Multiples

Multiples are Just Like Times Tables

So the multiples of 2 are just the numbers in the 2 times table:

2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 ...

It's easy to remember: MULTIPLes are just MULTIPLication tables.

The multiples of 8 are 8 16 24 32 40 48 ...

The multiples of 6 are 6 12 18 24 30 36 42 ...

The multiples of 12 are 12 24 36 48 60 72 84 ...

The Last Digit

Some multiples are easier to spot than others. Have a look at the multiples of 10:

10 20 30 40 50 60 ...

They all end in zero.

It's nearly the same for 5:

5 10 15 20 25 30 ...

They all end in five or zero.

and again for 2:

2 4 6 8 10 12 14 16 18 20 ...

They all end in 0, 2, 4, 6, or 8

EXAMPLES: 50 ends in zero, so it's a multiple of 2, a multiple of 5 and a multiple of 10.
175 ends in five, so it's a multiple of 5.
364 ends in four, so it's a multiple of 2.

Finding Multiples — Use a Calculator

1) You can find the multiples of any number really easily using your CALCULATOR.
2) Just keep ADDING the same number — for example, to find the multiples of 8 (the 8 times table) just press 8+8+8+8+... and read the numbers off the display.