Welcome to 4th Grade!

Attached you will find the following:

Classroom Supply List

Reading Logs — It has 2 sides — It will be the only item you need to return the first week of school. Please try to read at least 3 fiction/3 non-fiction books.

Summer Bingo Sheets – These are for fun. Please try to do as many as possible.

Lego Challenge – For fun, not required

Math/Science/STEM activity calendars -Please try to do some over the summer

PLEASE PRACTICE MULTIPLICATION FACTS OVER THE SUMMER

Summer Language Arts Activities – Many great suggestions

For 4th Grade's Social Studies curriculum, it's all about Pennsylvania.

There is an attached list of places to visit.

Barnes and Noble Summer Reading is optional, but a great way to earn a free book – check out the sheet (3)

Fiction - See back



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Summer Reading Bingo

Read out loud to an adult



Read a play out loud with a group of friends

Read a book that a friend recommends Reread a favorite book



Read a biography

Read a story you wrote yourself Tellajoke you read in a book



Read in a pillow fort

Read a magazine article

Read
a book by
your
favorite
author



Read to a stuffed animal (or a real one!)

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Read the directions for a game



Try a book you think you won't like (you don't have to finish it!)

Tell an adult three facts you read in a book

Write a review of a book you've read



Read a book you got at the library

Read one book in a series Read
out loud
to a
little kid

Read a a short story



Retell a story you read in your own words

Read in bed

Name:

Have an adult sign each box you complete over the summer.

Blackout Board:

One Line Complete:

SUMMER READING BINGO

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MINUTES READING EACH DAY THIS SUMMER!

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READ in the bathtub! (no water, just blankets.)	READ IN A BLANKET FORT	READ while eating a snowcone (carefully!)	READ TO YOUR PET	Have a "Reading Party" with friends & treats
READ A MAGAZINE ARTICLE	READ a whole page of a book backwards	READ IN A TENT	READ to someone who can't read	READ WITH A FLASHLIGHT
READ a book you loved when you were younger	READ FOR 30 MINUTES	FREE	READ ON THE SWINGS	READ under the Kitchen table
READ WITH AN ACCENT	READ on a family Road Trip	READ A POEM AND PERFORM FOR FRIENDS	READ a newspaper article	READ FOR 1 HOUR
SWAP favorite books with a friend & READ!	READ WHILE EATING A PICNIC LUNCH	take turns READING a page at a time with a sibling	READ TO A RELATIVE OVER THE PHONE OR COMPUTER	READ a book you love AGAIN!

Bingo= _____ Blackout= ___

SUMMER LANGUAGE ARTS ACTIVITIES

- Reading Race Have your child practice fluency skills by timing your child for one minute as he/she reads a familiar passage. Repeat and see if he/she can complete the passage faster. Or have your child slow down to read for expression.
- 2. Create a reading time with your family. Have each member take turns reading.
- 3. Have your child design a bookmark to use during the summer.
- 4. Have your child keep a review of books read during the summer on index cards. They may share some when we return to school.
- Have your child watch favorite t.v. show and write a note to retell parts of the show: beginning, middle, and ending:
- If you get a newspaper, have your child collect comic strips from the newspaper. Clip them together and read. Have your child make up new comic strips.
- Let your child make lots of lists: Favorite toys, movies, books, animals, pets, foods, places to visit, etc.
- 8. Have your child cut out pictures from newspapers/magazines. Have your child write a caption for the pictures.
- Allow your child to dress up as a character in a book and act out parts of the story for family and friends.
- 10. Have your child play a board game. Ask him/her to read the directions aloud before playing the game.
- 11. Have your child practice reading skills this summer by reading and retelling. Have your child read a book and illustrate the text by using chalk on a sidewalk.
- 12. Build a tent with chairs and blankets. Have your child grab a book and read inside.
- 13. Have your child practice writing skills by keeping a journal or by sending letters, notes, or emails to relatives
- 14. Build an indoor beach. Get some towels, a glass of lemonade, and a book. Read while relaxing on your beach.
- 15. Eat and Chat—allow books at the table and have your child share parts of the text while munching. Make sure there are no crumbs left on the book⊖
- 16. Make a scrapbook with your child using pictures and/or drawings. Have your child write captions to go with the pictures.
- 17. Use the computer to find places your child would like to visit. Design a brochure together.
- 18. Character Picnic Have your child write character names on paper plates. Have your child talk about that character as he/she chooses a paper plate.
- Puppet Play Find some paper bags for your child and create paper bag puppets to retell a story.
- 20. Read aloud to your child, but don't share any pictures. Have your child draw to illustrate the portion of the book you shared.
- 21. Have your child make a book cover for a book he/she has read.
- 22. Joke Night Hold a comedy night with your family. Take turns reading jokes from a book.
- 23. If you plan a vacation, have your child take a book along.

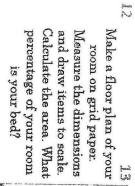
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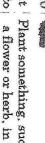
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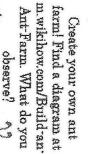
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observe?



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you make to attract more | coloring. Drop in an Alka-Seltzer tablet. You have a Fill a clear container 3/4 the rest with water and with vegetable oil. Fill add 10 drops food lava lamp!

pennies can be placed in Predict how many

before it overflows. Fill a glass to the rim. Add a full glass of water pennies one by one.

baking sods and stir. Add lemon juice and quickly Pour 40 ml water into a coke bottle. Add a tsp place balloon over the Stretch out a balloon. mouth of bottle.

WEDNIESDAY SCIENCE

TMURSDAY

experiment using baking soda + vinegar. Create your own household items. Test Make a catapult with your accuracy and precision

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action figure and design a one level to another (tree to ground, table to floor). zip line to get them from Find your favorite doll or



ice cube from melting as Design a way to keep an with a friend

Design a system that will | Design a math scavenger reaction to keep prying keep your secrets sate. Make a breasure box to set off an alarm or a eyes away.



FRIDAY

SATURDAY

Service Services

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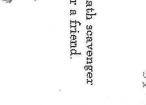
blow. What is the largest water. Dip a bubble hoop bubble you can make? Mix up dish soap and into the mixture and

long as possible. Compete the course over a series of average time to complete 5 attempts. Get a friend Create an obstacle course outside. Calculate your to try!



hunt for a friend







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WEDNESDAY SCIENCE



Engineers are trained to

Play a family game like

Monopoly that uses

critical thinking and

math skills.



SATURDAY



baskets you make out of Play some basketball! percentage accuracy Measure how many 10. Calculate your

product, set a price, and throw away or recycle and make something Use items you would useful. Name your create a slogan.

WHAT questions about nature. Ask 5 WHY or object or something in around us. Choose an understand the world Scientist want to

this item.

improved? Draw a new science to improve the use the knowledge of anything that can be world. Do you notice design

Use materials to protect a test by throwing against popping. Go outside and water balloon from a wall or tree

using 3-D popup art for

Flag Day

Father's Day.

Make a greeting card

science. Tell your family

about it at dinner.

interesting story about

the internet for an

Search newspapers or

and select items without

Determine the budget

various animals' feet and

observations about

ears. Make a chart for

comparison.

Go to the zoo and make

grocery shopping.

Help your parents with

going over. Don't forget

about tax

Place a small ball on top of a large ball and drop them together. Watch

dinner. Can you measure

vegetation and wildlife

walk. Discuss the

Go on a nature

you see. Notice the

Help an adult with

the ingredients in the

double the recipe? Halve recipe? How would you

different animals in your

neighborhood

different habitats for

how energy is

transferred!

the recipe?

Design your own game or materials. Invite some sport using household friends to play!

parks). What laws would

you enact? What new

areas, shopping areas, for zoning (residential

technology would exist?

future city. Make a plan

Draw out your ideal

Coke plastic bottle. Run! Mentos candy into a Diet

Go outside. Place a

Improve your design and many coins can it hold? aluminum foil. How Build a raft from my again.

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Let's get crafty! Make a reflection and rotation piece of artwork using symmetry.





money. Use actual values by browsing newspapers

how you will spend your

dollars! Make a chart of

You have won I million



internet for prices

magazines, or the

possible! How many types

can you find?

and mammals as

different birds, insects.

Go outside and take a

picture of as many

Local Things to do that are not too far away: Places do Visit in Pennsylvania

Peddler's Village - Lahaska

Rice's Flea Market - New Hope (not as it once was, but still may be worth a trip.)

Dilly's at Centre Bridge - New Hope - (Old-fashioned take-out)

Pennsbury Manor - William Penn's Country House - in Lower Bucks near Levittown

Tyler State Park - (Between Richboro and Newtown) I grew up right down the road from this park and spent many days at a beautiful covered bridge (Schofield Ford Bridge) It was rebuilt in the 90's after a fire.

Fonthill/Mercer Museum - Doylestown - Beautiful cement castles built by Henry Chapman Mercer. Gorgeous tiles inlaid in the cement.

Peace Valley Park - near Doylestown

Washington Crossing Historic Park

Hawk Mountain - Near Cabela's in Kempton

Crystal Cave - Kutztown

Eckley's Miners Village - Weatherly

Pioneer Tunnel Coal Mine - This is where we (normall) go on our class trip. It is near the town of Centralia (well, it is no longer considered a town) where there has been an underground mine fire since 1962. (Amazingly, it is said that it could burn for another 100 years.)

Becky's Drive-In - Walnutport

Shankweiler's Drive-In - Orefield

Jim Thorpe - Beautiful town - known as the "Switzerland of PA" due to the mountains surrounding the town.

Grand Theater - East Greenville

Lost River Caverns - Hellertown

Hoover- Mason Trestle Walkway - One of my favorite places!! - At SteelStacks in Bethlehem

National Museum of Industrial History - Right near SteelStacks

National Canal Museum - Easton - Learn about the canal and towpath that run along the Lehigh River.

Daniel Boone Homestead - Birdsboro

Lancaster Area

Lititz - a supposedly picturesque town - (I have not been there)

Wolf Sanctuary of PA - Lititz

Turkey Hill Experience - Columbia

Harrisburg Area

Lake Tobias Wildlife Park - Drive through park - Halifax

PA State Museum - Great displays including Native American area, wildlife, transportation, planetarium, etc. -Harrisburg - right near the Capitol Building.

Pride of the Susquehanna - Beautiful paddle-wheel boat ride on the Susquehanna River with a recording all about PA history :----

Herr's Factory Tour - Nottingham Longwood Gardens - Beautiful indoor/outdoor gardens including 3 treehouses - Kennett Square U.S. Mint - Philadelphia Historic District - Betsy Ross House, Independence Hall, Liberty Bell, etc. Upstate PA - Poconos/North Central/ Northwest PA Route 6 is a wonderful drive Cherry Springs State Park - Darkest skies east of the Mississippi Wellsboro and Pine Creek Gorge - Known as "PA Grand Canyon" Ricketts Glen State Park - many waterfalls Bushkill Falls - Beautiful, but there is an entrance fee Dingmans Falls - close to Milford, PA near NY/NJ border

Kinzua Bridge State Park - Incredible area with an old railroad trestle bridge. Part of it was destroyed by a tornado in 2003 and it's been redone with a skywalk. Absolutely amazing if you can get past any fear of heights.

Penn State area

Penn's Cave - only cave in PA that you have to access by boat

Places in Delaware/Chester/Philadelphia Counties

Valley Forge National Historical Park

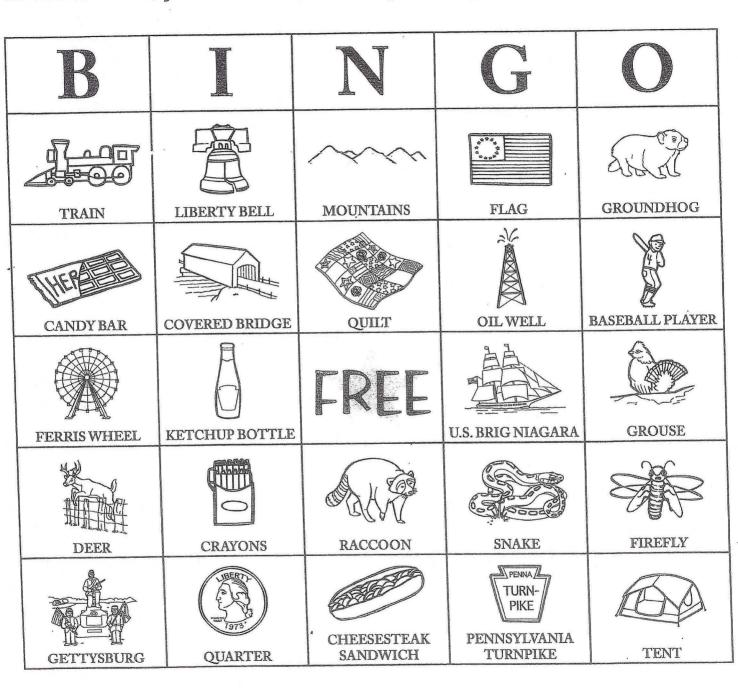
Allegheny National Forest

but you can also hike to the bottom.

Penn State Berkey Creamery

Pennsylvania Bingo

If you see one of the people, places, animals or objects on the bingo card, mark it with an X. Be sure to mark the free space in the middle. If you get five Xs in a row, you win! Remember to yell "Bingo!"





License plate game: Cross out letters as you see them.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

June Writing Promots

						What movie could you watch over and over again? Why?
Write a letter to a pen pal describing your summer vacation.	I was running down a hill when suddenly	Describe how you'd like to change the world someday.	What are your favorite kinds of books to read and why?	Imagine it's raining ice pops! What happens?	Design a new airplane. What fun features does it include?	Pretend you are a cloud. Write about your typical day.
Write a funny story about a cat that can talk.	How do you like to keep cool when it's hot outside?	Write a fiction story about a day at wizard camp.	Describe some- thing nice you could do for a neighbor.	I can't stop laughing when I think about	Describe the best present you've ever given or received.	Write a song about a dad.
Write a story about overcoming your biggest fear.	Write about your favorite spot in your home.	If you were in charge of planning your family vacation, where would you go and why?	What qualities do you look for in a friend?	Write a radio commercial about your favorite toy.	Whom would you rather spend a day with—the tooth fairy or the Easter Bunny? Why?	Write a story about the perfect weekend.
You wake up to find all your belongings missing! What happened?	Describe what you like best about your closest friend.	If you created a family business, what would you sell? Why?	Write a story about being the luckiest kid in the world.	If you were in charge and your parents broke a rule, how would you handle it?	What's your favorite memory of a summer vacation with your family?	You're stranded on an island with a friend of your choice. Who is it and why?
What are four things you hope to do this summer?					A Symist	
Saturday	Friday	Thursday	Wednesday	Tuesday	Monday	Sunday

July Writing Prompts

	Write a poem about a sunny day.	Imagine you have a pet monkey! What do you do with it?	I 4. If cats could talk, they would say	Name one thing you like about yourself. Why do you like it?	Sunday
	Explain how to fly a kite to someone who has never done it before.	You find shoes that turn you into a giant! What will you do?	Write about a food you have never eaten but really want to try. Why do you want to try it?	You're going on a road trip! What do you bring?	Monday Today is the halfway point of the year! What was your favorite day of 2024 so far? What happened?
Month of the second	If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go and why?	How do you feel about surprises?	Which would you rather be—super-strong or super-fast?	Design your own treehouse. What will it look like, and what will you put in it?	Tuesday Write a funny story about a dog that sits at the dinner table for meals.
	I laughed so hard when	Imagine you're an animal at the zoo. Write about the day you escape!	Design your perfect birthday party.	This summer, I hope I am lucky enough to	Wednesday This summer, I am going to learn how to
September 1		Write a different ending to your favorite book.	Describe something you're really good at.	You've just won the talent show! What did you do to win?	Thursday Explain what the 4th of July means to you.
		What is something you do that makes people laugh?	The three things I appreciate most about my family are	If you were a teacher, which subject would you teach? Why?	Friday Friday Friday Friday
		Someone who can always make me laugh when I'm sad is, because	If I had wings like a hummingbird, I would fly to	Write about your favorite outdoor summer activity.	Saturday If you could tame any wild animal, what would it be and why?

August Writing Prompts

Write about the best dream you ever had.	Write about a time someone gave you good advice.	Describe how to get from your school to your home.	Once upon a time	Write a fictional story from a ladybug's point of view.	Write a story about your two favorite superheroes.	Would you rather be as big as an ostrich or as small as a hummingbird?
Pretend you are a pair of sunglasses. Write about your day in the sun.	Create a family tree that includes drawings and descriptions of family members.	If I were locked in my favorite restaurant overnight, I would	Make a checklist of the things you will do to get ready for school.	Write a poem about the last person who smiled at you.	Pretend you have the power to create your own holiday. Explain why it would be celebrated.	Let's go to the beach! What foods do you bring? What games will you play?
Write a funny story titled "The Day I Joined the Circus."	My favorite way to cool down during summer is	What do you like best about your friends?	You're in charge of a garden. What do you plant there, and how will you take care of it?	If you were a tour guide for your city, where would you take visitors? Why?	What is your favorite type of music? Why?	Describe something in your life that makes you happy.
Create a symbol that represents your family. What does it mean?	When I am sad, one thing that always makes me feel better is	Imagine you invent a new kind of car! What does it look like?	Write a funny story about a family who is taking a road trip across America.	Describe the colors in the sky at sunset.	Write a letter to a pen pal describing your town.	Imagine going for a ride in a hot air balloon. What do you see as you look down?
Imagine running into someone famous. Write out your conversation.	What is your favorite physical activity? Why?	If you were a crayon, what color would you be? Why?				
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SIMPLY FOLLOW THESE THREE EASY STEPS:

- Read any eight books this summer and record them in this Summer Reading Journal. Tell us which part of the book is your favorite, and why.
- Bring your completed journal to a Barnes & Noble store between July 1 and August 31, 2024.
- 3. Choose your free reading adventure from the books listed below.

GRADES 1 & 2

The Bad Guys (B&N Exclusive Edition) (The Bad Guys #1)	Aaron Blabey
Band Camp! 1: All Together Now!	Brian "Smitty" Smith
The Boxcar Children (The Boxcar Children #1)	Gertrude Chandler Warner
Dr. Seuss Graphic Novel: Cat Out of Water: A Cat in the Hat Story	Art Baltazar
Emma McKenna, Full Out (The Kids in Mrs. Z's Class #1)	Kate Messner
The Good Egg and the Talent Show	Jory John
Hombre Perro: Cumbres Maternales (Dog Man: Mothering Heights)	
Little Olympians 1: Zeus, God of Thunder	A.I. Newton
Mirror Magic (Star Friends)	Linda Chapman
The Princess in Black and the Prince in Pink	Shannon Hale & Dean Hale
Scuba-Cat (Pete the Cat) (My First I Can Read Series)	James Dean

GRADES 3 & 4

The Area 51 Files	Julie Buxbaum
The Chocolate Touch	Patrick Skene Catling
Diary of an 8-Bit Warrior: An Unoffical Minecraft Adventure (#1)	Cube Kid
The First Cat in Space Ate Pizza	Mac Barnett & Shawn Harris
Laugh-Out-Loud: The Joke-a-Day Book: A Year of Laughs	Rob Elliott
The Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane	Kate DiCamillo
¿Quién fue Frida Kahlo?	Sarah Fabiny
The Tail of Emily Windsnap (Tail of Emily Windsnap #1)	Liz Kessler
What Are the Summer Olympics?	Gail Herman
Worst Broommate Ever! (Middle School and Other Disasters)	Wanda Coyen

GRADES 5 & 6

39 Clues: The Maze of Bones: A Graphic Novel (39 Clues Graphic Novel #1)	Rick Riordan & Ethan Young
Amari and the Night Brothers (The Supernatural Investigations Series #1)	B. B. Alston
Daughter of the Deep	Rick Riordan
Enemies (Berrybrook Middle School #5)	Svetlana Chmakova
Hummingbird	Natalie I lovd
Jawbreaker	Christina Wyman
Matt Sprouts and the Curse of the Ten Broken Toes	Matthew Ficheldinger
Minecraft: The Crash: An Official Minecraft Novel	Tracey Bantiste
The Mystery of Black Hollow Lane (Black Hollow Lane #1)	Julia Nobel
One Dead Spy (Nathan Hale's Hazardous Tales #1)	Nathan Hale
Treasure Island	Dobort Lavie Character
Ungifted	Cordon Korman
A Wrinkle in Time (Time Quintet #1)	Madeleine I 'Engle
Yo, Naomi León (Becoming Naomi León)	Pam Muñoz Ryan

THIS SUMMER READING JOURNAL BELONGS TO:

STUDENT NAME	SCHOOL	GRADE
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