



Welcome
to
1st Grade

Dear Incoming First Grade Parents,

Congratulations on completing a wonderful year in kindergarten! We are so excited that your child will be joining us in the first grade! It is our hope that the summer packet will be a great place to start practicing routines and implementing expectations for the first grade.

Please assist your child by supporting them while they complete the summer packet. The attached work should be completed over the summer and returned to your child's teacher no later than the **first Friday** of the first week of school to receive credit.

We look forward to a productive and enjoyable school year. Thank you in advance for entrusting us with one of your most precious gifts.

Have a wonderful summer,

Mrs. Mac and Mrs. Tucci

Summer Reading



Summer is a great time to nurture your child's love for reading. Children like to discover reading by visiting their local library, participating in a summer reading club, and enjoying family reading time. Students entering first grade are required to read assigned books during the summer months. Please complete and return the Reading Log to your teacher on the first day of school.

Each book is designed to be a read aloud book that parents can read with or to your child. We recommend reading 15 minutes each day to develop reading fluency and comprehension skills. Please record your reading minutes on the attached reading log. Here are a few suggestions to make the summer reading pleasurable and adventurous.

- Select a special time (before bedtime, after dinner, etc.).
- Select a special place.
- Assist your child with unfamiliar words. Do not allow your child to become frustrated with reading.
- Model reading with expression, excitement and emotion.
- Ask questions as you read to check for comprehension.

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Incoming First Grade
Summer Reading List

Easy Reads	Moderate Reads	Challenge Reads
Brown Bear, Brown Bear Eric Carle	Clifford Norman Bridwell	Nate the Great Marjorie Weinman Sharmat and Marc Simont
Sheep in a Jeep Nancy Shaw	If you Give a Cat a Cupcake Laura Numberoff	Frog and Toad Arnold Lobel
Biscuit Wants to Play Alyssa Satani Capucilli	Fluffy Kate McMullan	Arthur Marc Brown
Are You, My Mother? P.D. Eastman	Froggy Plays Soccer Jonathan London and Frank Remkiewicz	Henry and Mudge Cynthia Rylant
No David Series David Shannon	Elephant and Piggie Series Mo Willems	Green Eggs and Ham Dr. Seuss
The Good Egg Jory John	Amelia Bedelia Peggy Parish	Magic Tree House Mary Hope Osborn
Pig the Pug Aaron Blabey	Fly Guy Tedd Arnold	Ruby the Copycat Peggy Rathmann

***PLEASE READ AT LEAST 4 BOOKS**
THANK YOU



Name: _____



Date:

My favorite thing to do in summer..

A large, empty rounded rectangular box for writing the answer to the question above.

Five sets of horizontal lines for writing, each consisting of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line.



Name: _____



Date:

Create a silly story!

A large, empty rounded rectangular box for writing a story.

Seven sets of horizontal dashed lines for writing.



Name: _____



Date:

In first grade I will...

A large, empty rounded rectangular box for writing.

Five sets of horizontal lines for writing, each consisting of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line.