Materials

- Triangles

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Multiplication Facts



Weekly Multiplication Game

Game: Multiplication Books

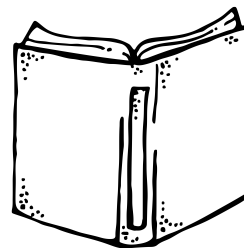
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Materials

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One set or mixed multiplication facts

Weekly Multiplication Game

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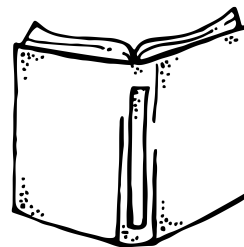
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Weekly Multiplication Game

Game: Board Games

Directions:

- Play this game with almost any board game (Candyland, Chutes and Ladders, etc.)
- Write the multiplication facts you want to study on index cards (cut them in half to save paper).
- Replace the included game cards with the index cards.
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Materials

- Index cards
- Board Game

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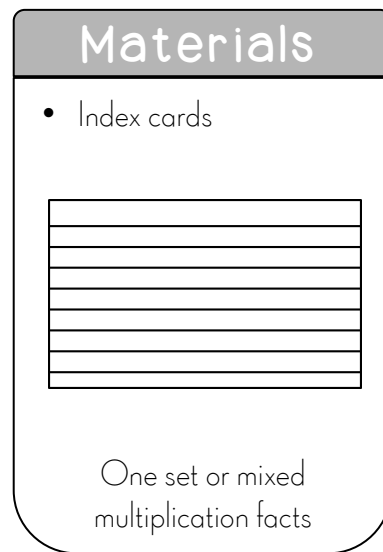
One set or mixed multiplication facts

Weekly Multiplication Game

Game: Least to Greatest

Directions:

- Write a different multiplication fact on 20 index cards (don't write the answer).
- Place the index cards face down and shuffle them.
- Flip the cards over and see how quickly you can arrange the products (answers) on the cards from least to greatest.
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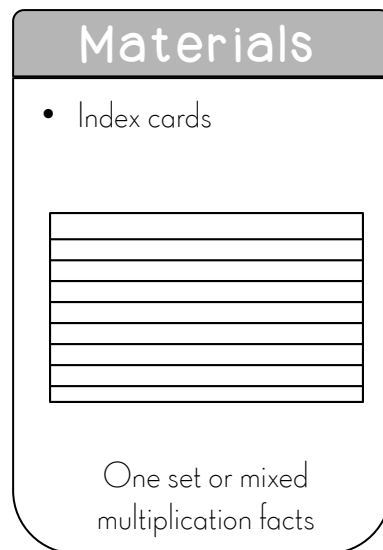


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Weekly Multiplication Game

Game: Multiplication Dance

Directions:

- Make a list of multiplication facts on a sheet of paper. Be sure to include facts that are challenging for your child.
- Write the answers to those facts on pieces of paper. Write large and only one answer on each piece of paper.
- Spread the paper on the floor. You may want to tape the numbers down.
- Turn on the music and let your child dance around on top of the numbers.
- After a few seconds, pause the music and call out a math problem.
- Your child should jump as quickly as possible onto the number that is the correct answer.
- Repeat with all multiplication facts written down.

Materials

- Index cards or paper

One set or mixed multiplication facts

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