

$6 \times \square$

Think '5 x _ plus one more group'

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How to play:

- Use this game to practise using the '6 x _ strategy' think '5 x _ *plus one more group*'.
- Play in pairs or small groups.
- Each player needs a game board (above) and some counters (any colours).
- Each pair or group needs a 6 or 10 sided die for the group to share
- Take turns to roll the die. Calculate 6 x _ (the number rolled), remember to practise the strategy. Just think... '5 x _ *plus one more group*'.
- If the product (answer) is on your board, place a counter on it.
- Ensure you practise using the '6 x _ strategy' to help you learn how it works.
- First person to get three counters in a row (diagonally/horizontally/vertically) wins!

Teacher Talk:

Extend- for high attainers in Maths...

- Rather than using a die, they can use 2-digit number cards or form a 2-digit number by rolling a die twice.
- Then calculate 6 x the 2-digit numbers. Do this in pairs/small groups.
- **For each round**, the student who calculates **the highest number gets a point**.
- Most points in given the time frame, **wins!**