

Tuesday – Maths

Multiples

Reminder – common multiples are multiples of more than one number. For example 42 is a multiple of 6, 7, 3 (it is in all of those times tables).

Level 1

In each image – write down the common multiples

1.	Colour the common multiples of four and nine.
	36, 72, 108
2.	Colour the common multiples of two, three and seven.
	42, 84
3.	Colour the common multiples of six, eight and 12.
	24, 48, 72

Level 2

4.	The marine biologists have been studying newly discovered species of fish. Each type of fish is found in a certain group size. The scientists are investigating similarities of group size, including the lowest common group number (lowest common multiple).
a	The lowest common group number is 84 .
b	The lowest common group number is 56 .
c	The lowest common group number is 36 .
d	The lowest common group number is 56 .
e	The lowest common group number is 36 .
f	The marine biologists have lost some data. They know that the lowest common multiple of two numbers is 36. If one number is 12, what might the other number be? 9