Dear rising second grade students,

Here are some suggested books to read, how to read them in a fun way, and a little math work to try this summer.

We hope you are having a safe and enjoyable summer so far.

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BOOKS FOR EARLY READERS:

This list of books have only a few words per page, perfect for kids just beginning to read independently:

If you're looking for **silly books**, read:

My Toothbrush is Missing by Jan Thomas

What is Chasing Duck? by Jan Thomas

We Are in a Book by Mo Willems (all Elephant and Piggie books are fantastic!)

The Big Fat Cow That Goes Kapow by Andy Griffiths

If you're looking for stories about real life and friendship, try:

Who Is That, Cat the Cat? by Mo Willems

We Are Growing by Laurie Keller

Don't Worry, BEE Happy by Ross Burach

Big Cat by Ethan Long

The Cookie Fiasco by Dan Santat Baby Monkey,

Private Eye by Brian Selznick & David Serlin

Lazy Bear, Crazy Bear by Kevin Bolger

Trucktown by Jon Scieszka

If you're looking for **animal stories**, try reading:

Slow, Slow Sloths by Bonnie Bader Little Big Horse by Dave Horowitz We Dig Worms by Kevin McCloskey

CHAPTER BOOKS:

Here are chapter books that have just a few sentences per page. Try these:

Fly Guy by Tedd Arnold FUNNY

Hi, Jack! (A Jack Book) by Mac Barnett & Greg Pizzoli - FRIENDSHIP

Do You Like My Bike? (Hello, Hedgehog!) by Norm Feuti - FRIENDSHIP

An Elephant & Piggie Biggie! by Mo Willems – FUNNY

Aggie the Brave by Lori Ries – FRIENDSHIP

Caterpillar to Butterfly by Laura Marsh – NONFICTION

Mr. Putter and Tabby Walk the Dog by Cynthia Rylant - FRIENDSHIP

Frog and Toad Are Friends by Arnold Lobel - FRIENDSHIP

Penny and Her Marble by Kevin Henkes - REALISTIC

Narwhal: Unicorn of the Sea by Ben Clanton - FRIENDSHIP

MORE CHAPTER BOOKS: These books listed range from middle of first grade to beginning of second-grade reading levels.

If you like funny books, try:

Smell My Foot (Chick and Brain) by Cece Bell Monkey Me by Timothy Roland

Kung Pow Chicken by Cindi Marko

Moldylocks and the Three Beards by Noah Z. Jones

Meet Mo and Jo: The Boulder Brothers by Sarah Lynn

If you like realistic books, read:

Bink & Gollie Best Friends Forever by Kate DiCamillo and Alison McGhee

Meet Yasmin! by Saadia Faruqui

Pug Blasts Off (Diary of a Pug) by Kyla May

Sadiq and the Desert Star by Siman Nuurali

Sofia Martinez My Vida Loca by Jacquline Jules

A New Friend for Sophie Mouse by Poppy Green

Owl Diaries by Rebecca Elliott

The Party and Other Stories (Fox and Chick) by Sergio Ruzzier

If you like adventure, mystery, & fantasy books, try:

Bo's Magical New Friend (Unicorn Diaries) by Rebecca Elliott Ricky

Ricotta's Mighty Robot #1 by Dav Pilkey

Notebook of Doom #1 by Troy Cummings

Rise of the Earth Dragon #1 by Tracey West

Haggis & Tank: All Paws on Deck by Jessica Young

Dig to Disaster: A Miss Mallard Mystery by Robert Quackenbush

summer reading challenge

Read a book with blue (like the summer sky) Title:	on the cover. Author:		
Read a book barefoot. Title:	Author:		
Read a book with a dog or cat in it. Title:	Author:		
Read a book in the shade. Title:	Author:		
Read a non-fiction (true) book. Title:	Authora		
Read a book to a real animal or a stuffed of Title:	nimal. Author:		
Read a book about friends. Title:	Author:		
Read a book in your pajamas. Title:	Author:		
Read a book with yellow (like the sun) on the cover. Title: Author:			
Free choice. Read any book you want. Title:	Author:		

Each book can go in only one box. List only books you read this summer. When school starts, bring this to your teacher.



Fill in the missing numbers.

- 1) 28, 29, _____, 32, _____, 34
- 2 55, 60, ____, 70, ____, 80, ____, ___
- 3 ______, _____, 95, 105, ______, 125

Write the amount.



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Write the missing numbers,

6	7		9
	17		
		28	

7	40	41	42	43
				53
			62	

8 Fill in the empty frames.

Rule		200	
Add 10	40	70	90



9 Solve.

a.
$$7 + 1 =$$

Unit pencils

c.
$$6 + 4 =$$

e. $3 + _{2} = 5$

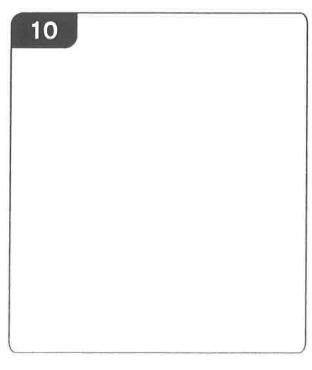
d.
$$6 + 6 =$$

f.
$$6 - 1 =$$

10 Use <, >, or =.

Unit crayons

11) Write at least five names for 10 in the box.





Solve. Write a number model.

Jace had 4 ice cubes in his cup. He added 3 more.

How many ice cubes are in his cup now? _____ ice cubes

Number model: _____

Dayton had 16 carrots. He gave 8 carrots to his sister.

How many carrots did he have left? _____ carrots

Number model: _____

(14) Write the time.

a,



b.

