

Spring 2026

Dear Soon to be Second Grader,

What a great year! You have worked so hard and learned so much in First Grade! You have shown perseverance, growth and kindness. You were such an important part of our class!

Second Grade is just a few months away. Attached you will find a summer reading log, a summer writing journal, and math activity menu to keep your brain in shape over the summer.

You should read by yourself or with an adult at least an hour every week. Write down the names of the books you read in the reading log. Choose at least 5 journal entries and at least 3 of the math activities to complete.

If you bring this packet to your new teacher the first week of school, they will have a special prize for you!

Have a wonderful summer!

Love,

Mrs. Valenti

North Shore Christian School

Rising Grade 2 Summer Work



Please complete an hour of reading per week, five journal entries, and three math selections from the choice board!

Name: _____

Reading Log

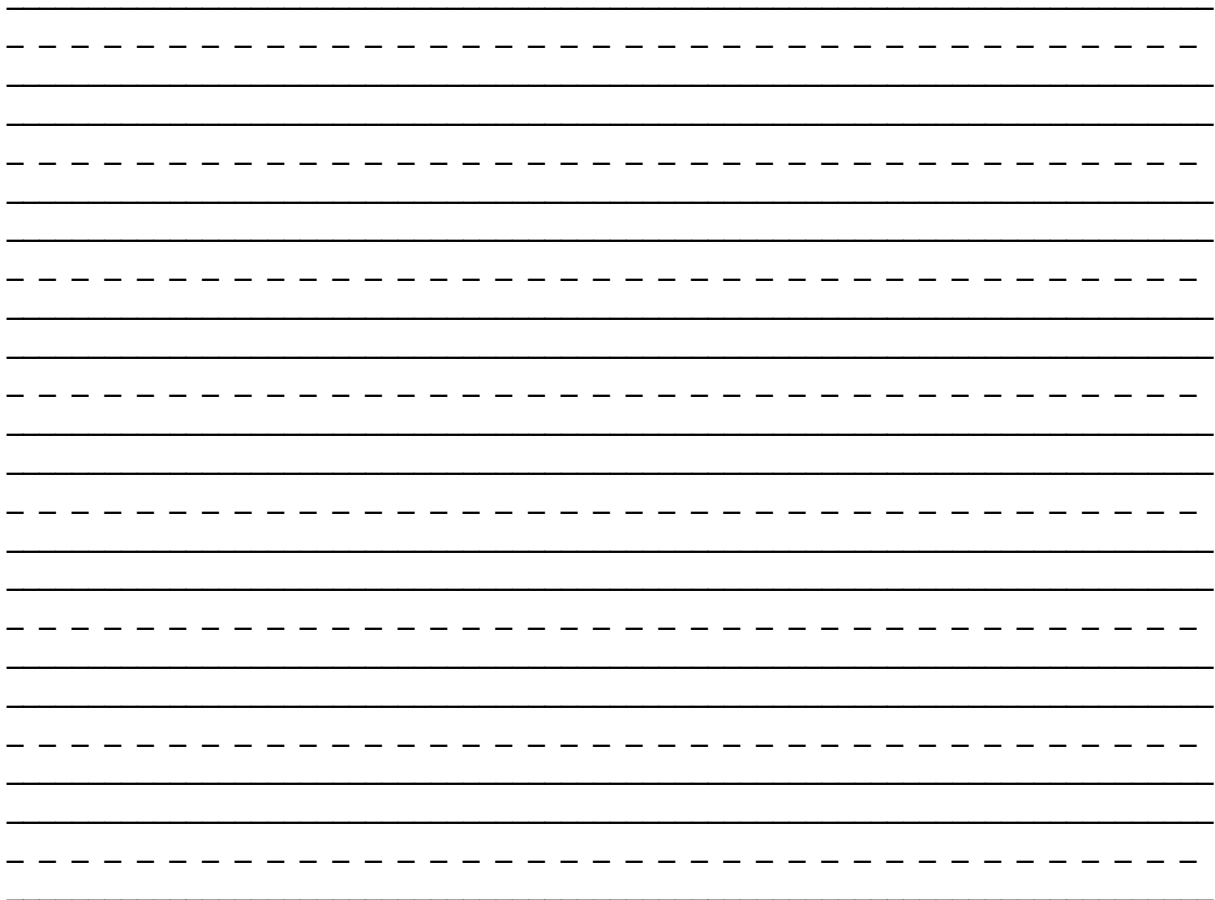
WHAT BOOKS DID YOU READ THIS SUMMER?

1.	7.	13.
2.	8	14.
3.	9.	15.
4.	10.	16.
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6.	12.	18.
19.	20.	21.
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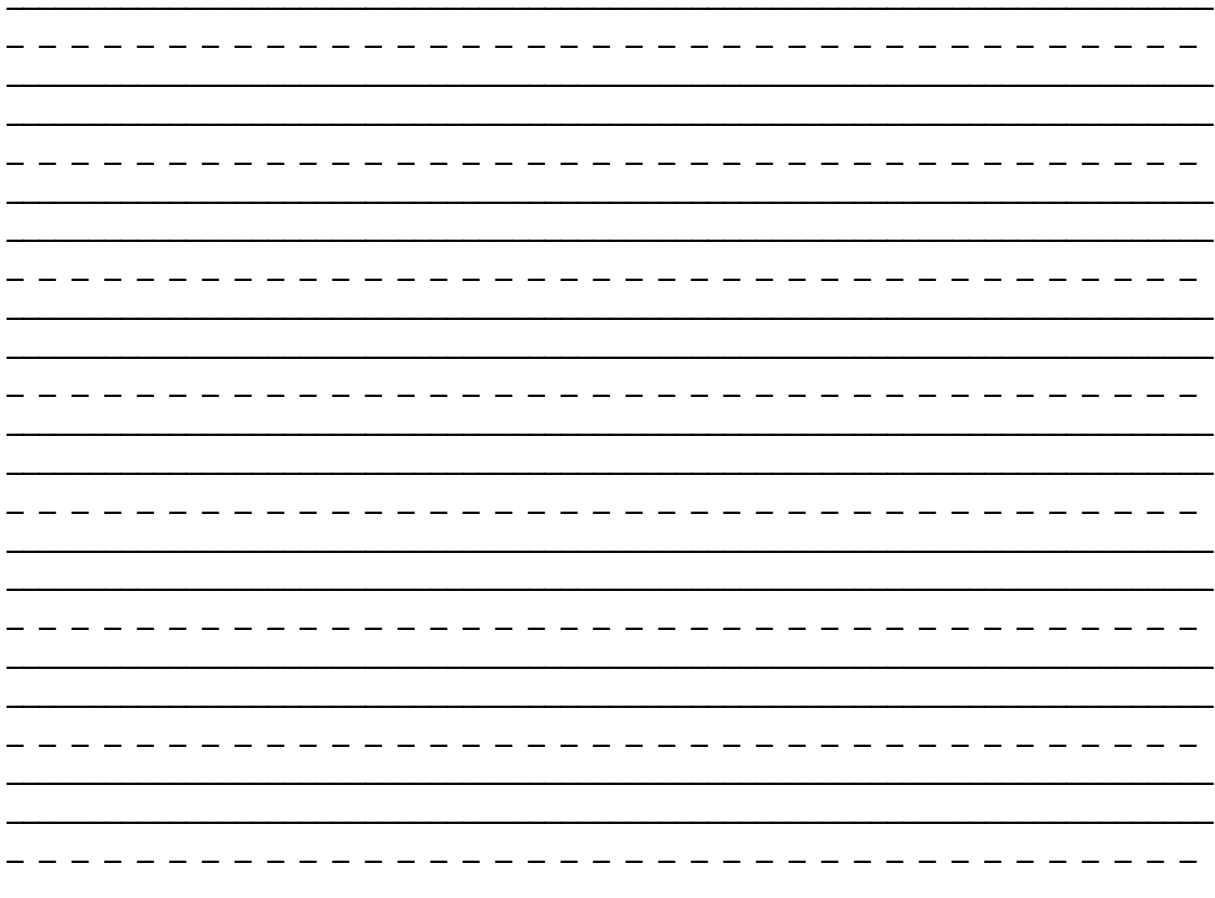
The background of the cover is a stylized beach scene. At the top, two palm trees with green fronds and brown trunks frame the top corners. The sky is a light blue. The middle section is a large, light beige area where the title is written. Below this, the beach is depicted with rolling sand dunes in shades of tan and beige. On the left, a beach umbrella with yellow and blue segments is partially open. In front of it is a beach ball with red, white, and blue segments. On the right, a surfboard with a red border and yellow and blue sections is partially visible. A red starfish is on the sand in the bottom right corner.

Summer Writing Journal

My Favorite Summer Activity - What do you love to do most during the summer and why?



If I had a pet dolphin - Imagine having a pet dolphin as a pet for summer.
What adventures would you go on?



Summer in the Ice cream Shop - If you could make your own ice cream flavor, what would it be? Draw a picture to match.



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Snack Time - Tell how to make your favorite summer snack. Use first, next, then. Then draw a picture to match.



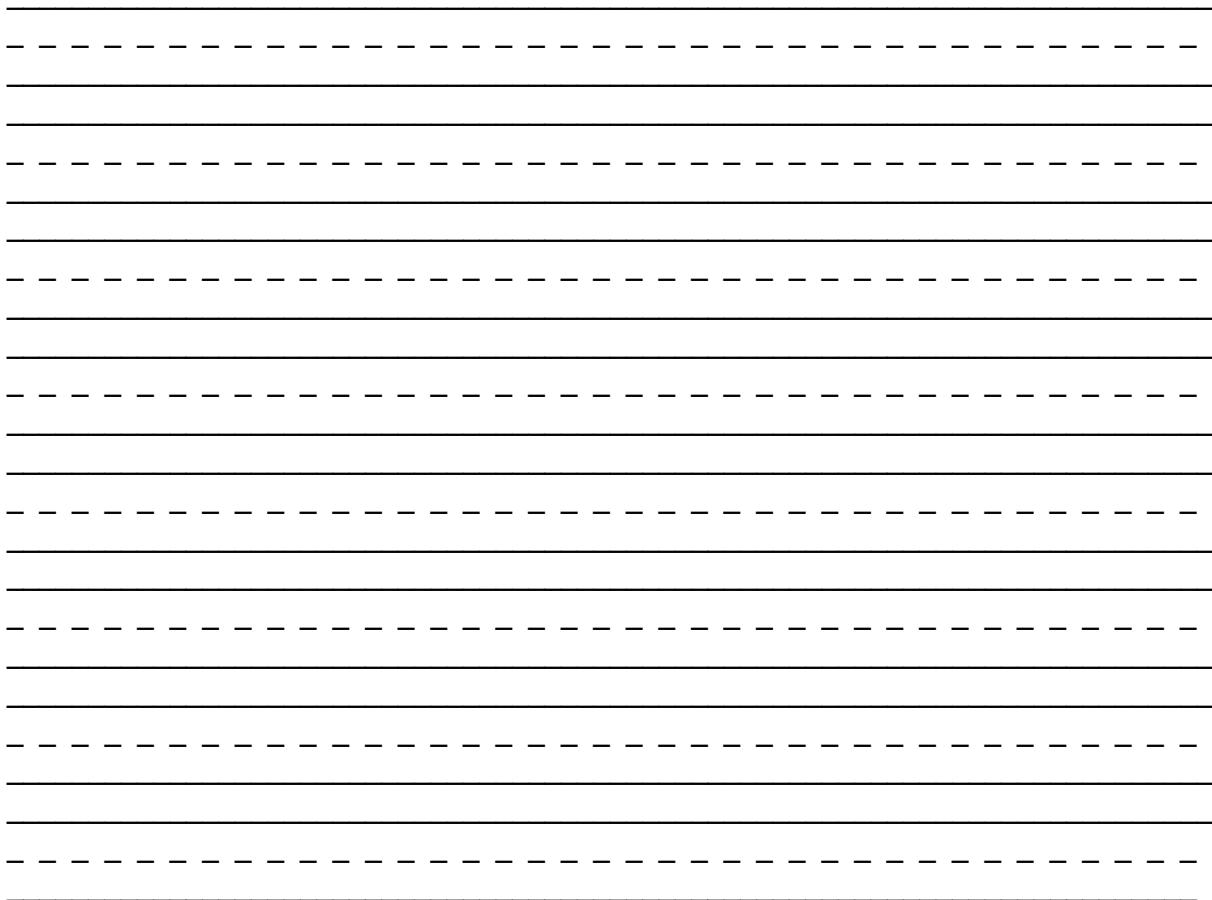
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The Magical Sunglasses - You find a pair of sunglasses that gives you superpowers. What happens next? Write and draw to tell the story.



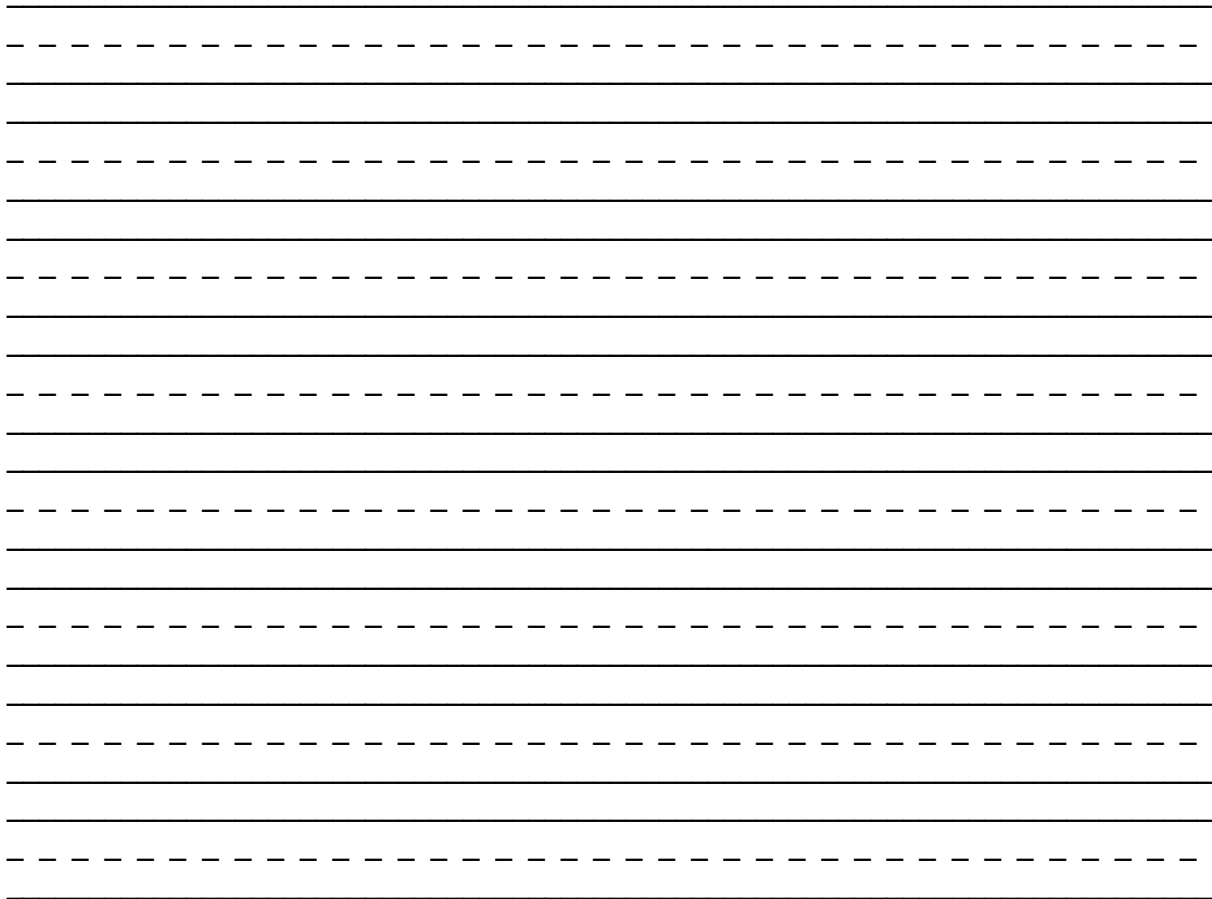
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Summer Review - Review a book or movie you read or saw over summer. Did you enjoy it? Would you recommend it to a friend? Why or not?

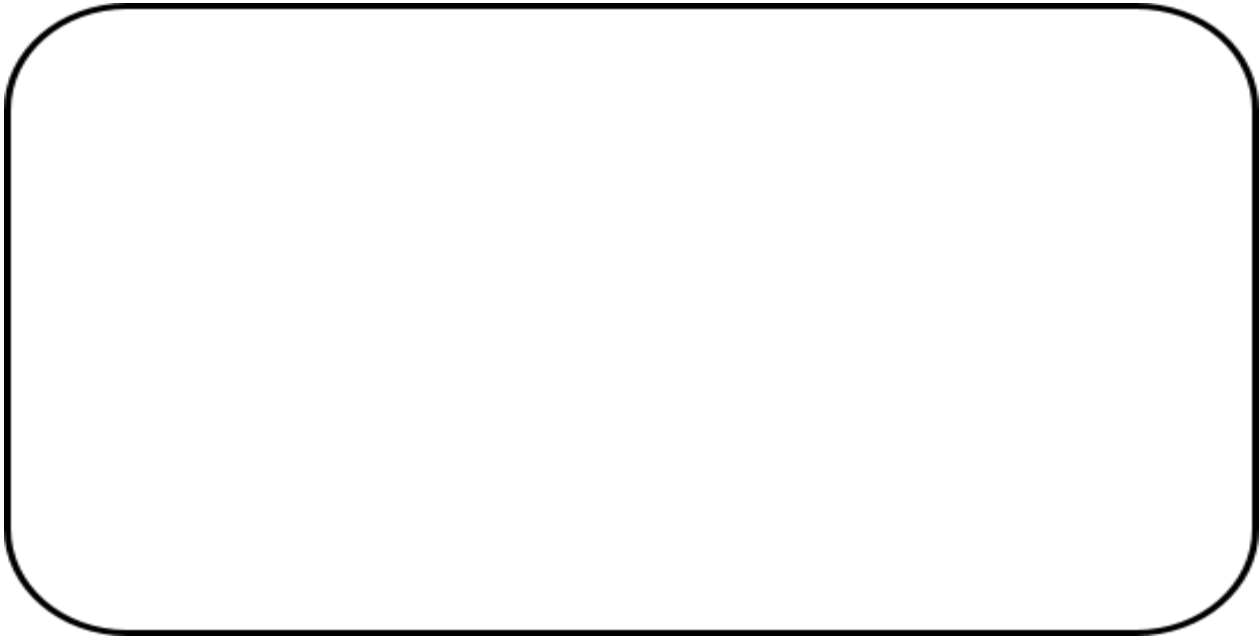


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Write a story about Camping under the Stars - What do you see and hear while camping? What did you do? Write and draw to tell the story.

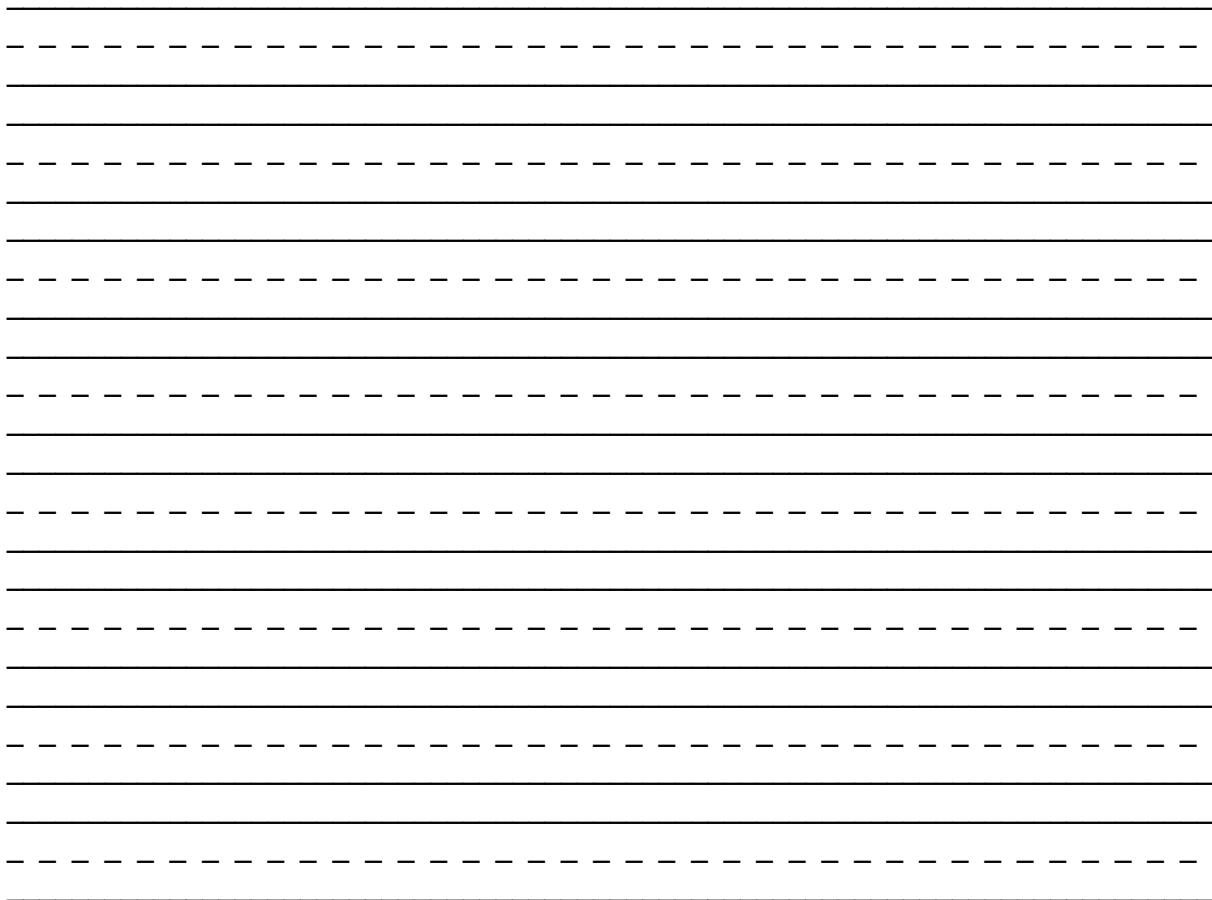
A large, empty rounded rectangle with a black border, intended for a child to draw a picture related to their story.A series of horizontal lines for handwriting practice. Each set consists of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line. There are ten such sets of lines arranged vertically.

Fireworks and Carnival - Did you see fireworks this summer or visit a carnival? Where were you? Who were you with? What did you see, hear, feel? Write and draw to tell the story.



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Back to School - How are you feeling about going back to school? Write and draw about how you feel.

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Math Choice Board

Create a board game to practice addition and subtraction problems. Play with a sibling or a friend.

Gather a hundred building materials (legos, popsicle sticks, pipe cleaners). Use them **all** to make something awesome! What can you create ?

Use the 120 chart. Cover up a number, then try to identify 1 more, 1 less, 10 more and 10 less.

Pick a number between 10 and 20. Practice writing the fact families for the number.
For example 15.
 $7+8=15$, $8+7=15$.
 $15-8=7$, $15-7=8$

Roll two dice. Write an addition fact and then a subtraction fact.
(For an extra challenge roll three dice and add all the numbers together.)

Make a creation out of mini-marshmallows and toothpicks. What 3D shapes do you recognize?

Practice skip counting! Skip count to 120 by 2's, 5's, and 10's!

Choose a recipe from a cookbook or internet. Help you'r parents measure the ingredients. Enjoy your tasty treat!

Ask 10 friends or family members what their favorite season is? Make a graph to show your data? What season is the most popular? What seasons are THE least popular?

