Summer Math and Reading Activities

“Summer Leap” or “Summer Slide”

Did you know that when kids read and do math over the summer they are more likely to leap ahead when they return to school, and not have the “summer slide”. When you like to help your child to be ahead in reading and math and not behind? Below are three websites we recommend at Lowe.

1. **IXL**
   *Recommendations for personal skills*
   *Guidance from IXL Analytics*
   *Teach Me strategies where children teach parents*
   
   https://www.ixl.com/signin/loweelem

2. **Bookopolis**
   *Create Virtual bookshelves*
   *Rate and Review Books*
   *Complete Book Reports*
   *Track daily or weekly reading*
   *Connect with Friends*
   *Explore New Book ideas*
   *Earn Points and Badges*

   https://bookopolis.com/#/

3. **Read-A-Palooza**
   *Scholastic Summer Reading Contest to earn the title “Best in the State”*
   *To help get books to students in Need*

   https://www.scholastic.com/summer/home/
Original letters sent Home to parents

- Parent/Summer letter about Bookopolis
- Parent/Summer letter about Scholastic Summer Reading
- Parent/Summer letter about IXL
- Parent/Summer letter about Reading with Fun Activities

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Remember to set a time to read, and work on math skills during the summer break. It should be at least 20 minutes each day in reading and in math.

1. IXL, has recommended fun skills for your child to enhance their learning.
2. Scholastic Summer reading and Bookopolis allows your child to document his or her reading in a fun and creative way.