3 x ▮

Think 'double, plus one more group'

9	15	18
21	12	24
27	30	6

How to play:

- Use this game to practise using the '3 x _ strategy' think *'double, 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 one 6 or 10 sided die for the group to share.
- Take turns to roll the die. Calculate '3 x _' (the number rolled).
- If the product (answer) is on your board, place a counter on it.
- Ensure you practise using the '3 x _ strategy' to help you learn how it works! Just think...
  'double, plus one more group'
- 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 3 x 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!**