Mathematics

## Number Talk Worksheet

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## Try this

Copy and fill in the gaps in the calculations below so that each represents the total of 42 dots.


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3 \times(10+\square)
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6 \times(10-\square)
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$\times \times 5+\times 2$

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2 \times(15+\square)
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$\square$

## Independent task

1) Use the axioms to find an efficient strategy to work out these calculations. Is there more than one efficient way?


## Explore

What calculations would you place in each group?


Write your own examples for calculations that you would place in each group.

