

Learning over the Summer

Ideas and resources for extra practice!

Reading:

- Encourage your child to read 15-20 minutes each day. Spend a little time reading together each night as a family, if possible. Reading even just a little bit each day makes an incredible difference in language and literacy development!
- Visit the local library and check out their selection of books and resources!
- Have a book themed day! Pick your child's favorite book and plan a day around it together. For example, *Harry Potter* - Make your own butterbeer treats, play Harry Potter games, practice making your own homemade potions, and maybe even make some chocolate frogs!
- Check out these great resources for more ELA practice this summer:
 - Prodigy English: <https://www.prodigygame.com/main-en/prodigy-english>
 - Epic! Books: <https://www.getepic.com/parents>
 - Phonics Practice: Lalilo: <https://lalilo.com/?language=en>

Math:

- Continuing building fact fluency in addition and subtraction, developing number sense of 2 digit numbers, and practicing problem solving strategies.
- Check out these great resources to do practice Math this summer:
 - Fact Fluency:
 - Fact Monster Flashcards: <https://www.factmonster.com/math/flashcards>
 - 99 Math: <https://99math.com/>
 - Xtra Math: <https://home.xtramath.org/>
 - Game Based Math Apps / Websites for Individualized Practice:
 - Prodigy: <https://www.prodigygame.com/main-en/>
 - Boddle: <https://lms.boddlelearning.com/signup?for=parent>
 - Splash Learn: <https://www.splashlearn.com/>

Writing:

- Have your child write and send postcards / letters to a friend or family member sharing about their summer adventures. (I'm always happy to receive a letter from your student if they're looking for someone to write to! :))
- Start a journal or scrapbook - students can write to reflect on their day and remember their summer adventures.
- Buy or create blank books so your child can write and illustrate their very own story!