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Dear Sharon School Families,

Congratulations on the completion of a successful 2021-2022 school year! We are so proud of our students' growth and progress. We appreciate your continued support and partnership within our schools. In the Robbinsville community, we believe that learning should continue over the summer months. Attached you will find English Language Arts and Mathematics activities, designed by our K-5 instructional coaches, to reinforce the most significant literacy concepts taught during this past school year. We encourage you to continue the learning at home with these suggested Summer Assignments provided by our K-5 instructional coaches. *Like last year*; we are also offering optional summer learning opportunities for incoming Kindergarten students and families.

Our incoming 1st-5th graders are strongly encouraged to complete the provided Summer English Language Arts and Mathematics Assignments, **but these are not mandated assignments**. This packet includes a summer reading log, along with the written responses. Students should hand in any completed summer assignments to their homeroom teacher by Thursday, September 15th. In addition, students will have access to Lexia, the online learning reading platform over the summer through Classlink. The Robbinsville Public Library will also have our K-5 suggested summer reading book list available. The completion of the Summer Assignments assists our teachers to get to know your child and to support their planning for differentiation. We hope that you and your child enjoy these suggested learning activities and resources.

Please read carefully through the following resources and activities. We hope that you find our Summer Assignments useful for your child's summer learning and know that you are welcomed to reach out to us if you have any questions. All Summer Assignments and related resources can be found on our district website under 'Curriculum'. If needed, printed copies of the Summer Assignments will be available for all incoming grades at the Sharon School main office.

Sincerely,

Laura Bond, Sarah Moore, and the K-5 Instructional Coaches

11 Creative Ways to Read as a Family

Research shows that children who read over the summer maintain reading development and score higher on reading assessments when they return to school in the fall.

"...children who do not read in the summer lose two to three months of reading development while kids who do read tend to gain a month of reading proficiency. This creates a three to four month gap every year. Every two or three years the kids who don't read in the summer fall a year behind the kids who do."

University of Tennessee, Knoxville, faculty member Richard Allington, who conducted a three year study showing a significantly higher level of reading achievement in students who read over the summer.

- 1. **Nourishing the Meal Time** Have your kids read recipes aloud to you while you're cooking dinner. From ingredient lists to cooking directions, this kind of family reading will help build vocabulary, fluency...and dessert!
- 2. Guess Who's Coming to Dinner? While your family is eating together, discuss what your favorite characters would have for dinner <u>Harry Potter</u> might like pumpkin juice and chocolate frogs while <u>Geronomo Silton</u> could crave some cheese! Incorporating characters of favorite stories into your eating routine is a delicious way to promote deep thinking about character traits and motivation.
- 3. **Story Charades** Choose a story your family knows well like a well-read book or fairytale and act out the beginning, middle, and end of the story. If you have more family than characters, a few could do the acting and the others can be the audience or be the narrator. This activity helps readers reexamine and understand story lines and details.
- 4. Who Am I? Choose one of your child's favorite book characters, then describe his or her personality traits, problems, and physical descriptions until she guesses the character's identity. This game is a fun way to pass time when you're stuck in traffic or at a bus stop.
- 5. **Book Nooks** Create "book nooks" with your child. Book nooks are comfy places to sit and read. They should have good lighting and containers filled with sticky notes, colorful pens, pencils, and a small dictionary. Book nooks will motivate your children not only to read, but to select favorite parts with sticky notes, or look up words they don't know.
- 6. **Marking the Spot** Making bookmarks together is a great, simple family reading activity. Just cut bookmark-sized cardboard from cereal or shoe boxes, then get crafty! Use brightly-colored markers to write titles, authors, and favorite quotes. Younger readers can draw or cut and paste pictures from old magazines.
- 7. **Reach Out and Read** Boost family reading by involving loved-ones who live far away. Using Skype or another video conferencing program, have your child share a book with relatives. Make

- sure the book is one that your reader has read a few times already; repetition is a fantastic way to enhance reading skills. Younger readers love to show-off their fluency, and oral reading builds confidence. Grandma will be pretty thrilled as well.
- 8. **Kid Karaoke** Download songs and their lyrics for a family karaoke night. Seeing words and singing them at the same time is a fun way to develop vocabulary...and practice your Elvis impersonations!
- 9. **Family Reading Web pages** Using simple and free online programs, create a family reading Web page. Include sections for each family member's book reviews, favorite book lists, "authors I'd like to lunch with" lists, pictures of famous authors, links to local libraries, kid-safe fan pages, and reading games.
- 10. Visit the Robbinsville Public Library We are grateful for our partnership with the Robbinsville Branch of the Mercer County Library System. The Library is currently open for public browsing and curbside pick up. Students can search for ebooks in their catalog and download them through Hoopla and elibraryNJ. The Mercer County Library System is temporarily allowing online library card registrations. Robbinsville families can fill out a form on the library's website (https://mcl.org/catalog/library-card-application).
- 11. Visit the Robbinsville Public Schools Website Here you will find all of the assignments and additional resources. If you need assistance with reading materials or printed copies please call the Sharon School Main Office.

Source: Scholastic

Name

SUMMER READING LOG

Select a book to read. Record the title, author, and date completed. Note whether the book was easy (E), just right (JR), or challenging (C)

Title	Author	Date Completed	E, JR, C

Grades 1-5 Recommended Reading Choices					
Incoming 1 st grade	Incoming 2 nd Grade	Incoming 3 rd Grade	Incoming 4 th Grade	Incoming 5 th Grade	
Biscuit Series by Alyssa Satin Capucilli Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Do You See by Bill Martin Footprints in the Snow by Cynthia Benjamin I Went Walking by Sue Williams Rain by Robert Kalan Rainbow of my Own by Don Freeman Sleepy Dog by Harriet Ziefert Bears, Bears Everywhere by Luella Connelly I am Water by Jean Marzollo Here are My Hands by Bill Martin The Foot Book by Dr. Seuss Hop on Pop by Dr. Seuss Wheels by Annie Cobb Bears on Wheels by Stan and Jan Berenstain	The Fly Guy Series by Ted Arnold Leo the Late Bloomer by Robert Kraus Noisy Nora by Rosemary Wells The Napping House by Audrey Wood The Littles series by John Peterson Bear Shadow by Frank Asch Charlie Needs a Cloak by Tomie DePaola Danny and the Dinosaur by Syd Hoff Curious George by Margaret Rey (various authors) Addie's Bad Day by Joan Robins Jamberry by Bruce Degen The Doorbell Rang by Pat Hutchins Peter's Chair by Ezra Keats The Grandma Mix-up	Pinky and Rex series by James Howe Judy Moody series by Megan McDonald Black Lagoon series by Mike Thaler Nate the Great series by Marjorie Weinman Sharmat Horrible Harry series by Suzy Kline Junie B. Jones series by Barbara Park Magic Tree House series by Mary Pope Osborne Arthur series by Marc Tolonn Brown Polk Street series by Patricia Reilly Giff A-Z Mysteries by Ron Roy Amber Brown series by Paula Danziger How to be Cool in Third Grade by Betsy Duffey Calendar Mysteries by Ron Roy My Weird School	Aliens Ate my Homework by Bruce Coville Superfudge by Judy Blume Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing by Judy Blume There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom by Louis Sachar The Field Guide by Tony DiTerlizzi Holly Black The Magician's Boy by Susan Cooper The Stonekeeper by Kazu Kibuishi Because of Winn Dixie by Kate DiCamillo Hank Zipper series by Henry Winkler The Basket Counts by Matt Christopher The Jacket by Andrew Clements The Landry News by Andrew Clements Poppy by Avi The Doll People by Ann M. Martin and	Sarah, Plain and Tall by Patricia MacLachlan Every Living Thing by Cynthia Rylant The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane by Kate DiCamillo From The Mixed Up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler by E. L. Konigsburg The Lemonade War by Jacqueline Davies Flying Solo by Ralph Fletcher The Family Under the Bridge by Natalie Savage Carlson In the Year of the Boar and Jackie Robinson by Bette Bao Lord The Percy Jackson series by Rick Riordan The Borrowers by Mary Norton How the Stars Fell into the Sky by Jerrie Oughton	
Step into Reading Book Series: A Step 1 Book	by Emily McCully	series by Dan Gutman	Laura Godwin Eleven Birthdays by Wendy Mass	The Janitor's Boy by Andrew Clements	

Level 1 series - Sam by Mary LaBatt Various titles by Eric Carle Buzz Beaker series by Cari Meister *Tiny* series by Cari Meister Yoko series by Rosemary Wells The Little Red Hen. The Three Bears, and other titles by Byron Barton Kitten's First Full Moon by Kevin Henkes Old Bear by Kevin Henkes *Little White Rabbit* by Kevin Henkes Waiting by Kevin Henkes Various titles by Bill Martin Various titles by Karma Wilson Fancy Nancy easy reader series by Jane O'Connor Various titles by Mo Willems The Smallest Girl in the Smallest Grade bv Justin Roberts *The Big Umbrella* by Amy June Bates The Rabbit Listened By Cori Doerrfeld *Grumpy Goat* by **Brett Helquist**

The Blind Men and *the Elephant* by Karen Backstein Bedtime for Francis by Russell Hoban Pocket for Corduroy by Don Freeman Stick and Stone by Beth Ferry The Trotters of Tweeville Series by local author Shirin Zarqa-Lederman Katie Woo series by Fran Manushkin Various Titles by Kevin Henkes Stand Tall Molly Lou Melon by Patty Lovell Stink series by Megan McDonald Ready Freddy series by Abby Klein Annie & Snowball series by Cynthia Rylant Nancy Clancy series by Jane O'Connor *Frog and Toad* by Arnold Lobel Bear series by Bonny Becker Various titles by Ame Dyckman local author Bad Kitty series by Nick Bruel Young Cam Jansen by David Adler Various titles by Doreen Cronin Ivy & Bean series by

Annie Barrows

Baseball Card Adventures by Dan Gutman Genius Files by Dan Gutman The Year of Billy Miller by Kevin Henkes Shredderman series by Wendelin Van Draanen *Melonhead* series by Katy Kelly *Nerdy Birdy* by Aaron Reynolds A Chair for My Mother By Vera B. Williams Dragon was Terrible by Kelly DiPucchio Most People by Michael Leannah A Hat for Mrs. Goldman by Michelle Edwards & G. Brian Karas Extra Yarn by Mac Barnett & Jon Klassen Last Stop on Market Street by Matt de la Pena

Clementine series by Sarah Pennybacker Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis Doll People by Ann M. Martin (is now a series) So Be It by Sarah Weeks and other various titles Various titles by Wendy Massi Nory Ryan's Song by Patricia Reilly Giff The Pictures of Hollis Woods by Patricia Reilly Giff Eleven by Patricia Reilly Giff The One and Only *Ivan* by Katherine **Applegate** Various titles by Mike Lupica

Chasing Vermeer by Blue Balliett *Long Shot* by Mike Lupica Joey Pigza *Swallowed the Key* by Jack Gantos *Love That Dog* by Sharon Creech Yellow Bird and Me by Joyce Hansen The Penderwicks: A Summer Tale Of Four Sisters, Two Rabbits, and a very *Interesting-Boy* by Jeanne Birdsall Save Me a Seat by Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan Pax by Sara Pennypacker *Fish in a Tree* by Lynda Lulally Hunt Wishtree by Katherine Applegate

Sammy Keyes series Preacher's Boy by Katherine Patterson May Bird and the Ever After by Jodi Lynn Anderson Wonder by R. J. Palacio Holes by Louis Sachar

Front Desk by Kelly Yang

Horrible Bear by Ame Dyckman Plant a Kiss by Amy Krause Rosenthal	Strictly No Elephants By Lisa Mantchev A Sick Day for Amos McGee By Philip Stead Good People Everywhere By Lynea Gillen & Kristina Swarner			
Nonfiction	Nonfiction How Mountains Are	Nonfiction	Nonfiction	Nonfiction
Flying by Donald Crews	Made by Kathleen	The Bravest Dog Ever: The True Story	Great Migration by Jacob Lawrence	Any nonfiction by Mike Venezia
Who Lives Here? by	Weidener Zoehfeld	of Balto by Natalie	Everything Reptile:	Mummies Made in
Rozanne L. Williams	Germs Make Me Sick	Standiford	What Kids Really	Egypt by Aliki
Me and My Amazing	by Melvin Berger	Bug Out! The World's	Want to Know about	The Amazing
Body by Joan	Volcanoes by	Creepiest, Crawliest	Reptiles by Cherie	Impossible Erie
Sweeney	Franklyn Branley	Critters by Ginjer	Winner	Canal by Cheryl
My Five Senses by	The Sky is Full of	Clarke	Spectacular Sharks	Harness
Aliki	Stars by Franklyn	Happy Birthday,	by Bobbie Kalman	Eleanor by Barbara
Baby Dolphin's First	Branley	Martin Luther King	Escaping Titanic: A	Cooney
Day by Connie and	Danger! Volcanoes	by Marzollo	Young Girl's True	A More Perfect
Peter Roop	by Seymour Simon	Amazing Bats by	Story of Survival by	<i>Union</i> by Betsy
Dolphins by Melissa	Abigail Adams by	Seymour Simon	M. Lorbiecki	Maestro
Stewart	Alexandra Wallner	Animals Finding	Owen and Mazee:	Desert Animals by
A is for Autumns by	A Picture Book of	Food by Wendy	The Story of	Connor Dayton
Robert Maass	Eleanor Roosevelt by	Perkins	Remarkable	How Dogs Came
It's Snowing by Gail	David Adler	Kate Shelley and the	Friendship by	From Wolves by Jack
Gibbons The Moon	Sharks by Gail	Midnight Express by	Hatkoff, Kahumbu,	Myers
Book by Gail	Gibbons	Margaret K. Wetterer	and Greste	Blizzards by Jim
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What is the Story of Our Flag? By Janice	Gan Gibbons Gorillas Gentle	Series by Mary Pope	Marsupials by Nic	Any nonfiction by Seymour Simon
Behrens	Giants of the Forest	Osborne and Will	Bishop or any other	Seymour Simon
Animal Babies by	by Joyce Milton	Pope	Bishop nonfiction	
Andrea Pinington	Diving Dolphins by	Magic School Bus	topic	
See Me Grow by	Karen Wallace	Chapter Book Series	Who was series by	
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Starfish by Edith		Storms by Simon		
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	by Jack Knowlton	



Optional Incoming <u>Kindergarten</u> Summer Review

Below are a list of skills that would be beneficial to review over the summer through practice and play.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Math	Number Match Cut and paste to match the different ways to represent the numbers. Pg. 3	Count & Color Count and color, then paste the corresponding digit. Pg. 4	Color by Number Practice number recognition by coloring by number. Pg. 5	Shape Hunt Search your home or the outdoors to find objects of all shapes. Sort by their shape or attributes.
Literacy	Beginning Sounds Look at each picture, say the name of the picture aloud. Identify the first sound you hear. Pg. 9	Rhyme Time Search your home or the outdoors to find pairs of words or names of objects that rhyme.	Uppercase & Lowercase Letter Practice Trace the uppercase and lowercase letters. Circle or star your best 3! Pg. 10	VOOKS Brings books to life with no ads. (Free for 1 month) Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the Vooks website.
Fine Motor	Tracing Trace the dotted lines from one picture to the matching picture. Pg. 12	Cutting Color the picture then cut on the dashed lines using scissors. Pg. 13	Glue Dots Color the apple. Squeeze a dot of glue inside each circle using a bottle of glue. Pg. 14	PlayDoh Using playdoh, create letters to spell your first and last name.
Movement & Mindfulness	Cosmic Yoga Kids Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the Cosmic Yoga Kids YouTube channel.	GoNoodle Dance and sing alongs, yoga, and more! Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the GoNoodle website.	PBS Kids Songs, activities and videos that teach. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the PBS Kids website.	Jack Hartmann Fun movement songs that teach. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the Jack Hartmann YouTube channel.



Optional Incoming Kindergarten Summer Review

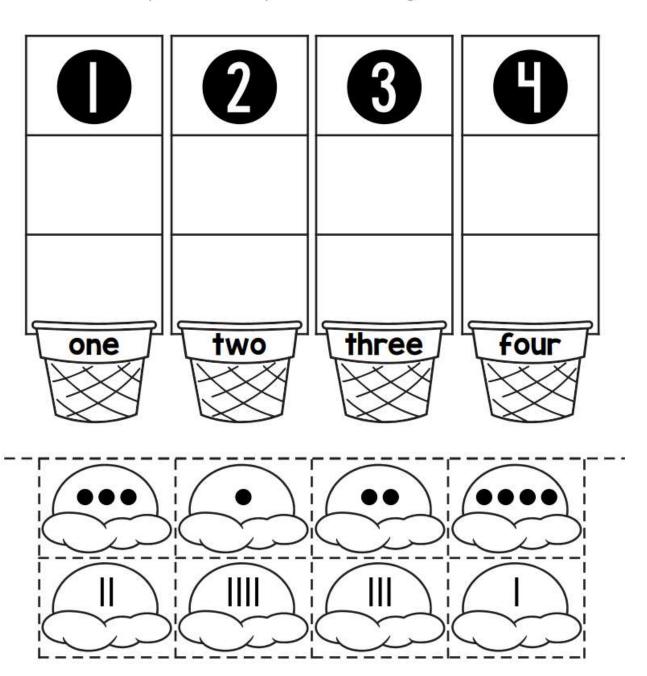
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Math	Patterns Cut and paste to complete the picture patterns. Pg. 6	Number Match Draw a line to match the digit with the number word. Pg. 7	Counting & Number Words Practice subitizing by counting the dots and matching it to the digit. Pg. 8	Measurement Fun Line up your stuffed animals from shortest to tallest.
Literacy	Raz Kids Mini-readers at various levels. (Free for 30 days) Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the RazKids website.	Color by Sight Words Read and color by sight word. Pg. 11	Muli-sensory Letter Formation Pour sand, shaving cream, salt, or rice on a tray or plate. Practice writing uppercase and lowercase letters.	Letter & Sound Hunt Find objects or names that start with the letter /b/ or sound /b/. Try different letters/sounds.
Fine Motor	What's Different? Look at the picture in each row, circle the picture that's different. pg. 15	Tracing Trace the lines from one picture to the matching one. Pg. 16 & 17	Cutting Cut on the dashed lines using scissors. Pg. 18	Sensory Bins Using sand, rice or other sensory objects, create a sensory bin for students to dig, pour, search for things, etc. Scan the QR code for sensory bin inspiration.
Movement & Mindfulness	Cosmic Yoga Kids Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the Cosmic Yoga Kids YouTube channel.	GoNoodle Dance and sing alongs, yoga, and more! Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the GoNoodle website.	PBS Kids Songs, activities and videos that teach. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the PBS Kids website.	Jack Hartmann Fun movement songs that teach. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet to visit the Jack Hartmann YouTube channel.

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Number Match

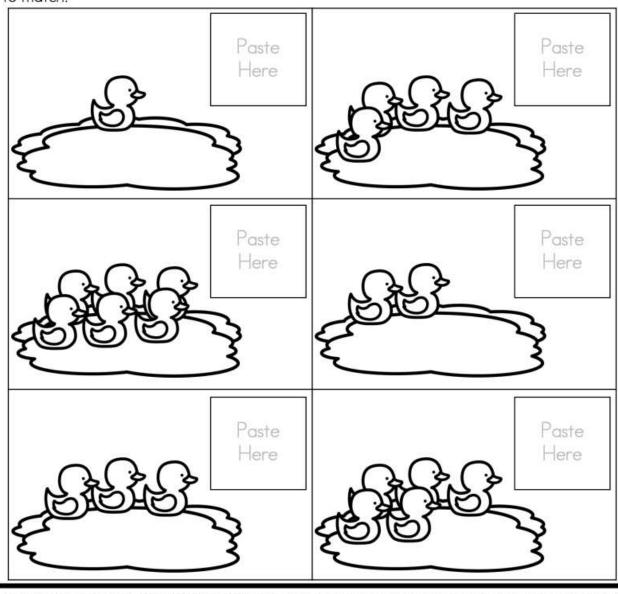
Cut and paste the scoops on the matching ice cream cone.



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Count & Color

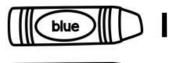
<u>Directions</u>: Count and color the ducks in each pond. Cut and paste the correct number to match.

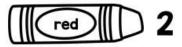


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Color by Number



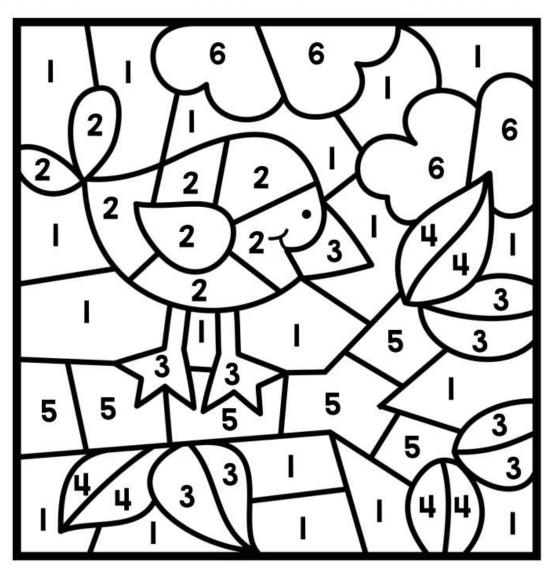








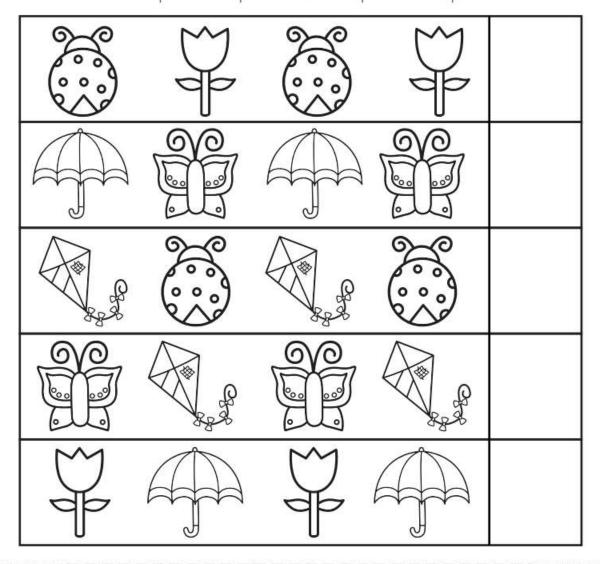


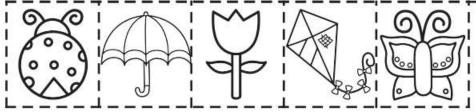


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Patterns

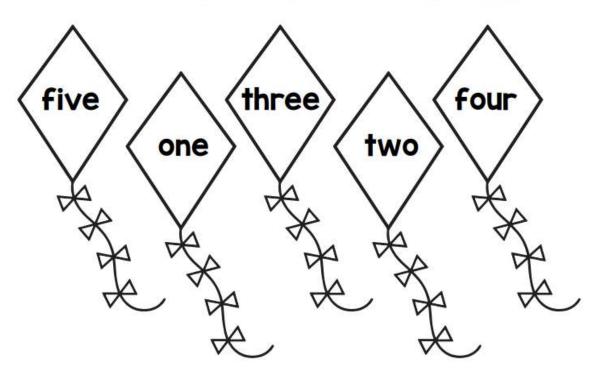
Cut and paste the pictures to complete each pattern.

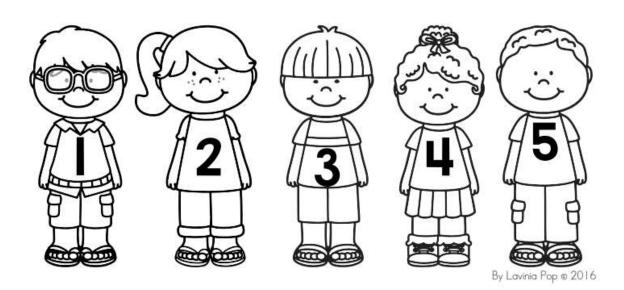




Number Match

Draw a line to match the number words to the numbers.



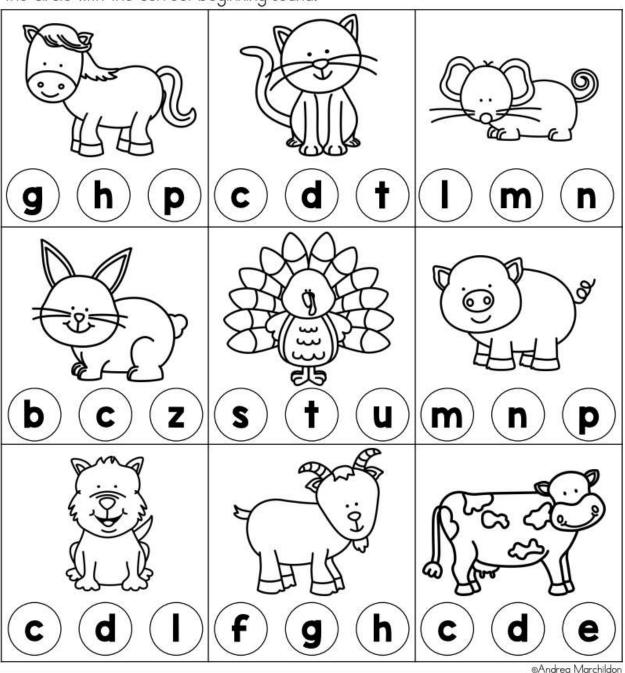


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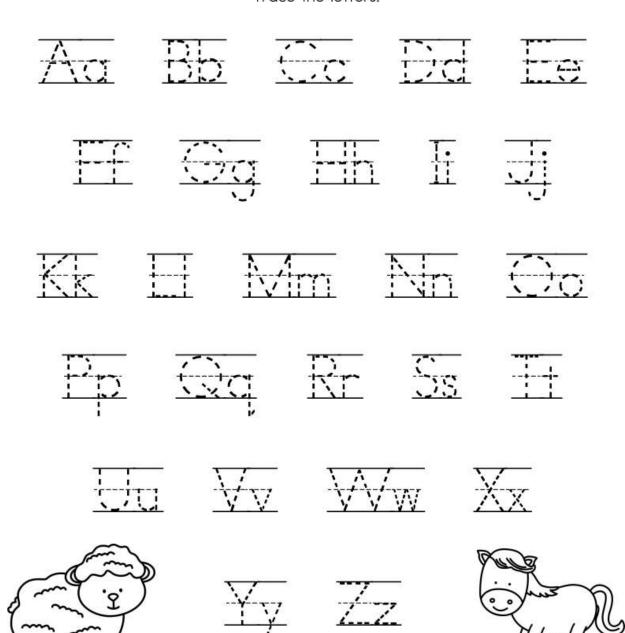
<u>Directions:</u> Look at each picture. Say the name of the picture aloud. Color the circle with the correct beginning sound.



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Uppercase & Lowercase

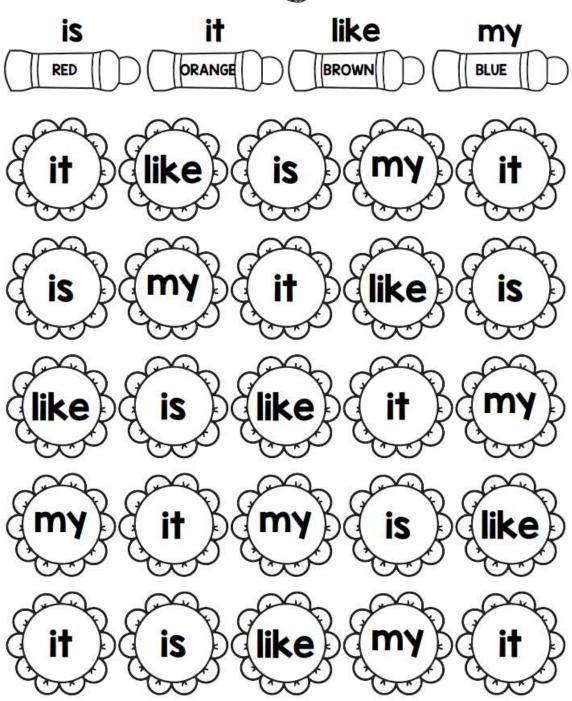
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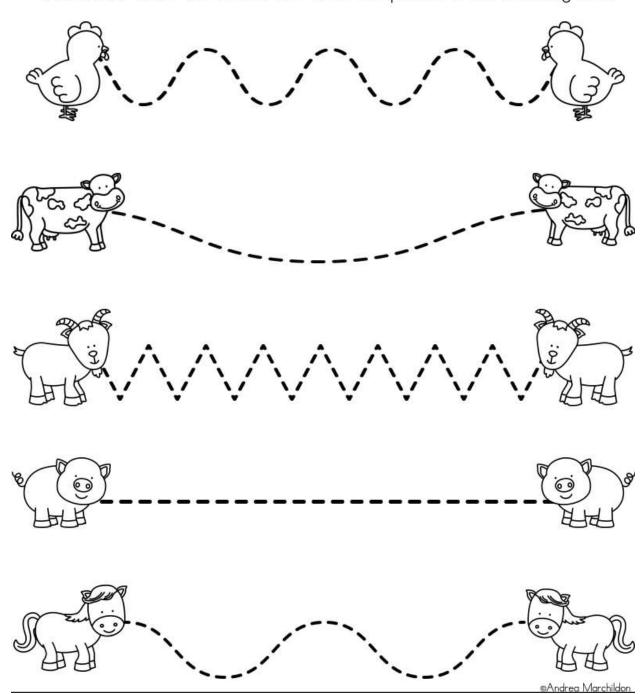
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Let's Trace

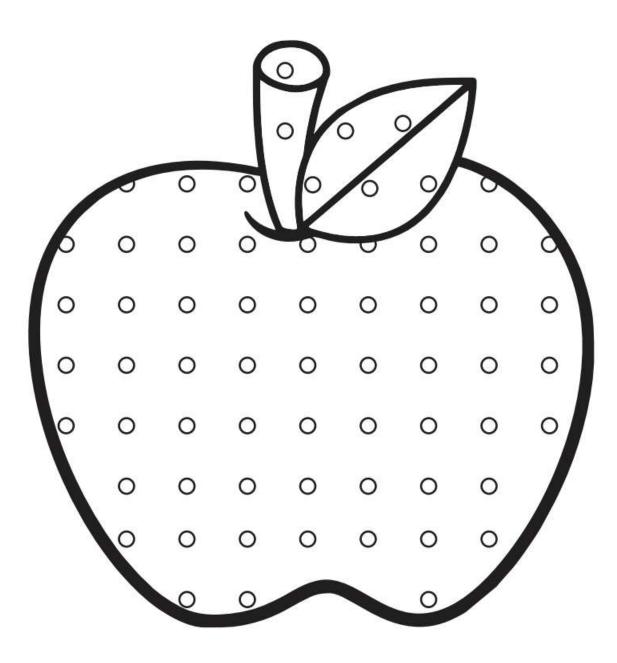
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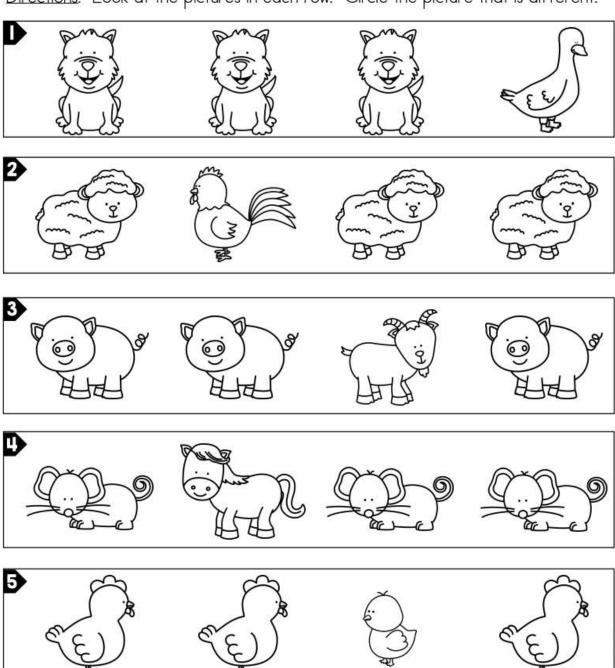
Color the apple. Squeeze a dot of glue inside each circle.



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What's Different?

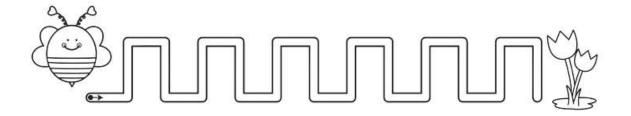
<u>Directions</u>: Look at the pictures in each row. Circle the picture that is different.

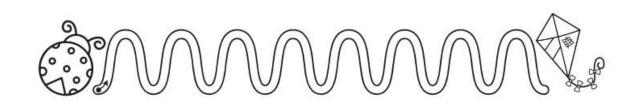


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Pre-Writing Fun







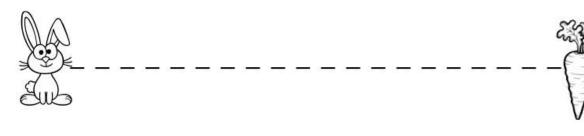


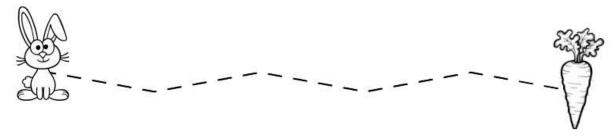


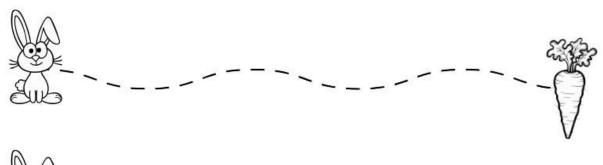
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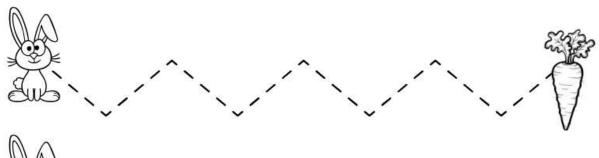
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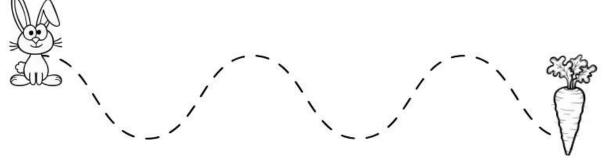
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Incoming First Grade ELA Summer Review

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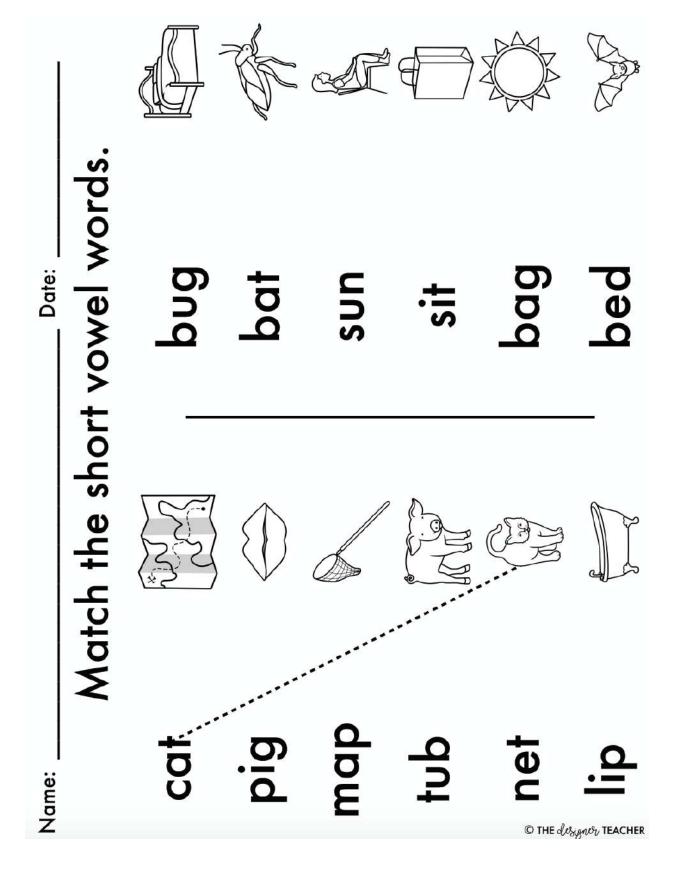
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Week 1	Short Vowel Sounds Match the short vowel words with the picture. Pg. 3	Letter Match Find a fun way to practice matching uppercase and lowercase letters! Ex. magnet letter, letters written on paper or index cards, build letters in play doh)	Phonological Awareness Match the picture to the correct spelling. Pg. 4	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 2	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants and vowels. Read the words. Word List A Pg. 26	Muli-sensory Letter Formation Pour sand, shaving cream, salt, or rice on a tray or plate. Practice writing uppercase and lowercase letters.	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 25	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 3	Short Vowel Sounds Match the short vowel words with the picture. Pg. 5	Letter Formation Trace the uppercase and lowercase letters. Circle or star your best 3! Pg. 6	Phonological Awareness Rhyme Bingo Use the picture cards and bingo boards below to play. See directions. Pages 12-20	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 4	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants, vowels and digraphs. Read the words. Word List B Pg. 27	Decoding/Encoding Read the CVC words, then map the letter to the sounds for each picture. Pg. 8	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 25.	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.



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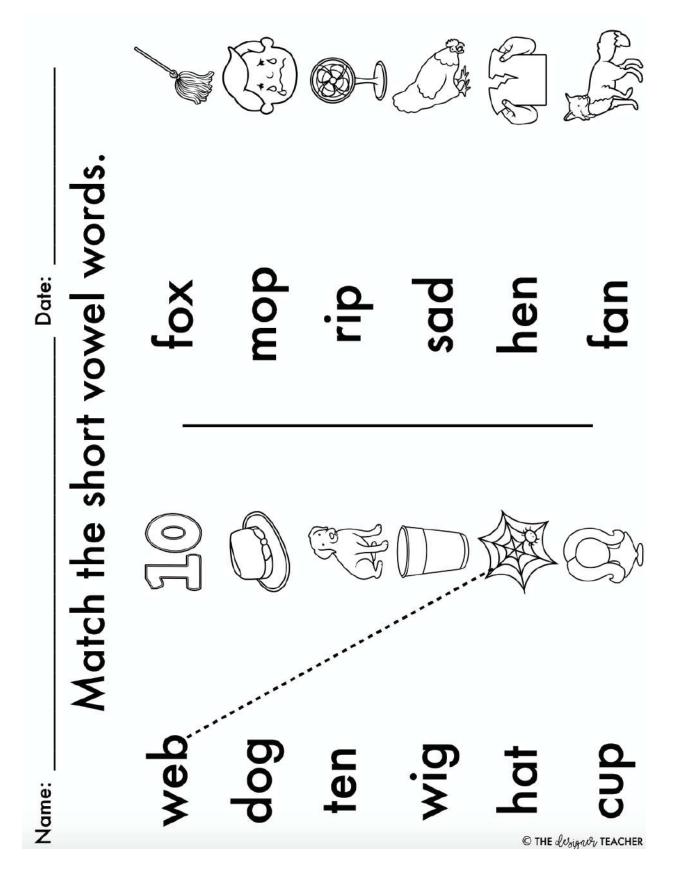
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Week 1	Fluency Roll and read the words. Pg. 9	Sentence Fun Read the sentences and fill in the missing words. Pg. 10	Reading Read the decodable story, "Pat and Nat on the Path." Pg. 11	Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 2	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants and vowels. Read the words. Word List C Pg. 28	Phonological Awareness Rhyme Bingo Use the picture cards and bingo boards below to play. See directions. Pages 12-20	Reading OG Fluency Read the word ladder sentences. Pg. 21	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 3	Comprehension Listen to a fiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pg. 23-24	Reading OG Fluency Find and highlight the digraph (unvoiced th). After, read the sentences. Pg. 22	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 25	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 4	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants and vowels. Read the words. Word List D Pg. 29	Phonological Awareness Match the picture to the correct spelling. Pg. 7	Comprehension Listen to a fiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pg. 23-24	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.



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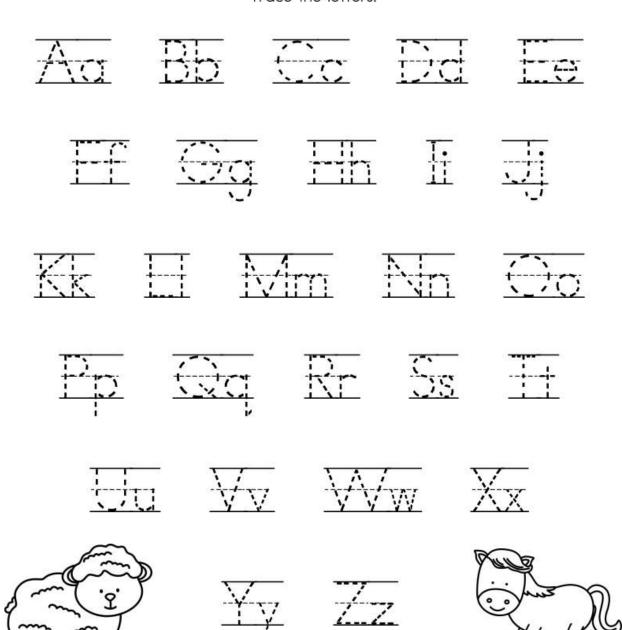
Circle the correct spelling.

	bad	bid	(bed)
المنافع المناف	sad	sed	sod
	weg	wag	wig
	dog	bog	dug
	son	sun	san
10	den	tin	ten
	bat	dat	bet
	big	bug	dug © THE designer TEACHER



Uppercase & Lowercase

Trace the letters.



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Circle the correct spelling.

chop	shop	cop
soc	sok	sock
bath	baf	bash
chip	ship	sip
mof	math	moth
shick	chick	cick
whip	wip	whep
fich	fesh	fish © the disgrey teacher

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 \bigcirc Tap the phonemes for each word, then read the word.

wag	rat	pad	paà
dad	hat	bat	mad



Say the picture name, map the word, then read the word.

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Roll and Read



1	2	3	4	5	6
bet	path	leg	sob	kid	jet
pun	ship	chat	bat	fun	den
thin	sat	shop	wish	sip	shin
with	mash	wig	pot	chin	bud

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	2.	I go to the park in a		•
	3.	My dad has a red _		P
	4.	I take a nap on my _		
	5.	I can take a bath in t	ne	
	6.	The frog is on the		
	7.	My ball is in the	<u> </u>	
	8.	The dog is on my		
	9.	My job is to	·	
3	10.	I see the hot	Smarts	

Decodable Story

Pat and Nat on the Path



Pat the rat has a pal, Nat the cat.

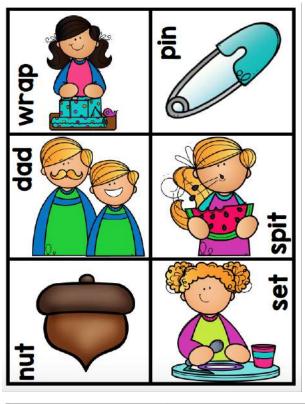
Nat did run on a path.

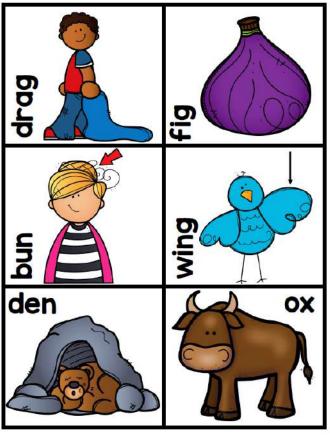
Pat did jog with his bud.

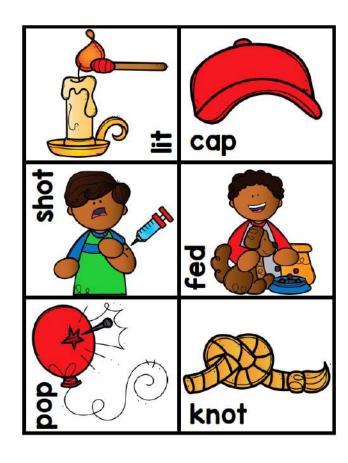
The path was wet and had a lot of mud.

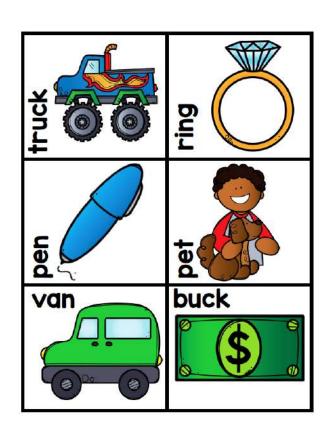
Pat and Nat did get mud on them.

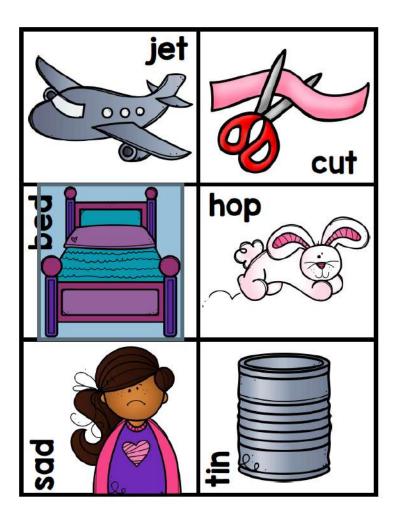
Then, Pat and Nat had a bath to get the mud off.





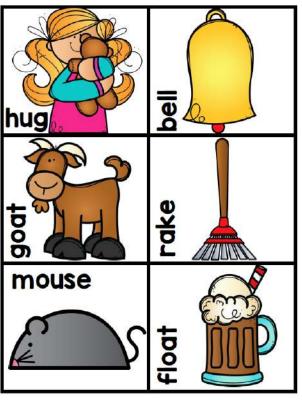






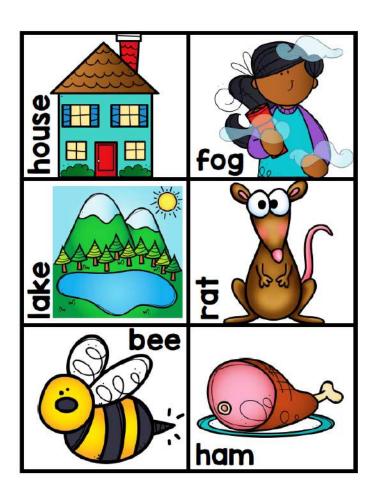


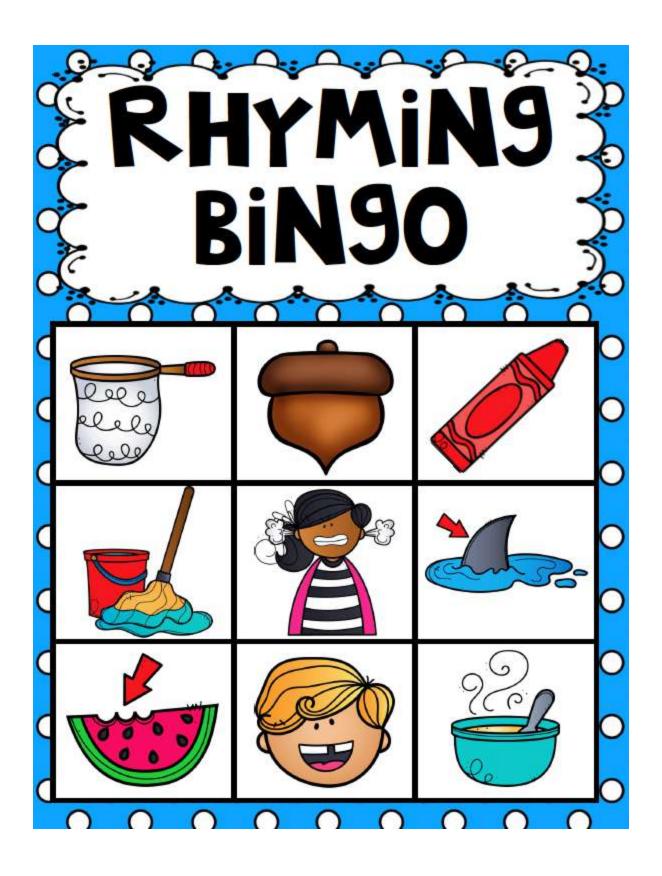




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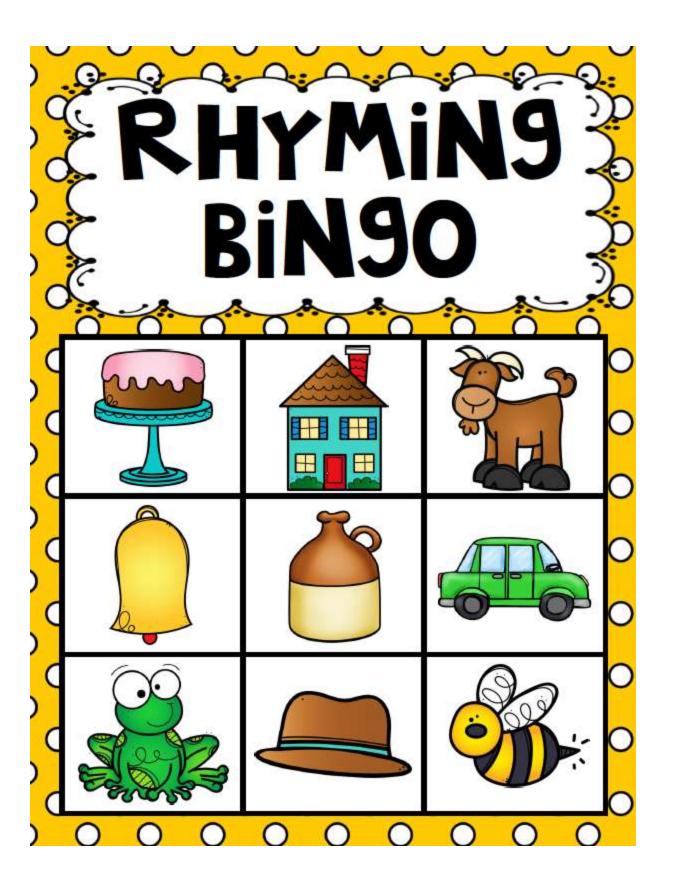
2-or more players. Use items like beans or pennies for markers. Students have to get 3 in a row which can be horizontal, diagonal, top to bottom, and left to right. Students can also play a coverall version as well. The first one to get bingo is the winner!





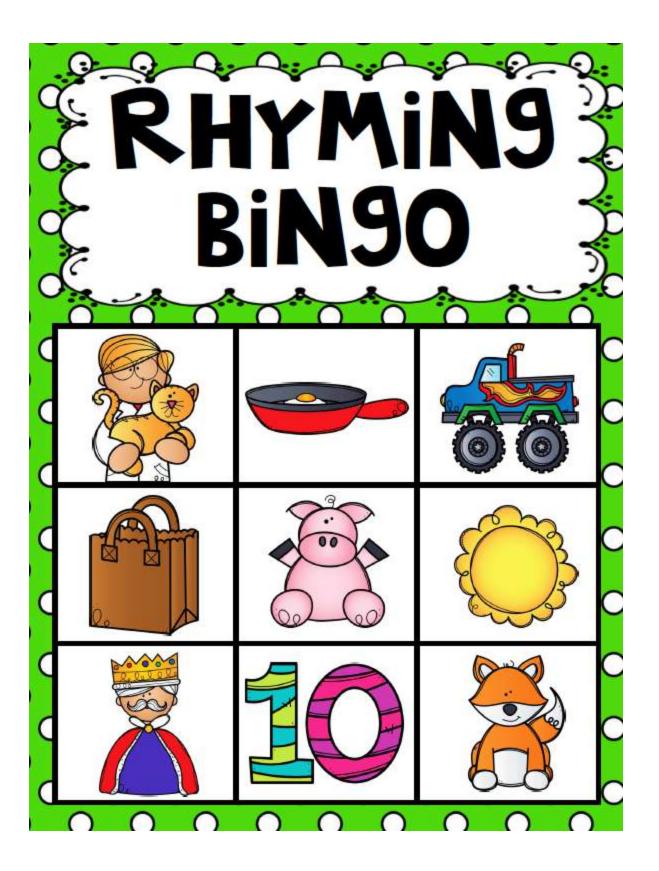
Picture Word List Blue Card

net	nut	red
mop	mad	fin
bit	gap	hot



Picture Word List Yellow Card

cake	house	goat
bell	jug	car
frog	hat	bee



Picture Word List Green Card

vet	pan	truck
bag	pig	sun
king	ten	fox

OG Fluency Green Words 1 Minute Reads

Name	•		

Read each line to build fluency.

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The fish
The fish in
The fish in the
The fish in the red
The fish in the red sash
The fish in the red sash is at
The fish in the red sash is at the
The fish in the red sash is at the shop.

OG Fluency Green Words 7 Minute Reads

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Thursday - Read for 1 minute and color the square orange.

Friday - Read for 1 minute and color the square GREEN!

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Beth in a bath.
The thin cat had a bath.
The thug ran with a bag of cash.
Seth did the math.
Seth on the path.
The as hit the box with a thud.
The dog led the man up the path.
A thin man ran to the bath.
Beth and Seth have fun in math.

Fiction - Summarize

<u>Directions:</u> Read a story, then answer the question.

What are the 3 most important things that happened in your story?

Fiction - Characters

<u>**Directions:**</u> Read a story, then answer the question.

Who is the main character in your story? What is one word you would use to describe this character?

RED Word List

Kindergarten Review

the	five
а	six
is	seven
and	eight
to	nine
I	ten
you	red
me	pink
we	white
no	yellow
like	brown
of	purple
go	green
said	blue
see	black
he	orange
do	ball
my	all
so	will
for	be
from	as
what	by
does	are
they	went
come	eat
look	play
with	jump
zero	was
one	or
two	she
three	has
four	put

Word List A

a	b	C	d
ad	had	am	cat
hag	tag	at	cam
gam	mat	Tam	cad
Tod	dot	qot	Mag
cod	cog	mom	Tom
log	lot	lam	dog
dad	cot	hog	Dom
mad	hat	lad	ham
mam	gag	hod	tad
dod	dam	hot	tot

- 1. Tom got hot.
- 2. The cod got hot.
- 3. The cad is mad at Dad.
- 4. Dad is mad at Tad.
- 5. The dog is at the dam.
- 6. Dad got mad at the lad.

- 7. Mom got mad at the cat.
- 8. The ham is hot.
- 9. <u>Is</u> mom mad at <u>the</u> cat?
- 10. The lad had a cot.
- II. Mom got <u>a</u> hat.
- 12. The cat and the lad had cod.

Word List B

a	b	C	d
hit	pig	Kip	ram
hit dip	jut	pod	Kim
jog	fob	dub	much
jog big	cud	mid	pom
kid	tab	jag	such
chap	kit	rut	bag
did	pup	chip	fat
tub	chat	сар	jam
	lop	jab	fog
jot rich	rim	mid	hut

- 1. The cop got hot.
- 2. Tim hid the pig.
- 3. Mom had <u>a</u> lot <u>of jam</u>.
- 4. Did Kim hit the bug?
- 5. The chap had \underline{a} cap.
- 6. Jud dug <u>a</u> mud hut.

- 7. Tom got <u>a</u> big top.
- 8. Did the ram rip the rag?
- 9. Jim bit the big fig.
- 10. The jug is in the hut.
- II. A kid did jig.
- 12. The hat fit Dot.

Word List C

a	b	C	d
Don	den	sop	ship
get	sit	shim	thus
sag	shot	than	wit
shad	then	with	when
that	wed	whip	yam
win	whop	yap	vet
whim	you	vat	fin
yes	vim	can	men
van	can	ten	sad
not	fed	sun	cash

- I. Pin the tag on Jan.
- 2. Did Tom let the pet beg?
- 3. Sid is a sad man.
- 4. The gash on the ship is big.
- 5. Sam shut the shop.
- 6. It is fun to win.

- 7. Whop that big bug!
- 8. Tom had <u>a</u> yen <u>to</u> run.
- 9. The cat sat on the van.
- 10. The pup can nip Don.
- 11. Jed did not get fed.
- 12. Sal sat in the sun.

Word List D

a	b	C	d
ax	va	zed	hippo
hotel	zo	so	tax
thin	math	Jello	Seth
me	thud	hi	raven
Beth	he	mix	open
quit	even	unit	Rex
	thug	polo	quag
go fa	quid	Max	with
lox	jumbo	bath	limbo
ego	zip	quip	relax

- I. The ax can go into the shed.
- 2. He had lox with the thug.
- 3. She will mix the Jello in the tub.
- 4. Can you open the can of gumbo?
- 5. Did you get into the bath and relax?
- 6. The raven had <u>a</u> chip.

- 7. The alto had an even tempo.
- 8. The math ditto was basic.
- 9. The robot can see the hotel.
- 10. Beth is a cupid with a halo.
- II. \underline{I} got \underline{a} bonus item at \underline{the} shop.
- 12. The hippo was in the mud.



Incoming Second Grade ELA Summer Review

Below are a list of skills that would be beneficial to review over the summer through practice and play.

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Week 1 Phonological Awareness Circle the correct spelling. Pg. 3		Muli-sensory Letter Formation Pour sand, shaving cream, salt, or rice on a tray or plate. Practice writing uppercase and lowercase letters	Reading OG Fluency Highlight the words with -nk and -ng endings. Read the sentences. Pg. 4	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 2	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants and vowels. Read the words. Word List A Pg. 20	Comprehension Listen to a fiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pages 15-18	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 19	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 3	Reading Read the decodable story, "Gale's Home." Pg. 5	Phonological Awareness Match the picture to the correct spelling. Pg. 6	Fluency OG Fluency Highlight the words with -ind, -olt, -ild, -ost and -old endings. Read the sentences. Pg. 7	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexic. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 4	Decoding/Fluency Be a word detective! Find the consonants, vowels and digraphs. Read the words. Word List B Pg. 21	Encoding Look at the picture, tap the beginning, middle and ending sounds, then write the word. Pg. 8	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 19	Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.



Incoming First Grade ELA Summer Review

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Week 1	Phonological Awareness Match the picture to the correct spelling. Pg. 9	Comprehension Listen to a nonfiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pages 15-18	Reading Read the decodable story, "Gale's Home." Pg. 10	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
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Week 3	Comprehension Listen to a fiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pages 15-18	Reading OG Fluency Highlight the words with suffix -ed Read the sentences. Pg. 12	RED Words Find a fun place to practice spelling RED words from the Kindergarten Review List. Ex. outside with chalk. Look for the tricky parts to remember by heart. Pg. 19	Lexia Using your child's account from last year login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.
Week 4	Reading OG Fluency Highlight the words with suffix -ed Read the sentences. Pg. 13	Phonological Awareness Look at the picture, tap the beginning, middle and ending sounds, then write the letters that match the sounds. Pg. 14	Comprehension Listen to a fiction story read aloud. After, choose a reading prompt below to show your understanding of the story. Pages 15-18	Lexia Using your child's account from last year, login to ClassLink to access Lexia. Scan the code below with your phone or tablet if you want to access the ClassLink website.

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Circle the correct spelling.

flog	(frog)	fog
swem	slim	swim
slug	swug	snug
stop	sop	swop
smap	snap	stap
trick	stuck	truck
crock	clock	click
crab	clab	crib © the dosgnor teacher

OG Fluency Green Words 1 Minute Reads

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A frog will sing in the spring. A lot of junk is in the trunk. Frank sank the big plank. Hang the bell and it will clang. The gong rang for the throng. The skunk stunk up the bunk. The bell was hung, and a song was sung. Honk at the possum.

The bug stung the king.

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Gale's Home

Fluency Passage

Gale the mole lived in a hole. The hole was wet and sad. She began to dislike her home. She hoped for a new home. She went to look for a better home. Gale looked at a slide, but it was too big. Gale looked at a tube in the grass, but it was too thin. Gale went back to her hole. A hole can be a fine home.

Name:

Match the words with digraphs. Date:

math

<u>ic</u> shel

neck

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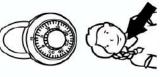
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The bold old man sold the gold.

A colt may bolt if you scold him.

The host and hostess were almost late.

This snappy poster will brighten her day.

A wild child is not mild, but she may be kind.

The volt gave the man a jolt.

I will find gold in the wild.

The mild child was wild.

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	Tap It		
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brush

blug

snap

truck

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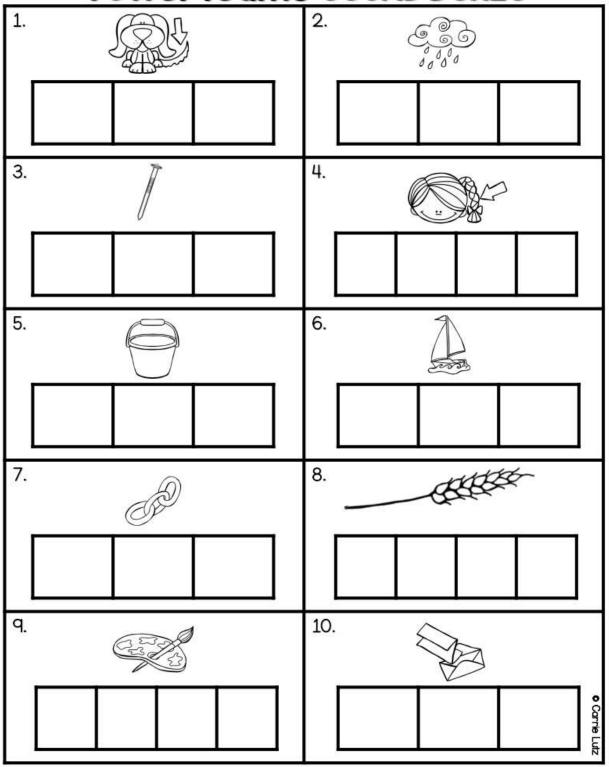


A Wild WEST STORY

"Look! It is gold sand," Oz did say as he led his colt Buzz by a cactus. "I think it is the sunset that gets it to look gold.' Oz was looking at the sunset and did not see the big patch of cactuses to the left of Buzz. Buzz did not see them himself, but he felt them! They got Buzz on the rump. Buzz did jolt and ran as fast as his legs were apt to go. "Buzz! Buzz!" Oz did call to his colt, but Buzz just kept on running. "What got into him?" Oz did think. Buzz was still bucking and kicking in the sand. At last, Buzz did stop. Oz was very glad, and he did not walk but ran fast to his colt. When Oz got to Buzz, he spent a bit checking his legs, brushing his back, and undoing his tack. Still, Oz did not see what got Buzz to bolt. He did look swell. Oz did want to get going, but Buzz did not budge. Then, Oz saw the cactuses. "Buzz, I get it! We will go here then," Oz did say as he saw what had got Buzz to bolt. Bless you Buzz! Those cactuses will get us all to bolt!"

Answer Each Question Below: What time was it in the story?	How long did it take you to read the passages each day?
	O Mon:
What did Buzz do when the cactuses got him?	O Tues:
	O Wed:
Have you ever felt a cactus before?	0 Thurs:
	o Fri: (review)

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/d/, /t/, /id/ - Suffix -ed

I jumped when Pat stamped.

Brad helped his mom scrub the tub.

Van winked at the cat that jumped on the bed.

Frank and Tim rushed to get a picnic on the grass.

What happened when Jen filled the glass with plum pits?

I asked Stan to jump on the bed.

The dog pinched the cat on the neck.

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A prophet can tell what will happen.

Did you fix the phone to make it ring?

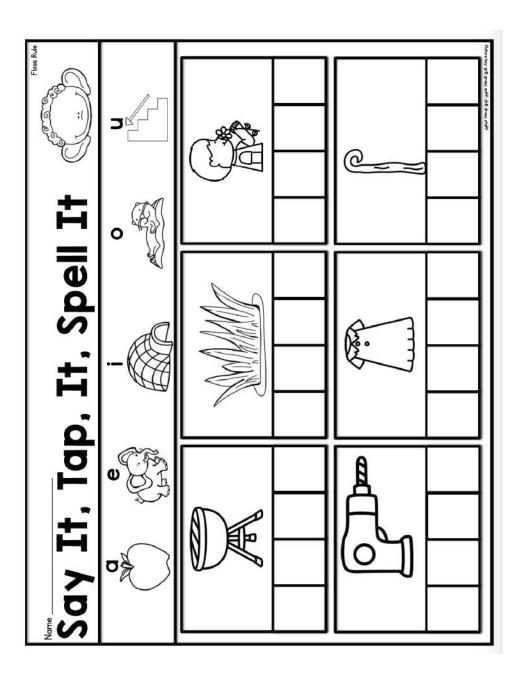
Take a photograph of the phlox.

Ralph sent a pamphlet to the entire class.

Can you compare the size of lakes on a graph?

Phil did not like the dolphin to be inside that tank.

Ralph gave Phil the elephant a phone, a pamphlet, and a graph.



Fiction- Retelling

Prompt: Retell a fiction book that you read. Make sure to include the beginning, middle and end.

Fiction- Setting

Prompt: Describe the setting (when and where the story takes place) of a fiction book that you read.

Fiction- Problem/ Solution

Prompt: Write about the problem of a fiction book that you read and how it is solved.

Nonfiction- New Facts

Prompt: Write about a fact you learned in your nonfiction book that surprised you. Why was this fact surprising?

RED Word List

Second Grade Review

would	cool
could	know
should	I'm
where	also
who	both
give	says
any	out
first	little
friend	girl
very	boy
can't	put
feet	her
said	his
come	puppy
what	love
where	won't
when	too
why	door
because	some
your	brother
good	mother
goes	sister
road	father
were	before
you're	after
almost	become
say	use
walked	able
been	over
about	something
here	anything
they	your
today	hour
want	away
went	knew

Word List A

a	b	C	d
pigpen	jazz	brat	splash
still	strum	plum	swim
grub	clan	snag	nest
split	scam	next	mask
skillet	invest	wisp	bedbug
swift	hundred	suntan	dress
lunch	catfish	smitten	fizz
catnip	stuff	problem	plastic
spell	shrub	classic	skeptic
presto	splendid	dwell	suspect

Sentences:

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- 2. The bedbug will nest with his clan.
- 3. Jim will invest in the suspect.
- 4. Help splash the next catfish.
- 5. The contest was at \underline{a} standstill.
- 6. Can you print with your left hand?

- 7. <u>Do</u> not <u>be</u> <u>a</u> skeptic.
- 8. I will listen to the jazz classic.
- 9. Mike had <u>a</u> tantrum at lunch.
- 10. The pumpkin was in the basket.
- 11. I have a complex problem.
- 12.Can you subtract a hundred from the total?

Word List B

a	b	C	d
spring	yelled	long	acted
crusted	plank	swished	conk
hang	strive	lung	froze
brave	chunk	stove	junk
sink	sang	trunk	stung
happened	commented	insulted	stumped
yank	gong	swing	brink
blaze	slide	frame	grove
bathrobe	trombone	complete	concrete
kingfish	invite	ringlet	songfest

Sentences:

- 1. The grass blade will go in the vase.
- 2. The drink will make him shrink.
- 3. Spring did not last long.
- 4. He <u>was</u> disgusted at <u>the</u> reptile project.
- 5. The sink was filled with a film of scum.
- 6. Hank will tell <u>a</u> hopeless tale.

- 7. It happened \underline{to} be \underline{the} trunk that \underline{was} rusted.
- 8. The elk \underline{is} hunted in \underline{the} springtime.
- 9. She went with Frank to the trombone contest.
- 10. <u>The</u> game lasted <u>a</u> long time.
- 11. The duck picked the spot to consume the fish.
- 12. He commented on the pink bathrobe.

Word List C

a	b	C	d
graph	slack	bleak	croak
stain	phone	click	treat
float	braid	phase	trick
beach	groan	grain	photo
smack	squeak	toast	sprain
phoneme	backlash	steamboat	coastline
contain	photograph	backlog	mealtime
toadstone	retain	teapot	oatmeal
mainstream	leaflet	busload	tailgate
squeamish	peacoat	sustain	impeach

Sentences:

- I. We will <u>see you</u> at <u>the</u> fifth phase <u>of the</u> retreat.
- 2. Please unload the busload back by the tailgate.
- 3. The phone will ring and click.
- 4. The graph will show the main phoneme to use.
- 5. I hope she will be able to explain the complaint.
- 6. The clock will ring at nine for mealtime.

- 7. Will you see the coastline on the boat?
- 8. The leaflet will dictate the lesson.
- 9. The sailboat will sustain the wave.
- 10. Bob will bring the cloak and take a photo.
- II. Help me take $\underline{\text{the}}$ peacock $\underline{\text{to}}$ $\underline{\text{the}}$ beach.
- 12. I would like \underline{to} get \underline{a} note in \underline{my} mailbox.

Incoming Third Grade Summer Reading Packet

Choose at least one fiction and one nonfiction reading response to complete this summer.

Prompt Topic	Genre	Page Numbers	
Retelling	Fiction	1	
Character Changes	Fiction	2	
Lesson Learned	Fiction	3	
Author's Craft	Fiction	4	
Text Features	Nonfiction	5	
Author's Purpose	Nonfiction	6	
New Information	Nonfiction	7	
Text Organization	Nonfiction	8	

Fiction - Retelling

Prompt: Write a retelling of your book. Be sure to include the beginning, middle, and end.

Fiction - Character Changes

Prompt: Write about how the main character changes in this story. What causes the character to change?

<u>Fiction - Lesson Learned</u>

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<u>Fiction - Author's Craft</u>

Prompt: What does the writer of your book do to keep you interested? Provide at least one example.					

Nonfiction - Text Features

Prompt: What nonfiction text features are in your book? How do they nelp you understand the topic better?					

Nonfiction - Author's Purpose

Prompt: Why do you think the author wrote about this topic? What is he or she trying to teach readers?

Nonfiction - New Information

Prompt: What new information aid you learn from reading this book? How does the information in the book connect to your own life?						

Nonfiction - Text Organization

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Incoming Fourth Grade Summer Reading Packet

Week	Genre Page Numbe	
1	Fiction	1-2
2	Fiction	3-4
3	Nonfiction	5-6
4	Nonfiction	7-8
5	Fiction	9-10
6	Fiction	11-12
7	Nonfiction	13-14
8	Nonfiction	15-16

Week 1- Fiction (Required Prompt)

<u>Prompt:</u> Pick one part of the story that you have read so far. How does the main character feel at this part of the story? Why do they feel that
way?

Week 1- Fiction (Optional Prompt)

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Week 2 - Fiction (Required Prompt)

<u>Prompt:</u> Write about the problem of the story and how it is resolved to go with your writing.	ved.

Week 2 - Fiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: What lesson do your characters learn in this story? How does
this lesson help you think about your own life?

Week 3- Nonfiction (Required Prompt)

Prompt: What text features are in this book? How do they help you understand the text?				
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Week 3- Nonfiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: Why is	a good title for this book/text?

<u>Week 4 - Nonfiction</u>

(Required Prompt)

<u>Promp</u>	<u>t:</u> What is	the gen	re of this	s book?	How do	you knov	ν?	

Week 4 - Nonfiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: Sum	ımarize th	ne import	ant inforn	nation in t	he book/ [.]	text.

Week 5 - Fiction (Required Prompt)

Prompt: How does the writer show you what kind of person the main
character is in this story?

Week 5 - Fiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: Do you think the resolution to the problem in this story is a good one? Why do you think that?

Week 6 - Fiction (Required Prompt)

Prompt: How does the main character change in this story? Why does
this character change?

Week 6 - Fiction (Optional Prompt)

<u>Prompt:</u> Explain how the character solves their problem. You can draw
a sketch to go with your writing.

Week 7 - Nonfiction

(Required Prompt)

Prompt: What does the writer do to make sure you understand the content of the book/text?

Week 7 - Nonfiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: ⁻	Talk about	the big ic	dea or me	essage o	f the bool	<.	

Week 8 - Nonfiction (Required Prompt)

Prompt: Why do you think the writer wrote this book?					

Week 8 - Nonfiction (Optional Prompt)

Prompt: What does the writer do to keep you interested? Show an example from the text.

Incoming Fifth Grade Summer Reading Packet

Choose at least one fiction prompt and one nonfiction to complete.

Prompt Topic	Genre	Page Number
Setting	Fiction	1
Author Study	Fiction	2
Big Ideas & Messages	Fiction	3
Summarize	Fiction	4
New and Surprising Facts	Nonfiction	5
Author Study	Nonfiction	6
Important Ideas	Nonfiction	7
Text Features	Nonfiction	8

Fiction - Setting

<u>Prompt:</u> What is the setting of your book, and why is the setting important to the plot? How might your book be different if the setting took place elsewhere? Use text evidence to support your thinking.					

<u>Fiction - Author Study</u>

<u>Prompt:</u> What does the writer do to keep the reader interested in the story? Provide examples from the text, and write how it kept you interested.					

<u>Fiction - Big Ideas & Messages</u>

<u>Prompt:</u> What are the big ideas, or messages, in this story? Use details from the text to support your thinking. How do you find the message?					

Fiction - Summarize

Nonfiction - Surprising Facts

<u>Prompt:</u> What information do you find the most surprising in your nonfiction text? Discuss a few examples and explain why they were surprising?

Nonfiction - Author Study

<u>Directions:</u> Use the nonfiction text you are currently reading to respond to the optional prompt below. Please write in paragraph format, think deeply about the question, and use text evidence to support your answer.

<u>Prompt:</u> How does the writer organize the information written in this book? How else could the author have organized this information? <i>Think: text structures, text features, categories, etc.</i>	
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Nonfiction-Important Ideas

<u>Prompt:</u> What is the main idea in this nonfiction text? Provide text evidence to support the message. How do you find the main idea? Check this out!					

Nonfiction - Text Features

<u>Directions:</u> Use the nonfiction text you are currently reading to respond to the optional prompt below. Please write in paragraph format, think deeply about the question, and use text evidence to support your answer.

Prompt: How are the text features in this book helpful? Provide examples. Then, on the back of this page, draw a text feature you think should be included in the text you read.