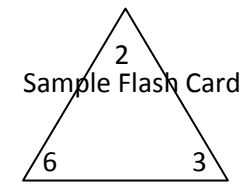


Summer Activities and Ideas for Rising 5th graders



1. Make Multiplication Flash Cards- study 30 minutes per week. (Turn in Study Log for a treat the first day of school.)
2. Make something in the kitchen involving the use of measuring cups.
3. Write a story about your pet or a pet you would like to have.
4. Write the names of five friends, now make as many words using the letters of their names as you can.
5. Make a scrapbook of animal pictures. You might want to choose an animal you like. See if you can find some old magazines or calendars to look for the pictures.
6. Read a story to someone.
7. Count the money in your wallet or ask mom or dad to give you some coins to count.
8. **Keep a journal of what you do during the Summer. Write in it at least 2 times each week.**
9. ***Write the alphabet three times in your best cursive writing.***
10. Find the Perimeter of your room.
11. Draw a picture of something outside. Write 5 or more sentences about it.
12. WRITE ALL THE NUMBER FACTS THAT WILL MULTIPLY TO 100.
13. List the numbers for which you cannot list any multiples other than 1 and the # itself. Example: 3
14. **Go on a nature hike. Collect things and put them in a picture.**
15. Write a recipe explaining how to make your favorite food, and help your mom or dad make it.
16. Write a letter to your last teacher. Tell your teacher the best things about your class last year. Give your teacher one new idea you think next year's class would like to learn. Take the letter to school on your first day back to give to your "old" teacher. If they have moved away, ask the school's secretary if they could send the letter to your "old" teacher for you.
17. **When you are traveling, calculate the elapsed time it takes you to get to your destination.**
18. While grocery shopping estimate the cost of the items and see how close you were at checkout.
19. Keep a reading journal of all of the books you read. Write a reflection about each.
20. Make a schedule for the day and write down the times you do certain activities. (use the digital and analog clock)

Suggested Reading List:

- Holes by: Louis Sachar
- Sign of the Beaver by: Elizabeth Speare
- Homecoming by: Cynthia Voigt
- Brian's Winter by: Gary Paulsen
- Blubber by Judy Blume

😊 5th Grade Reading Log 😊

Student's Name: _____ Week: _____ Your Lexile: _____

Day	Title/Number of Pages	Reflection	Genre
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☺Reflection Menu ☺

I'm thinking.....	I wonder why....	I'm inferring....
Maybe _____ happened because....	_____ seems to be important because....	_____ reminds me of....
Wow. Here's the image I saw when I read_____.	I already know _____ about this topic.	I already know _____ about this kind of problem.
I already know _____ about this author.	I don't get _____.	The author wants me to know...
What is the most important part of what you read?	What was your favorite part of what you read and <u>WHY?</u>	

****These reflections are only ideas. You may write your own reflections.****