

| Multilingual Parent Advisory Committee (MPAC)

Supporting English Language Development over the Summer

April 18, 2023

Available Languages

Languages Requested:

- Japanese Mihoko Yamamoto
- Ukrainian Iryna Cambone
- Bulgarian- Dilyana Zheleva
- Spanish Adriana Temple





Welcome!

District 15 EL Students

- 3441 Eligible Students
- 470 Recent Exits
- 501 Fully Exited
- 80+ Languages



Agenda



Summer Reading

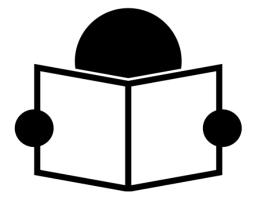


A Summer that Counts



Writing Into Summer





Summer Reading

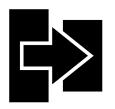
Summer Reading Research



Just providing books to students isn't enough!

"Research found that when students had increased access to books combined with an opportunity to interact with adults while reading — summarizing a story, re-reading a difficult passage, talking about characters — students showed a significant improvement in reading skills such as comprehension over the summer" (Interview with Dr. Kim, 2009).

Ideas for Child and Adult Reading Interaction



What is summarizing?

Summarizing is telling the most **important parts** of a text, in your **own words**, in a much **shorter** way.

Teaching summarizing shows students how to...

- figure out the essential ideas in a text
- ignore irrelevant information
- integrate the central ideas in a meaningful way

Summarizing is a complex skill that will continue to develop over time, as students read increasingly complex texts.

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What is rereading?

Rereading is the *visible*, observable behavior of reading the text again. The *invisible* behavior is the thinking that needs to occur when a child is searching for meaning or phonics information.

Rereading may look like...

- students reread all the way from the beginning of the page
- students may reread from the beginning of a line or sentence
- students may reread only a phrase or word to confirm an attempt

As students become more adept at this fast processing of information, you may see a change over time in how they reread at each level.

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What are characters traits and how do we talk about them?

Depending on the nature of the story, characters are most often people or animals. Writers use characters to perform the **actions** and **speak the dialogue** of a story. They move a story's plot forward. They are the *who* of a story.

Talking about characters may include asking your child to tell..

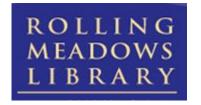
- the positive or negative actions a character does
- why a character acted the way they did
- how a character response to different events in the story
- what they would change about a character if they were the author

In fictional stories, character traits serve a number of purposes, including: Helping readers connect and identify with a character. Providing insight into a character's motivations.

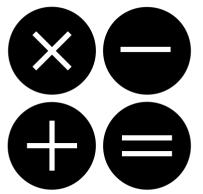
Summer Library Literacy Programs





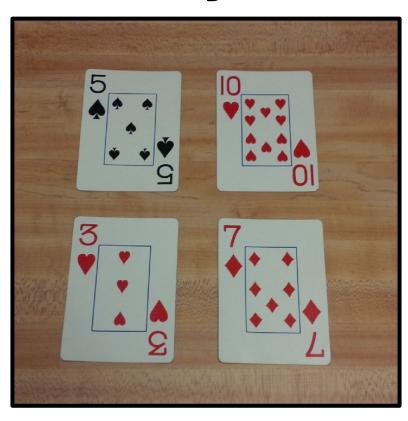


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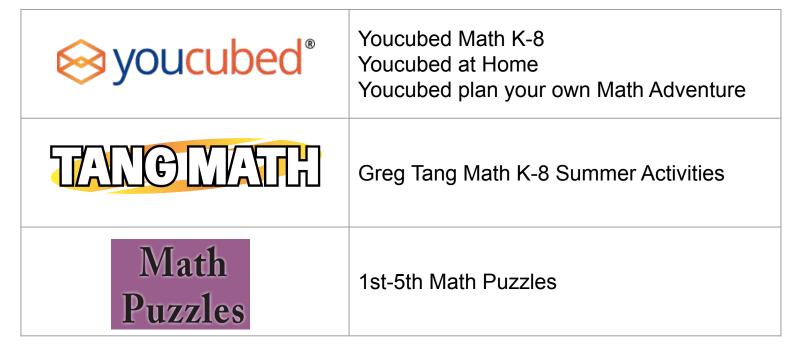


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Which One Doesn't Belong?



Online Math Options





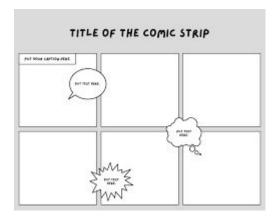
Writing into the Summer

Writing

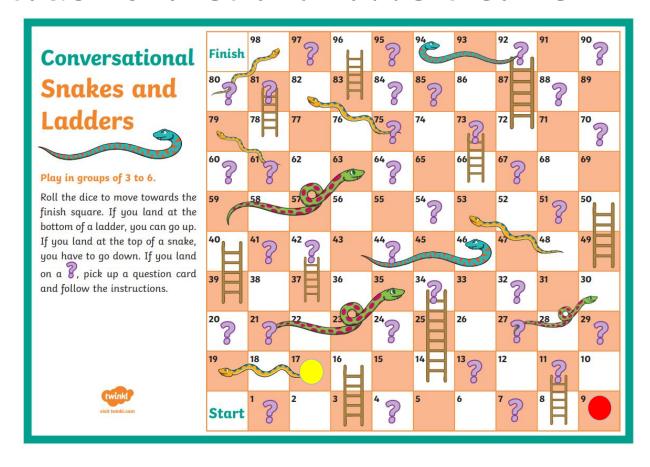
Use the Summer Writing Journal to have your child continue to write throughout the summer.



Use the comic strip pages to have your child write a story.

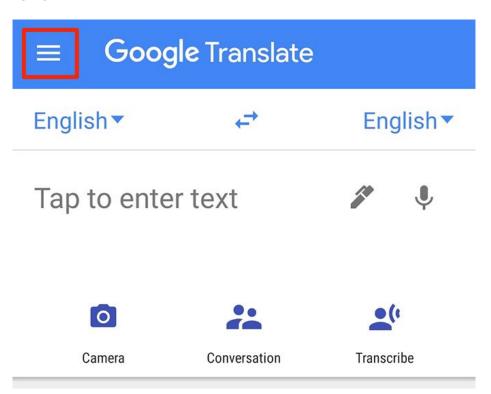


Conversation Snakes and Ladders Game



Using Google Translate App





Park District Summer Programs



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