



North Shore Christian School

Dear Students,

Congratulations on the successful completion of another school year! We are so proud of how hard you have worked. Summer vacation is now here, but there's still a lot to learn! It is so important to continue exercising your brain throughout the summer so you don't forget what you have learned all year. In this packet you will find some fun activities to help you do just that!

Below are the directions for completing your Summer Work.

ELA

- You have been given a list of journal entry prompts. Select six journal entry prompts and write at least one paragraph (4-5 sentences) for each prompt. Included in your packet is a blue Summer Work journal to write your entries.
- You have been given a Summer Reading Log. You may choose from the list of recommended books included in your packet or other books of your choice to read over the Summer. You may read fiction titles or nonfiction titles of your choice. You will be required to read for a total of one hour per week. Keep track of your reading on the included Reading Log.

Math

- You have been given a packet with 3 Performance Tasks. Each task has 5 problems for you to solve. Your assignment is to choose one of the performance tasks to complete and to complete all 5 problems under that task. Follow the directions for the selected assignment and complete it to the best of your ability. Return your completed work.

Keep track of your completed work and bring it back to school with you in the fall. We look forward to reading your completed Summer Work in September.

Have a great summer!
Mrs. Koski and Mrs. Rios

Rising 4th and 5th Grade Summer Reading Suggestions

Rising 4th Grade

- The BFG by Roald Dahl
- The One and Only Ivan by Katherine Applegate
- The Mouse and the Motorcycle by Beverly Cleary
- Because of Winn Dixie by Kate DiCamillo
- The Boxcar Children by Gertrude Chandler Warner
- Charlotte's Web by E.B. White
- Encyclopedia Brown, Boy Detective by Donald Sobol
- Mrs. Piggle-Wiggle by Betty MacDonald
- Little House on the Prairie by Laura Ingalls Wilder

Rising 5th Grade

- Island of the Blue Dolphin by Scott O'Dell
- James and the Giant Peach by Roald Dahl
- Stone Fox by John Reynolds
- Bud, Not Buddy by Christopher Paul Curtis
- Shiloh by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
- The Indian in the Cupboard by Lynne Reid Banks
- The Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis
- I Survived by Lauren Tarshis
- Misty of Chincoteague by Marguerite Henry

Rising 4th and 5th Grade Summer Journal Entry Prompts

- Write about your most memorable day of the summer.
- Write about one thing you miss about school during the summer.
- Interview a family member. What do they like best about summer? How does their opinion compare and contrast to yours?
- What do you and your family typically do on the 4th of July?
- What is your favorite book? Why?
- If you could be any book or TV character, who would you choose? Why?
- What is something unique to you that no one else can do?
- If you could have any superpower, what would you choose? How would you use it?
- Where would you like to go on a vacation? Why?
- Write about a time you practiced something to become better.
- What is your favorite season? What do you love about it?
- If you could travel back in history, who would you like to meet? Why?
- Write about the best day of your life.
- Finish this thought: If I was the principal of my school, I would...
- Finish this thought: I want to learn more about...
- If you could change one thing about the world, what would it be?
- What do you want to do when you grow up?
- What is something that makes you happy? Why?
- What is your favorite summer activity? What do you like about it?

Rising 4th and 5th Summer Reading Log

Record your Summer Reading in the log below. Please make sure you are reading at least 60 minutes per week.

Week of:	Amount of Time Read	Title of Book
June 7		
June 14		
June 21		
June 28		
July 5		
July 12		
July 19		
July 26		
August 2		
August 9		
August 16		
August 23		
August 30		