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Summer Learning Plan

Dear Parents:

It is difficult to believe that summer is here! While we believe that the summer months should be an opportunity for leisure and quality time spent with family, we also believe that a healthy engagement of the mind is necessary to keep the learning of the past year fresh and to help create a bridge for the new learning to come. With that said, we have asked teachers for help in creating the following summer learning plan. The reading plan will include reading one novel and to answer comprehension questions; the math plan will include math a math packet and other activities based on your grade level. **Please note that completion of summer work is mandatory. However, also, please note that the summer work is a minimum to be attained; it does not prohibit you from having your child read more books and complete more math.**

Incoming First-Grade

Reading

Dinosaurs Before Dark by Mary Pope Osborne (Magic Tree House #1)

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached

Incoming Second-Grade

Reading

The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dagliesh

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached



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Incoming Third-Grade

Reading

Boxcar Children #1 by Gertrude Chandler Warner

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached

Incoming Fourth-Grade

Reading

Tales of the Odyssey, Part I by Mary Pope Osborne

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached

Incoming Fifth-Grade

Reading

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of Nimh by Robert C. O'Brian

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached



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All the above-mentioned books can be purchased on **Amazon** at a very reasonable price. The hope is that your child will enjoy the required book and read much more as well (if possible).

Research has shown that regression of learning during the summer months can, sometimes, account for one-third of learning gains achieved during the school year. Have your child read aloud to you, ask questions as they read, and read to them to model good fluency. Your child should be prepared to discuss the book upon return to school.

Upon returning to school, the summer book will be discussed and the assignment must be turned in. Students will **receive a grade** for the completion of the summer reading and math assignment.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Enjoy your summer!!

Warm regards,

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Head of Schools