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5 Steps to Multiplication Mastery

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Over 70 Multiplication Worksheets

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Work Through 5 simple steps and Master Multiplication for a Lifetime

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0's and 1's

Start with 0's and 1's (super quick)

0 - Strategy: $0 \times \text{anything} = 0$

1's:- Strategy $1 \times \text{anything} = \text{itself}$

Practice with 0's and 1's worksheets

2's

Step 1: Teach your child a Strategy	<u>2 are simply adding doubles</u> . For example $8 + 8$ is the same as 2×8 , etc. So..... when your child sees a number being multiplied by 2, they can think of the doubles addition problem associated with the multiplication equation.
Step 2: Games Activities	Make Picture Association- decide on a item that reminds you of each number and visualize it twice. So, 8×2 ...makes me think of 2 spiders and that is 18. Draw a picture and label with the equation. Here are some ideas for items (or make your own up): 2's: shoes, eyes, ears, nostrils, arms, legs 3's: traffic lights, triangle edges, tricycles, 3 wise men, peanut butter sandwich 4's: car wheels, seasons, members of the Beatles 5's: fingers, toes, minute hand on the clock 6's: half dozen eggs, 6 pack of soda 7's: days of the week, points in a football game, the Harry Potters eries (7 books in all), 7 continents 8's: octopus legs, octagon, spider legs 9's: tic tac toe game, lives of a cat, fingers (if you lose one in an accident-kids love this one)
Step 3: Practice with help	Encourage your child to use strategies (their pictures) to finish the worksheets. (this part is really important)
Step 4: On your own	Remind your child to use strategies to finish the worksheets independently.
Step 5: Stay sharp	Post the Pictures your child drew where they are visible. Pull the $\times 2$ cards out of a deck of flashcards and practice those 1x a week. Once comfortable combine $\times 0$ and $\times 1$ cards and practice.