Mental Arithmetic & Times Tables: Easy Practice Paper 4 Answers

Q#	Answer	Explanation
1	C	8 × 8 = 64. This is a square number worth learning by heart.
2	C	7 × 6 = 42. You can also think of it as double 21.
3	C	Ask how many 6s make 48. Since 6 × 8 = 48, the answer is 8.
4	C	Ask how many 9s make 90. Since 9 × 10 = 90, the answer is 10.
5	D	Double 50 is 100, so double 48 is 100 − 4 = 96.
6	D	Half of 60 is 30, so half of 58 is one less: 29.
7	D	Add 30 to 65 to get 95, then take away the extra 3 to get 92.
8	C	Take 50 from 91 to get 41, then add back the extra 4 to get 45.
9	D	12 × 12 = 144. Split it up: 12 × 10 = 120 and 12 × 2 = 24, and 120 + 24 = 144.
10	C	Dividing by 100 moves every digit two places to the right, so 4,200 becomes 42.
11	C	Work backwards by multiplying: 6 × 7 = 42. Check: 42 ÷ 7 = 6.
12	C	Nine rows of 8 chairs is 9 × 8 = 72 chairs.
13	C	9 × 9 = 81. A quick check: 10 × 9 = 90, then take away one 9 to get 81.
14	B	Count up from 75: 25 more makes 100, then 100 more makes 200, giving 125 altogether.
15	C	From 3:15 pm, 45 minutes later is 4:00 pm, because 15 + 45 = 60 minutes, which is one whole hour.

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