Mental Arithmetic & Times Tables: Easy Practice Paper 5 Answers

Q#	Answer	Explanation
1	D	11 × 7 = 77. In the 11 times table up to 9, the digit is simply repeated: 66, 77, 88.
2	C	6 × 6 = 36. This is a square number worth learning by heart.
3	C	Ask how many 7s make 42. Since 7 × 6 = 42, the answer is 6.
4	C	Halving twice divides by 4: half of 100 is 50, and half of 50 is 25.
5	C	Double 60 is 120 and double 5 is 10, so double 65 is 120 + 10 = 130.
6	C	Half of 40 is 20 and half of 4 is 2, so half of 44 is 22.
7	D	Add 40 to 39 to get 79, then add the remaining 4 to get 83.
8	B	Count up from 27: 3 more makes 30, then 30 more makes 60, giving 33 altogether.
9	D	5 × 12 = 60. You can also halve 12 × 10 = 120 to get 60.
10	C	Multiplying by 100 moves every digit two places to the left, so 7 becomes 700.
11	D	This is the same as 36 ÷ 4. Since 4 × 9 = 36, the missing number is 9.
12	D	Eight tickets at £3 each is 8 × 3 = 24, so they cost £24.
13	D	3 × 9 = 27. A quick check: 3 × 10 = 30, then take away one 3 to get 27.
14	B	Count up from 65: 5 more makes 70, then 30 more makes 100, so 35 must be added.
15	C	Share them out: 36 ÷ 4 = 9 sweets each.

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