



# St. Pius X Catholic School

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Dear St. Pius X Parents,

Welcome to the 2026–2027 school year! My name is Cindy Cabello, and I am thrilled to be your child's fourth-grade teacher. I am already hard at work planning an incredible, growth-filled year for our upcoming student leaders.

To prevent the "summer slide" and ensure a smooth transition into fourth grade, I have prepared a couple of key summer assignments for the students. Below is a quick overview of what your child needs to accomplish before the first day of school:

## Summer Reading Project

- The Assignment: Please help your child complete the attached summer reading project. Pick 1 project to complete from the attached list.



- Escape from Mr. Lemoncello's Library by Chris Grabenstein:  
A high-energy, puzzle-filled mystery where a group of kids must crack codes and find hidden clues to escape a high-tech public library.
- First Week Presentation: Students must be ready to present their project to the class during the first week of school.
- Grading: This project will serve as one of your child's very first grades of the school year. Since it is a project, it will count as a test grade.

## Daily Math Practice (10–15 Minutes)

- The Goal: Mastering multiplication facts is critical for fourth-grade math success. We will begin the year with weekly timed test. 60 facts in 4 minutes.
- Platforms: Students should use 99math.com or IXL.com to practice recommended skills and multiplication facts.
- Login Help: If your child needs help logging into IXL, please contact Mrs. Brown or Dr. Bell for support.

Thank you for your partnership in keeping your child's mind sharp this summer. I cannot wait to meet everyone in August!

Blessings,

Mrs. Cindy Cabello

4th Grade Teacher

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