

Key Instant Recall Facts

Year 6 - Spring 1

I can identify prime numbers up to 50.

I know the square roots of square numbers up to 15 x 15.

By the end of this half term, children should know the following facts. The aim is for them to recall these facts **instantly**.

<p>A prime number is a number with no factors other than itself and one.</p> <p>The following numbers are prime numbers: 2, 3, 5, 7, 11, 13, 17, 19, 23, 29, 31, 37, 41, 43, 47</p> <p>A composite number is divisible by a number other than 1 or itself.</p> <p>The following numbers are composite numbers: 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34, 35, 36, 38, 39, 40, 42, 44, 45, 46, 48, 49, 50</p>	<p><u>Key vocabulary</u></p> <p>Prime number Composite number Factor Multiple</p>	<p><u>Square roots:</u></p> <p>$\sqrt{1} = 1$ $\sqrt{4} = 2$ $\sqrt{9} = 3$ $\sqrt{16} = 4$ $\sqrt{25} = 5$ $\sqrt{36} = 6$ $\sqrt{49} = 7$ $\sqrt{64} = 8$ $\sqrt{81} = 9$ $\sqrt{100} = 10$ $\sqrt{121} = 11$ $\sqrt{144} = 12$ $\sqrt{169} = 13$ $\sqrt{196} = 14$ $\sqrt{225} = 15$</p>
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Children should be able to explain how they know that a number is composite. E.g. 39 is composite because it is a multiple of 3 and 13.

Top Tips

The secret to success is practising **little** and **often**. Use time wisely. Can you practise these KIRFs while walking to school or during a car journey? You don't need to practise them all at once: perhaps you could have a fact of the day.

It's really important that your child uses mathematical vocabulary accurately. Choose a number between 2 and 50. How many correct statements can your child make about this number using the vocabulary above?

Make a set of cards for the numbers from 2 to 50. How quickly can your child sort these into prime and composite numbers? How many even prime numbers can they find? How many odd composite numbers?