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Bowl a fact

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➤ Notes for parents and activity.

The purpose of this task is to help your child to:

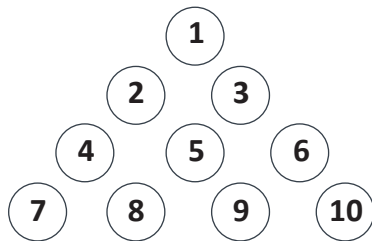
- apply their knowledge of addition, subtraction, multiplication and division to a calculation task.
- quickly recall basic facts

The aim of the game is to be the first person to 'bowl their ten skittles' (cross out each of ten numbers).

You need: at least two players, 3 dice, a pencil and paper for each player

How to play:

1. Each person draws ten circles on their paper and in each circle writes one of the numbers from 1 to 10, like this.



2. Take turns to roll the 3 dice. Using the numbers on the dice and $+$ $-$ \times or \div , make and cross out one of the numbers on your 'skittles'. Write down the equations you used.

For example: If you roll 6, 2 and 3, you can say and write down $6 \times 2 = 12$, and $12 - 3 = 9$, and cross out number 9.

The numbers can be crossed out in any order. The challenge becomes greater as more numbers are crossed out.

3. If it is not possible to make any of the remaining numbers, a player passes the dice to another player and awaits their next turn to have another chance to 'bowl a fact.'

