

Family Activity #1: Dicey Multiplication

Helping your child learn multiplication facts will help them succeed in learning to add and subtract fractions with unlike denominators. This fun dice game allows your child to practice their times table as a game. Dice will be sent home with your child for this activity. When you and your child have had a chance to play this activity, please sign and date below. Thank you for participating, we know what a difference you make!

Players will take turns rolling two dice. The first person to multiply the sum of the dice by a specific number will gain a point. For example, if you want to practice the 7 times table, each time you roll you will add up the two numbers and then multiply them by 7.



$$7 \times 2 = 14$$

Keep playing until one person reaches 15 points.

Variation: When it is a player's turn to roll the dice, the other player will decide the number to be multiplied. He or she will say it at the last minute before the dice are rolled.

Date

Signature