## Globetrotter

The Globetrotter passport moves children on to learning the $9 x$ and $7 x$ tables. Again, children familiarise themselves with the multiples of each table by counting on and back before committing each times table fact to memory. If the previous times tables have been mastered, children only need to learn four new facts for the $9 x$ table (9x7, $9 \times 9$, $9 \times 11$ and $9 \times 12$ ) and three new facts for the $7 x$ table ( $7 \times 7,7 \times 11$ and $7 \times 12$ ). Children should be encouraged to explore the multiples of each table, particularly the $9 x$ table which has several interesting and unusual patterns. For example, the digits of each multiple of 9 add to make 9 (for $18,1+8=9$; for $54,5+4=9$; for $99,9+9=18$ and then $1+8=9$ ).

| Target | Example Questions |
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| I can count forwards and backwards in multiples of 9 | Starting at 0, count in nines up to 108 Count back in nines from 108 to 0 What is 9 more/less than 72 ? |
| I know by heart all multiplication facts for 9 up to $9 \times 12$ | $9 \times 7=$ <br> What is 9 times 12 ? <br> Multiply 9 by 9 |
| I know by heart all division facts for 9 up to 108 | What is 63 divided by 9 ? <br> Share 99 by 9 . $54 \div 9=$ |
| I can count forwards and backwards in multiples of 7 | Starting at 0, count in sevens up to 84 Count back in sevens from 84 to 0 What is 7 more/less than 56? |
| I know by heart all multiplication facts for 7 up to $7 \times 12$ | $7 \times 7=$ <br> What is 7 times 12 ? <br> Multiply 7 by 9 |
| I know by heart all division facts for 7 up to 84 | What is 56 divided by 7? Share 63 by 7 . $42 \div 7=$ |

