## Multiplication and Division: Matilda and Derek

## Aim:

Calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division within the multiplication tables and write them using the multiplication (×), division ( $\div$ ) and equals (=) signs.

I can write multiplication and division statements for the 2, 5 and 10 times tables.

| Success Criteria: | Resources: <br> I can multiply and divide by 2,5 and 10. |
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| Lesson Pack |  |

## Preparation:

Differentiated Matilda and Derek Activity Sheet - 1 per child

Prior Learning: | It will be helpful if children have learned to write multiplication sentences and division statements (covered in Calculate |
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| Mathematical Statements (1) The Multiplying Machine and Calculate Mathematical Statements (2) Derek the Divider). |

## Learning Sequence

Cross Numbers! A multiplication and division crossword is shown on the Lesson Presentation. Divide the class into
2 groups: one group does the across clues and the other group does the down clues. The first team to complete all
their questions is the winner!

## Masterit

Shopit: Children buy several same cost items from the class shop or are given a total amount to spend. Can they write a multiplication or division sentence for what they have bought?
Collaborateit: Children work together to write as many multiplication or division sentences as they can with the same answer. For example, "How many multiplication and division sentences can you write that equal 10?"
Describeit: Invite children to find examples from their day-to-day lives of multiplication and division, describe them to the class and work together to write a number sentence. This might be shopping with parents, time taken to swim lengths, how many meals they eat in 3 days, etc.

