3RD GRADE SUMMER ASSIGNMENTS

To prevent any summer regression, we <u>highly</u> recommend continuing to review skills that were taught over the last year. Below are some activities. Some are recommended and others are required. Let us know if you have any questions! quintilian_p@cardinalpacelli.org igou_c@cardinalpacelli.org

REQUIRED

Reading: Please read at least ONE book of your choice over the summer. You will need to bring this book with you to school for fun activities we have planned! PARENTS please make sure it is a book that is at your students reading level (refer to their spring MAP Lexile range). There is a list of recommended books in this packet.

Math: Most of our year will be spent working with multiplication and division facts. It is important that students start to build their fact fluency. Some ways to practice this include flashcards, timed tests, workbooks, practice pages, math facts, or simple oral practice, Find what works best for your student!

OPTIONAL (BUT RECOMMENDED)

Summer Solutions:

We recommend buying 1 Math and 1 Reading

- Grade 2 Mathematics
- o Reviews all math skills taught in second grade.
- Grade 2 Reading Comprehension
- o Has reading passages followed by comprehension questions. If your child struggled with fluently reading grade appropriate passages, answering literal or inferential questions, or was below 130 words per minute at the end of the year, this is your "go to" review book
- Grade 2 Standards-Based Grammar and Mechanics
 o If your child was on-level with fluently reading but struggled with spelling, grammar, parts of speech, punctuation, etc. this is your "go to" literacy review book

Summer Bridges:

Bridging Grades 2-3

o Quick 15 minutes-a-day activities that cover skills for all subject areas. Personally, we feel that this is a great "extra practice" book and should not be the only book you are using for reviewing.

Word Lists:

- Attached are all of the 2nd grade Memory Words. Write out these words on flashcards and have your child speed read and practice spelling each memory word.
- o Speed Read: Have your child read as many flashcards as they can for 1 minute. Count their total. Start over and time them again for another minute. See if they can beat their score.

Writing:

• Your child could benefit from having a writing journal. They can write about their summer activities or you can give them a prompt to answer!

WE ARE SO EXCITED TO WORK WITH YOUR CHILDREN! IT WILL BE A
FANTASTIC SCHOOL YEAR. WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING ALL OF YOU SOON.

- Miss Quintilian and Miss Igou

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

Because of Winn Dixie

Stuart Little

Diary of a Wimpy Kid

I Survived

Charlotte's Web

A-Z Mysteries (series)

Fantastic Mr. Fox

The One and Only Ivan

Fudge (series)

My Weird School (series)

Magic Treehouse (series)

Ramona (series)

Geronimo Stilton (series)

Puppy Place (series)

The Chocolate Touch

Ribsy

Pippi Longstocking

Ballet Shoes

Paddington (series)

Emily Windsnap (series)

Ivy and Bean (series)

Kate DiCamillo

E.B. White

Jeff Kinney

Lauren Tarshis

E.B. White

Ron Roy

Roald Dahl

Katherine Applegate

Judy Blume

Dan Gutman

Mary Pope Osborne

Beverly Cleary

Elisabetta Dami

Ellen Miles

Patrick Skene Catling

Beverly Cleary

Astrid Lindgren

Noel Streatfeild

Michael Bond

Liz Kessler

Annie Barrows