## Mathematics

## Gabriel's problem

Mr Millar

## Try this

Each blue box is the product of the 3 numbers in that row or column.

For example, $6 \times 8 \times 3=144$.
Complete the other blue boxes.

| 6 | 8 | 3 | 144 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 7 | 1 | 5 |  |
| 2 | 9 | 4 |  |
|  |  |  |  |

## Connect

Again, each blue box is the product of the 3 numbers in that row or column.

Complete the other boxes.


| 4 | 3 | 5 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 |  |  | 336 |
| 1 |  | 9 | 18 |
|  | 42 |  |  |

## Independent task

Again, each blue box is the product of the 3 numbers in that row or column.

Complete the other boxes.

| 9 | 3 |  | 162 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 2 | 14 |
|  |  |  | 160 |
| 45 |  | 96 |  |

## Explore

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Complete the other boxes.


|  |  |  | 24 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | 40 |
|  |  |  | 378 |
| 60 | 21 | 288 |  |
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## (Additional questions)

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## Answers

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For example, $6 \times 8 \times 3=144$.
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| 6 | 8 | 3 | 144 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 7 | 1 | 5 | 35 |
| 2 | 9 | 4 | 72 |
| 84 | 72 | 60 |  |

## Connect

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Complete the other boxes.


I will need to use division as well as multiplication here.

| 4 | 3 | 5 | 60 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 8 | 7 | 6 | 336 |
| 1 | 2 | 9 | 18 |
| 32 | 42 | 270 |  |

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