

ALDER COPPICE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Achievement through Commitment

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Rocking our way through January!

We are excited to announce the `Rocking Through January` times tables competition. This is a thrilling opportunity for our pupils to challenge themselves, improve their times tables skills and receive a reward.

From **January 12 to February 5**, children will be given the regular opportunity to use the **TTRS app** in school to take part in this competition. We highly encourage them to utilise the app at home to rack up the points, as the more correct answers they get, the better their chances of winning!



Here's how it works:

- **Goal:** Children need to answer **2000+ correct times tables or division facts** between January 12 and February 5.
- **Reward:** Those who achieve this goal will earn an **extra break time**. 🍌
- **Game of Choice:** The best game to play on the app is **Garage**, where the children will be practicing the times tables they are learning in their class. Their teacher has already set the app to match their year group's specific times tables.

Times tables are key to accessing a huge part of the Maths curriculum. The more the children practise, the more points they accumulate, which will lead to not only an improved understanding of times tables, but the chance to enjoy an extra break time to celebrate their hard work!

This is a fun, engaging way to get the children excited about their learning, and we're always thrilled to see the progress made. To make the most of the competition, encourage your child to play regularly on the app at home, and don't forget to cheer them on as they work towards their goal of **2000** correct answers!

As always, thank you for your support and let's make January a month full of learning, excitement, and achievement!

Kind regards,

Mr Lawrence

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