

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

returning to pre-k



Story Time...

What do you think the book will be about?	What was your favorite part?	What was the book about?
What happened in the beginning of the story?	What happened in the middle of the story?	What happened at the end of the story?

Parent Tips

When reading with your child:

- Have them turn the pages
- Notice repetitions in the text & pictures
- Have your child "read" the pictures to you
- Ask questions about the characters' feelings.

123 Math...

Point and count objects around the house (pennies, seeds, spoons)	Identify numbers around you	Rote count as high as you can (recite the numbers in order)
Identify shapes around you and compare them (a triangle has 3 sides, a square has 4 sides)	Point out patterns (repeating colors :blue, green, blue, green)	Sort laundry (separate by colors, size, and type of clothing)

Parent Tips

- Use objects around the house to count, sort, and pattern
- Count anywhere you go

Virtual Trips:

KidsVision Youtube (from South Florida PBS) San Diego Zoo (live cams)
Monterey Bay Aquarium (live cams) Access Mars (virtual tour of Mars)
Free School Youtube

Apps:

AlphaTots Alphabet

Peg + Cat Big Gig

LeapFrog Academy

Websites:

ABCYa.com

ArbolABC.com

FunBrainJr.com

StarFall.com

SesameStreet.org

PBSKids.org ABCMouse.com

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Going to kindergarten



Language & Literacy...

Read a book and identify the beginning, middle, and end (how would you change the ending?)	Identify letters in your name, say their sounds, say other letter sounds	Draw a detailed self portrait and label the parts of your body (6-8 parts)
Read a book and illustrate your favorite part (label your picture)	Write upper / lower case letters (start with the letters in your name)	Write your first and last name

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Math...

Point and count to 20 and above	Identify and write numbers 0 to 10	Create and extend patterns with items in your house
Compare quantities (make two piles of coins, spoons, forks and say which has more/less)	Count on from a specific number (5 to 10, 10 to 15)	Identify and compare shapes (pentagon, hexagon, octagon, rhombus)

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