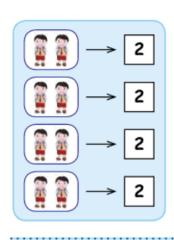
Math

Multiplication

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Introduction to multiplication



A teacher asked her students to pair up and form teams to play a game.

4 pairs of children formed 4 teams.

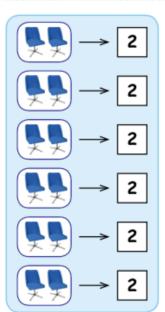
How many were there in a team? 2 students

So, in four teams there were:

$$2 + 2 + 2 + 2 = 8$$
 students. There were four 2s.

or

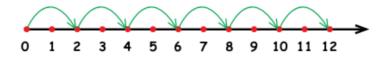
4 times 2 is 8.



There are 6 rows of 2 chairs each. Find how many chairs are there?

Or 6 times 2 is

Also, 6 times 2 is the same as starting from 0 and counting by 2s 6 times.



2+2+2+2+2+2=6 times 2

Observe that each group has an equal number.





