



## Suggested Summer Educational Growth Opportunities for Grades 1-2

### Math

**Review math facts:** Happy Numbers, math flashcards, or other math fact fluency fun: counting up to 120+, counting backwards, skip counting (2s, 5s, 10s), adding and subtracting.

**Bake or cook:** This is great fraction and measurement practice.

**Grocery Store:** Talk about money and prices while out shopping

**Talk about Time:** Have students practice reading the Hour & Half Hour on an analog clock. Have students count how many days till an event, or hours till a party. Set up an obstacle course and time how long it takes to complete. Track times and see if you can beat the record so far! Can you calculate how long another summer fun activity might take?

### Reading

Read every day! Read inside, outside, and in the car. Read aloud to a stuffy, pet, siblings, or parent.

Join a summer reading program at the library. FREE and lots of great prizes!!

Practice reading skills on apps like Khan Academy Kids (Free), Epic or Reading.com.

### Writing

Keep a summer journal.

Write a story or script.

Write cheerful messages with sidewalk chalk.

Write to a pen pal or neighbor friend.

Write a card to family member.

### Science and Social Studies

Plant a garden/or plant and take care of it. Observe it closely.

Hunt for bugs and animals. Observe their habits (from a safe distance.)

Measure rain fall. Put out a cup with a ruler in it outside.

### Bible

Keep a prayer journal. Read your favorite Bible Storybook.

Make encouraging cards for neighbors, friends, or family.

### Life Skills

Go outside every day. Move your body each day. Take charge of 1 or 2 household chores and complete them well. Take a swim class. Try something new! Have fun! Relax! Can't wait to see you next year!

Let me know if you need login info or if you'd like to share any of your work!

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