

## Times Tables Rock Stars – Parent guide.



1. Type [trockstars.com](https://play.trockstars.com/) into your browser's address bar.

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The mobile app is also available to download on all iOS and Android devices.

2. Log in. Your child's details are as follows:

Username: \_\_\_\_\_ Password: \_\_\_\_\_

A screenshot of the TTRockStars website's login page. The page has a purple header with navigation links: Home, Register, Login (highlighted in pink), Benefits, Getting Started, Events, About, and Contact Us. The main heading is "Sign in" in pink, with decorative flourishes. Below the heading is a light purple login form with three input fields: "Your school or organisation" (with a dropdown menu), "Username Or Email", and "Password". A checkbox for "(Show Password)" is below the password field. A blue "Sign In" button is at the bottom of the form. A link "Forgotten your password? Set yourself a new one." is also present. Three pink callout boxes with arrows point to the input fields, containing the text: "School goes here", "Username goes here", and "Password goes here". At the bottom of the page, there are small icons of children and the text "Designed by Altrollover."

3. Play!

There are 4 different game modes.

### Game Modes



#### **Single Player**

**Garage** - the questions will only come from the times tables the teacher has set for the week. As pupils start to answer questions, TT Rock Stars works out which facts they take longer on and will give them more of these questions to answer. The

Garage is best for getting quicker at a few facts. Players get 10 coins per question.

**Studio** - the questions in the Studio can be anything from 1×1 up to 12×12.

TT Rock Stars calculates each the mean speed from their last 10 games in the Studio and translates into a Rock Status:

≤ 1 sec/qu = **Rock Hero**

≤ 2 secs/qu = **Rock Legend**

≤ 3 secs/qu = **Rock Star**

≤ 4 secs = **Headliner**

≤ 5 secs/qu = **Support Act**

≤ 6 secs/qu = **Breakthrough Artist**

≤ 7 secs/qu = **Unsigned Act**

≤ 8 secs/qu = **Gigger**

≤ 9 secs/qu = **Busker**

≤ 10 secs/qu = **Garage Rocker**

> 10 secs/qu = **Wannabe**

They earn 1 coin per question and the Studio is the place for them to set their best time across all the tables.

## **Multiplayer Modes**

**Rock Arena** - The Arena allows players to compete against all other members of their Band (their Bandmates would need to join the same game in order to compete together).

A new Arena game starts every 15 seconds and once the clock starts they race to answer more questions than the others. In the Arena, questions will only come from the times tables the teacher has set for the week, similar to the Garage. They earn 1 coin per correct answer.

**Rock Festival** - The Rock Festival games are open to players from around the world. Like the Arena, there is no limit to the number of players who can join a game;

however, unlike the Arena, questions are selected at random from  $1 \times 1$  to  $12 \times 12$ .

Pupils might choose the Rock Festival if they were playing at home (and therefore couldn't easily synchronise playing against a classmate) or wanted to compete against others not in their Band. They earn 1 coin per correct answer.

## Stats

If you click on Me > My Stats, a heatmap like the one below will load. It shows how successful your child is at each of the facts. It shows the tables in which they need more practice on.



## E-Safety

Please ensure that your child keeps their password safe and does not share this with anyone (including any sibling(s) or family members).