


## Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2026 Year Three Homework

Maths	<p>This week we have been learning to multiply a 2 digit number by a 1 digit number with partitioning,</p> $23 \times 3 =$ $20 \times 3 = 60$ $3 \times 3 = 9$ $60 + 9 = 69$ <p>So <math>23 \times 3 = 69</math></p>
Arithmetic Test- Tuesday	<p>Our arithmetic test this week will be multiplying 2 digit numbers by 1 digit numbers.</p> <p>Please practice partitioning into tens and ones to support your working out.</p>
Spelling Test- Thursday	<p>Our spellings this week are words which end with the suffix 'tion'</p> <p>Action Emotion Celebration</p>
English	<p>This week we have been continuing to use inverted commas for speech marks.</p>

Year Three Maths Homework- Due on Wednesday

Must-

**Multiply a 2-Digit Number by a 1-Digit Number – No Exchange** 

1) Complete the statements to match each representation

a)

T	O

\_\_\_ tens × \_\_\_ + \_\_\_ ones × \_\_\_ = \_\_\_ + \_\_\_ = \_\_\_

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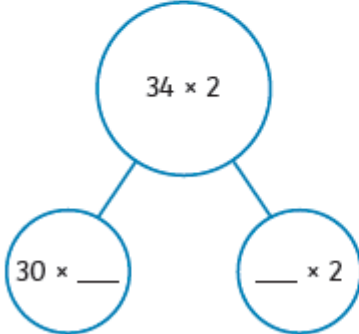
\_\_\_ × \_\_\_ = \_\_\_

2) Draw place value counters in the place value chart to represent the given calculation.

$31 \times 3$

T	O

3) Complete the part-whole model and the statements to multiply 34 by 2.




\_\_\_ × 2 = \_\_\_

4 × \_\_\_ = \_\_\_

\_\_\_ + \_\_\_ = \_\_\_

34 × 2 = \_\_\_



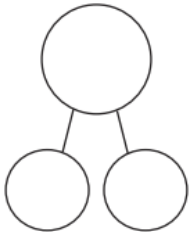
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To multiply using informal written methods.



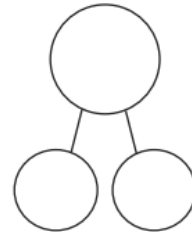
1) Solve the multiplication calculations using part-whole models and place value charts.

a)  $15 \times 3 =$



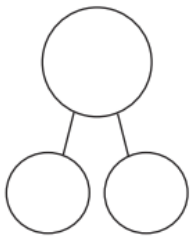
Tens	Ones

b)  $22 \times 4 =$



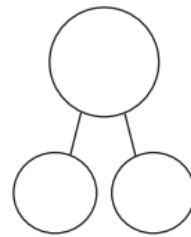
Tens	Ones

c)  $33 \times 5 =$



Tens	Ones

d)  $45 \times 3 =$



Tens	Ones

**Must**

# Direct Speech Punctuation



When a character is speaking in a story, we use inverted commas around the words they say. These are also known as speech marks.

For example: **"This place is becoming a mess,"** says Struppi.



Here are some sentences from the Twinkl Originals story [The Squeaker](#). Tick which ones have the inverted commas in the right place.

1. "What can we do?" asks Mitzi.  
What can we do? "asks Mitzi."
2. Help, "says a little voice from inside the crisp packet."  
"Help," says a little voice from inside the crisp packet.
3. This is getting silly, "moans Buckles."  
"This is getting silly," moans Buckles.
4. "Where's it all coming from?" asks Alberto.  
Where's it all coming from? "asks Alberto."
5. It's perfect, "says Buckles."  
"It's perfect," says Buckles.
6. "I've nearly made it across," says Pinito.  
I've nearly made it across, "says Pinito."

Now, add inverted commas to these sentences.

7. You could have been squashed, cries Mitzi.
8. These ideas are *too* dangerous, says Buckles.
9. Yes! shout Mack and Peggy together.
10. Don't worry, Buckles calls excitedly.



## Challenge

What could the mice in this picture be saying to each other?  
Write some sentences using direct speech.

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Alberto

Buckles

Otto

## Could

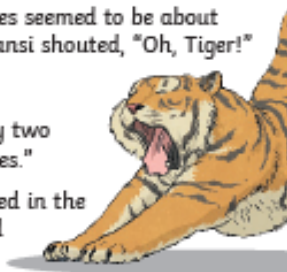
# Anansi and the Tiger

Anansi the spider was jealous of Tiger because all of the forest stories seemed to be about him. So, he decided to pay the animal a visit. At the large cave, Anansi shouted, "Oh, Tiger!"

"What do you want?" snarled Tiger.

"I am here to suggest a trade," replied Anansi. "I will bring you any two things that you ask for. In return, you will give me all of your stories."

Wanting to get back at Anansi for all of the tricks that he had played in the past, Tiger accepted the trade. "OK, I want you to bring me a barrel full of bees and a python."



Anansi agreed and set off towards a large, buzzing tree. Standing by the trunk, he shouted, "Oh, Queen Bee!"

"Can I help you?" she replied.

"Is it true," began Anansi, "that bees are always arguing? I've heard that you spend all of your time squabbling with each other."

"Nonsense!" replied Queen Bee. "Bees work well together and never argue."

"I've heard that you're so rubbish at working as a team that you wouldn't even be able to gather inside this barrel," said Anansi, holding out a barrel.

"Prepare to be proved wrong!" shouted Queen Bee. She whistled and the bees immediately began to line up inside the barrel. When they were all inside, Anansi slammed on the lid.



Next, Anansi set off to find Python. When he found the snake snoozing on a nearby branch, he called up, "Oh, Python!"

"Can I help you?" she asked.

"Is it true," began Anansi, "that Cobra is the longest snake in the forest?"

"Of course not!" spat Python. "I am!"



## Anansi and the Tiger

"Oh," replied Anansi. "Well, I just measured Cobra and they were as long as this stick. Could you lie against the stick to prove that you are longer?" Python stretched up against the stick. However, she couldn't stretch herself to the end. "I see the problem," explained Anansi. "You're too wiggly. I'll tie your tail to the end of the stick. Then, you'll be able to stretch to the end." When this didn't work, Anansi offered to tie the snake's middle to the stick. Python agreed. By this point, the snake was trapped on the stick and Anansi began carrying her back to Tiger.

Tiger was shocked to see that Anansi had brought both of the items he had asked for. As promised, he handed over his stories to Anansi.

If you were to visit the forest today, you wouldn't hear any stories about a tiger. Instead, you would hear many tales about a spider named Anansi.



1. How did Tiger reply to Anansi? Tick one.

- he roared
- he snarled
- he whispered
- he shouted

2. Where did Anansi find Python? Tick one.

- snoozing on a nearby branch
- at the bottom of a large tree
- inside a large, buzzing tree
- inside a dark cave

3. Number the events from 1–4 to show the order that they happened in.

- Anansi tricked Python.
- Anansi suggested a trade to Tiger.
- Stories about a tiger disappeared.
- Anansi tricked Queen Bee.

4. She whistled and the bees immediately began to line up inside the barrel.

What does the word 'immediately' mean in this sentence? Tick one.

- They waited for the next instruction.
- They didn't want to line up.
- They lined up straight away.
- They lined up quickly.

5. Fill in the missing words.

"Oh," replied Anansi. "Well, I just measured \_\_\_\_\_ and they were as long as this \_\_\_\_\_."

6. Why was Anansi jealous of Tiger?

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7. Using 20 words or fewer, explain how Anansi tricked Queen Bee.

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8. How do you think that Python was feeling as she was being carried back to Tiger's cave?



Explain your answer.

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# Spellings- Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2026

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Action					
Affection					
Celebration					
Education					
Emotion					
Infection					
Invention					
Meditation					
Station					
Vacation					