



## Incoming 1st Grade

**Don't let your child go down the "Summer Slide" READ EVERY DAY!**  
*Summer reading is key to maintaining and improving your child's reading skills.*

**Summer is a great break from school but not a great break from learning.**

2 months of Reading skills are lost over the summer.

2.6 months of Math skills are lost over the summer.

**2/3 hours per week during the summer is needed to prevent any learning loss.**

6 weeks in Fall spent relearning old material to make up for summer learning loss.

By the end of Grade 6...students who have experienced summer learning loss over the years are an average of 2 years behind their peers.

**Every day: Reading 20/30 minutes**  
**Math 20 minutes**

### The Reading Process

#### **Decoding words**

*\*Sight words:* a the my that was see

*\*Blending words:* an Nan Dan man

#### **Comprehension**

##### ***Before Reading***

Predict - What is the story going to be about?

##### ***During Reading***

Confirm and adjust prediction

Monitor Comprehension - does it make sense?

Stop and Think - ask questions???

Visual the story - make a picture in your mind

Make Connections to story- what does it remind you of?

What was important? What was the main idea?

##### ***After Reading***

What was the story about?

Who? What? Why? Where? When?

**Sight Words: (need to be memorized)** the, and, to, we, see, I, can, a, ride, like, go, my, yes, you, new, she, has, do, girl, is, went, come, here, home, friend, are, with, look, out, have, his, her, me, this, that, said, put, they, of, little, will, make, for, he, was, many, how, smile, red, orange, yellow, green, blue, black, white, brown, purple, want, from, all, help, be, thank, play, by, time, what, down, because, one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten, where, too, your, who, too, good, could, there, now, some, more, when, days, of week, then, would, find, each, work, them, were, only, Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday

### **Blending Words**

**Short vowel words:** cap, web, six, rock, yuck

**Long vowel words:** bake, dive, cone, cube      long e: ee as in bee

### **Blending Words: blend sounds together**

am, Sam, Pam, Tam, pat, tap, sap, at, map, sat, mat, it, sit, sip, pit, tip, Tim, man, Nat, in, tan, tin, nap, pin, pan, Nan, cat, cap, Cam, Tom, Mom, not, cot, tot, on, pot, pop, top, mop, dot, Dad, mad, sad, pad, Dan, Don, did, dim, dip, Sid, hat, had, ham, hid, hit, hip, him, hop, pen, pet, Ted, ten, den, hen, set, met, men, net, Ed, Ned, fan, fin, fit, fat, fed, if, rim, rat, ram, rip, red, rot, rod, Ron, Bob, bat, bad, bib, tab, dab, sob, bed, Deb, Ben, bin, bit, bet, Rob, cob, cab, rib, fib, lap, let, lit, lot, lip, led, lab, Kim, kit, Mack, kick, mock, sack, sick, sock, pack, pack, pick, tack, tick, deck, dock, rack, Rick, rock, back, lack, lick, lock, neck, kid, run, sun, fun, bun, hum, rub, nut, hut, cut, bus, us, up, pup, cup, duck, tuck, luck, bud, mud, gas, get, Gus, gut, rug, dug, tug, tag, bug, mug, hug, rag, bag, hog, log, leg, wig, dig, pig, big, fig, web, wet, wag, win, wit, ox, box, fox, fix, mix, six, wax, tax, ax, Rex, van, vet, jet, jog, jug, job, jig, Jim, jam, Jack, Jan, quit, quick, quack, yes, yet, yam, yuck, yum, zip, zig-zag,

**Long a words:** Abe, ape, ate, bake, base, cake, came, cane, cape, case, cave, Dale, date, Dave, daze, fade, fake, fame, Gabe, game, gate, gave, gaze, Jake, Jane, Kate, lake, lane, late, made, make, maze, name, Nate, quake, rake, rate, rave, safe, sale, same, save, take, tale, tame, tape, wake, wave

**Long i words:** bike, bite, dime, dine, dive, file, fine, five, hide, hike, hive, like, kite, life, kite, life, lime, line, Mike, mine, mile, nine, pile, pine, pipe, quite, ride, ripe, rise, side, size, tile, time, vine, wide, wife, wipe, wise

**Long o:** go, no, so, bone, cone, hole, home, hope, hose, joke, nose, note, pole, poke, robe, rode, rope, rose, tote, vote, woke, zone

**Long u:** cube, cute, duke, dune, fume, June, mule, rule, tube, tune, use

**Lone e:** he, we, me, be, see, beef, beet, feed, feel, feet, heel, keep, meet, need, peek, peel, queen, reef, seed, seem, seen, teen, weed, week, bee

**Math** Count to 120

Recognize numbers to 100

**Memorize math facts, addition and subtraction**

**Practice skip counting by 2's, 5's, 10's**

Know money denominations (penny, nickel, dime, quarter) and combinations of money

Time (hour and half hour)

**Summer Journal:** Have your child keep a summer journal. They can write down what they do every day and draw a picture.

**Read every day to your child. Listening vocabulary will build your child's reading, speaking, and writing vocabulary.**

## **Garfield Ridge Library**

The library is located at 6348 South Archer (312) 747 6094

Summer Reading Program "City of Stories"

Program begins June 25<sup>th</sup> and ends August 14<sup>th</sup> (Free McDonald cookie coupon if you register)

Read 500 minutes (10 minutes a day) and 5 activities

100 minutes – free prize

300 minutes – raffle

500 minutes – tee shirt and raffle (2 e readers) (wear tee shirt every Friday in September)

## **Museum Pass from the Chicago Public Library: Free**

Adler Planetarium, Art Institute of Chicago, Brookfield Zoo, Chicago Botanic Garden,

Chicago Children's Museum, Chicago History Museum, Du Sable Museum of African American History, The Field Museum, Lincoln Park Zoo, Museum of Contemporary Art, Museum of Science and Industry, National Museum of Mexican Art, The Peggy Notebart Nature Museum, Shedd Aquarium, Museums Work of Chicago

## **Barnes and Noble: Summer Reading Journal - July 1<sup>st</sup> to August 31<sup>st</sup>**

Read 8 books and earn a free book

## **Websites**

[www.twain.cps.edu](http://www.twain.cps.edu)

**Mrs. Sorich's Reading Corner – Read Alouds and Parent Talks**

Google: **extra math** free site to practice addition, subtraction, multiplication and division

## **Kindergarten Reading**

Bob Books (D, E, F)

Elephant and Piggie by Mo Willems (F, G, H, I)

Pete the Cat by Kimberly and James Dean (D-M)

Biscuit by Alyssa Satin Capucilla (C-J)

Step into Reading Level 1 & 2

National Geographics for Kids Level 1 (non fiction)

Fly Guy by Ted Arnold

Max and Ruby by Rosemary Wells

\*\*Henry and Mudge by Cynthia Rylant

\*\*Frog and Toad by Arnold Lobel

I Can Read Books Level 1

Charlie

Flat Stanley

Amelia Bedelia

Pete the Cat

Loose Tooth

Pinkalicious

Dinosaur Time

Fancy Nancy

**Good Chapter Read Alouds**

Charlotte's Web by E.B. White

James and the Giant Peach

by Roald Dahl

Books by Judy Blume and

Beverly Cleary

**First Grade Reading Lists Unit 1**

**At School**

**Nat and Sam/ Jack Can**

does	can	cat	hat	man
not	nap	tap	ax	fan
school	hat	jam	sad	pan
what	pan	ran	map	tack
	tack	back	wag	Jack
	Max	pack	mat	Nan

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**Where I Live**

**Go, Pip! /Six Kids**

down	hit	kiss	miss	pin
out	sit	skin	spin	win
up	it	is	sit	him
very	big	dip	kid	pig
	lid	sick	kiss	with
	Nick	hill	will	Jill
	six	kids	hill	dig
	pick	fix		

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**Our Pets**

**Flip/A Pig for Cliff**

be	black	clip	flag	flip
come	glass	place	plan	clip
good	glad	flap	slips	flag
pull	blip	clap	class	flips
	blab	plans	flat	slam
	slick	Cliff	slim	
	slam	click	flat	

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**Let's Be Friends**

**Friends/Toss! Kick! Hop!**

fun	flop	hog	hop	hot
make	log	block	slop	jog
they	box	top	rocks	not
too	lot	fox	jog	clock
make up	toss	dolls	on	mops
toss	Ron	jog		
quick				

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**Let's Move!**

**Move It! / Move and Grin**

jump	branch	drip	drop	grab
move	grass	spill	spin	stamp
run	brick	crab	drip	frog
two	prop	trap	skin	smack
land	sniff	spot	still	swam
	brag	crib	drop	grab
	swims	track	skips	snaps
	stop	trip	stick	spill
	Fran	spin	skip	spin
	Gram	stops	trick	grin
	Scott	trot	Stan	crab

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