



## Have a ball reading this summer!

### Summer Choice Board for rising Kindergarteners

Complete at least 10 of these activities and return to your Kindergarten teacher for a Dress Down Day! Each activity should be completed using a different book.

**Parents:** Please initial and date each activity your child completes.



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Draw an illustration of the setting of your book.	Read to a stuffed animal or a pet.	Go to the library and read a book of your choice.	Go to library story time.	Get a library card. My number is	Read to someone older.
Read a fiction (not real) book in bed.	Write a letter to your favorite author.	Read a non-fiction book about a person.	Read a book and find 10 action words.	Go to <a href="http://storylineonline.com">storylineonline.com</a> and listen to your favorite book.	Read a book with a favorite TV show character.
Draw your favorite character from the book.	Illustrate the setting of a story.	Read in the living room.	Do a picture walk of a story and guess the ending.	Find at least 15 words that begin with the same beginning sound as your name.	Find 5 nouns in a story and illustrate them.
Write a book report for your favorite book.	Write a new ending for your book.	Illustrate your favorite part in the story.	Retell the events of the story to an adult.	Compare and contrast the two characters in the story.	Read under a tree.

## **Rising Kindergarten Summer Reading List**

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom, Bill Martin Jr. and John Archambault

1-2-3 Peas, Keith Baker

Alice the Fairy, David Shannon

The Berenstain Bears series, Stan, Jan & Mike Berenstain

Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See?, Bill Martin Jr.  
& Eric Carle

Bugs in My Hair, David Shannon

Clifford series, Norman Bridwell

Gingerbread Man Loose on the Fire Truck, Laura Murray  
& Mike Lowery

The Giving Tree, Shel Silverstein

Good Night, Sleep Tight, Mem Fox & Judy Horacek

Goodnight Moon, Margaret Wise Brown

Green Eggs and Ham, Dr. Seuss

Growing Vegetable Soup, Lois Ehlet

The Gruffalo, Julia Donaldson & Axel Scheffler

Harold and the Purple Crayon, Crockett Johnson

Hot Rod Hamster: Monster Truck Mania!, Cynthia Lord  
& Derek Anderson

How Big Were Dinosaurs?, Lita Judge

How Do Dinosaurs series, Jane Yolen & Mark Teague

If You Take a Mouse to School, Laura Numeroff  
& Felicia Bond

My Five Senses, Alike

My Truck is Stuck!, Kevin Lewis & Daniel Kirk

National Geographic Little Kids First Big Book of Why,  
Amy Shields

Pete the Cat series, Eric Litwin & James Dean

Pigeon series, Mo Willems

Three Little Pigs and the Somewhat Bad Wolf, Mark Teague

Where the Wild Things Are, Maurice Sendak

Whistle for Willie, Ezra Jack Keats