

Times Tables Using Playing Cards!



For all of these activities you need to allocate a number to all the picture cards from your pack before you start. You could have all picture cards with the same value or assign a different number to each picture card.

Game 1

Decide which table you will be working on, turn over 1 card at a time. The first person to say what that number is when it is multiplied by your table number gets to keep the card. The winner is the person with the most cards. (Picture cards can be worth 10, 11, 12 or any number of your choosing).

Variation 1

Turn over 2 cards at once and the first person to give the product of the two numbers gets to keep them. (You get the product by multiplying the two numbers together).

Variation 2

Turn over two cards as before, make the first card a multiple of ten. E.g. if you turn over 7 and 4 the calculation to perform is 70×4 .

Variation 3

Turn over three cards to make a one digit and a two digit number e.g. 7×43 .