Parkside Elementary School Summer English/Language Arts and Math Rising Fourth Grade Recommended Summer Project



Dear Parents/Guardians,

Students entering 4th grade can complete the following assignments prior to the first day of school for the 2020-2021 school year. **This assignment is highly recommended to prevent summer regression.**

ELA Requirements:

This summer students <u>can read two books</u>. Students will produce a project for each book. The first book is highly recommended since they read The Lemonade War in 3rd grade. The 2nd book is a book of your choice!!

1st Book: <u>Lemonade War Crime</u> by Jacqueline Davis: Find out how Evan gets his money back!

Reading Task for the REQUIRED book:

- Write a character journal, writing at least five journal entries as if you are the main character in the story. The story may have more than one main character so it is your choice on which one you select. Each journal entry must include the date and 3 paragraphs with approximately 5-7 sentences per paragraph.
- Paragraph 1: the major events in the chapters
- Paragraph 2: how and why the events affected the character
- Paragraph 3: how the character is changing throughout the story

2nd Book: Select any chapter book of your choice.

Reading Task for the SELECTED book:

- Write a letter to your teacher persuading her on why all 4th grade students should read this book.
 - 1. Start with the date
 - 2. Who are you writing to? Dear
 - 3. Why are you writing the letter?
 - a) Introduce your topic
 - b) Give 3 reasons and support your reasons with evidence
 - c) Write a concluding statement
 - 4. End with a closing. (Your student,)
 - 5. Sign your letter

Math Requirements: Math Requirements: Please visit our website:

http://schools.cms.k12.nc.us/parksideES/Pages/Default.aspx to print a math packet to complete. There are a total of 4 weeks. Click on the assignments titled "Rising 4th grade." Along with the summer packet your child should practice the following math skills:

- Practice and memorize multiplication facts 0-12
- Simplifying and making equivalent fractions

Edgenuity Requirements: It is important to continue using Edgenuity over the summer. Please use the calendar on the back to record the date, time spent working, and the subject you worked on: reading or math. You should try to log 4 days a week, spending about 30 minutes on one subject. (2 days for literacy and 2 days for math)

Edgenuity Calendar

Week 1	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:
Week 2	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:
Week 3	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:
Week 4	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:
Week 5	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:
Week 6	Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
	Time:	Time:	Time:	Time:
	Subject:	Subject:	Subject:	Subject: