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Dear Future 5th Grader and Parents:

Congratulations! You are finally a 5th Grader!

Over the summer, we ask that you read for about 30 minutes at least 3 times a week. Afterwards, talk to someone about what you have read. Here are some ideas for discussion:

1. What part in the book reminds you of something that has happened to you?
2. What books can you remember that remind you of the book you just read?
3. What I read makes me think about . . .
4. I was surprised that . . .
5. I wonder why the author . . .
6. I really want to know . . .
7. The part I like best is ____ because . . .
8. This selection makes me feel . . .
9. I wish the author had . . .
10. I predict that . . .
11. The setting reminds me of . . .
12. The problem in this story is . . .
13. ____ (character) reminds me of ____ because . . .
14. I think the main character feels ____ because . . .
15. What are some new words you found? What do you think they mean?
16. The most interesting part of my book is..., because...

We would also like for you to complete one writing prompt per week. Entries should be about a page and can be done on any paper.

In addition, we are also asking that you complete the attached daily math calendar to keep your math skills sharp. There is one problem per day. Each problem should only take a few minutes to complete. They are reviews of 4th grade concepts.

Let's keep our skills sharp. Have a great summer!

Sincerely,

The Future 5th Grade Teachers






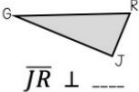
MATH REVIEW OF THE DAY

JULY



1

Write this number in standard form.
 $600,000 + 7,000 + 200 + 40 + 1$

2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Estimate. Before adding, round each number to its greatest place value. $519,421 + 178,056$	Solve. $869 \div 3$	What denominator makes these fractions equivalent? $\frac{2}{5} = \frac{4}{?}$	Write 0.2 as a fraction.	How many sets of parallel lines does this figure have? 	I am a number between 60 and 70. I am a multiple of 8. What number am I?	Write this number in word form. 340,216
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Estimate. Before subtracting, round each number to its greatest place value. $923,753 - 408,964$	Estimate. Before multiplying, round the multi-digit factor to its greatest place value. $7 \times 8,159$	Solve. $\frac{3}{4} \times 7$	Write $\frac{9}{100}$ as a decimal.	Use the figure. 	List all of the factors of 56 in order from least to greatest.	Round this number to the nearest 1,000. 980,605
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Solve. $478,395 + 236,240$	Estimate. Before dividing, round the dividend to the nearest compatible number. $3,695 \div 5$	Solve. $2\frac{2}{10} + 4\frac{7}{10}$	Solve. $\frac{7}{100} + \frac{6}{10}$	How many grams are in 7 kilograms 37 grams?	____ is twice as many as 4.	Which number is less? 142,086 or 142,680
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
795,046 - 58,937	4,409 x 8	Decompose $\frac{4}{5}$. $\frac{4}{5} = \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad} + \underline{\quad}$	Use <, >, or = to compare the decimals.	How many minutes are in 8 hours 24 minutes?	What are the next four multiples of 6?	What is the value of the underlined digit? 712, <u>9</u> 84
30	31		0.6 ____ 0.58	6, 12, ____, ____, ____, ____	657,247 + 49,051 + 102,886	



Week 1	What are the reasons that you are grateful to live in the United States?	Describe in detail the ultimate way you would want to celebrate July 4 th .	July is National Recreation Month. Look "recreation" up in the dictionary. Then describe your favorite recreational activity.	Story Starter: If school started in July, I would...	If I had a water park in my backyard, it would be...
Week 2	To me freedom means...	July is National Blueberry & Peach Month. What is your favorite fruit? Write a paragraph explaining why your fruit is the best.	Story Title: The Worst Family Vacation Ever!	Disneyland Park first opened in July, 1955. What would it be like if Walt Disney was your father or grandfather?	If you could have an ice cream named after you, what would it be called? What kind would it be & why?
Week 3	The 3 rd week in July is National Rabbit Week. A magician comes to town and turns you into a rabbit. Now what will you do?	Write a S. U. M. M. E. R. acrostic poem.	July is National Ice Cream Month. Compare & contrast your 2 favorite flavors of ice cream.	Story Starter: I was at the beach with my friends when the strangest thing happened...	This summer I am so excited because I finally get to...
Week 4	Summer is a great time to go to the movie theater. Describe the best summer movie you have ever seen.	Story Title: The Sandbox Discovery	If you could fly a plane anywhere, where would you want to go? Why?	One day dad turned on the sprinkler and suddenly...	Story Title: The Case Of The Disappearing Beach Ball

July Word Bank:

Independence Day canoeing sunscreen United States Of America holiday humidity camp picnic beach visit ocean popsicle relax sandals sailing diving shorts summer swimming sandcastle vacation fireworks



Week 1	In August, 1492, Christopher Columbus set sail to discover a new land. Write about a time when you explored a new place.	Describe in detail a book you enjoyed reading over the summer.	August is National Inventors Month. Create your own invention and explain it in detail. What will your invention be used for?	The National Park Service was created in August, 1916. Why do you think it is important to have national parks?	Describe in detail what the perfect sandcastle would look like.
Week 2	Describe in detail how it feels to jump into a pool on a hot day.	There are many hot and cold places to live all around the world. Would you rather live in a warm place or a cold place? Why?	Story Starter: I was swimming in the ocean, and I found a treasure chest filled with...	What is your favorite thing to eat on a hot day? Why?	Pretend you live in a sandcastle. Describe what your life is like and what you do all day.
Week 3	Write an article called "How To Beat The Summertime Heat".	Write an A. U. G. U. S. T. acrostic poem.	Design and describe in detail the perfect playground. Where would you locate it?	Story Starter: If I could make a new holiday in the month of August, it would be called...	As it gets closer to the new school year, "Back-To-School" commercials begin. How does it make you feel when you see or hear them?
Week 4	National Aviation Day is celebrated in August. What are some ways airplanes have improved our lives?	Write about a place that you visited this summer.	Story Starter: If my bicycle had wings, I would...	One thing I wish I had done this summer is...	What will you miss about summer vacation?

August Word Bank:

amusement park canoeing sunscreen sunglasses bathing suit humidity camp picnic beach pool ocean
popsicle fireflies sandals sailing diving shorts summer swimming sandcastle vacation friends

MATH REVIEW OF THE DAY AUGUST

		1 Which fraction is less? $\frac{2}{5}$ or $\frac{1}{6}$	2 Use $<$, $>$, or $=$ to compare. 0.07 ____ 0.3	3 I'm a quadrilateral with two sets of parallel sides. All of my sides measure 7 cm. I have no right angles. What is my most specific name?	4 The rule is subtract 7. The starting number is 92. What are the next three numbers? 92, ____, ____, ____	5 Write this number in expanded form. 550,172								
6 Solve. $36,117 + ? = 80,425$	7 Estimate. Before multiplying, round each multi-digit factor to its greatest place value. 38×72	8 Solve. $\frac{3}{6} + 2\frac{5}{6}$	9 Write $\frac{82}{100}$ as a decimal.	10 A right angle is divided into two angles. One angle measures 23° . What does the other angle measure?	11 List all of the prime numbers from 70 to 80.	12 The value of the 3 in 834,175 is ten times the value of the 3 in ____ 369,285 or 253,179								
13 Solve. $? - 14,799 = 52,366$	14 Solve. 68×94	15 Solve. $7 - 5\frac{3}{4}$	16 Solve. $\frac{5}{10} + \frac{29}{100}$	17 Start time: 9:47 A.M. End time: 12:18 P.M. How much time has elapsed?	18 <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <thead> <tr> <th>In</th> <th>Out</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>3</td> <td>24</td> </tr> <tr> <td>5</td> <td>40</td> </tr> <tr> <td>7</td> <td>?</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	In	Out	3	24	5	40	7	?	19 Round to the nearest 10,000. 775,120
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20 Solve. $70,000 - 35,612$	21 Solve. $9,257 \div 6$	22 Solve. $3 \times \frac{9}{10}$	23 Write 0.04 as a fraction.	24 Solve. 73×25	25 List all of the composite numbers from 50 to 60.	26 Which number is greater? 639,844 or 639,851								
27 Solve. $800,000 - 419,581$	28 The side of a regular pentagon is 28 cm. What's its perimeter?	29 Solve. $3\frac{9}{12} + 1\frac{5}{12}$	30 Which is greater? 0.5 or $\frac{48}{100}$	31 How many inches are in 2 yards 2 feet?	