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**Incoming Second
Summer Learning**



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Summer Learning Plan

Dear Parents:

It is difficult to believe that summer is here! While we believe that the summer months should be an opportunity for leisure and quality time spent with family, we also believe that a healthy engagement of the mind is necessary to keep the learning of the past year fresh and to help create a bridge for the new learning to come. With that said, we have asked teachers for help in creating the following summer learning plan. The reading plan will include reading one novel and to answer comprehension questions; the math plan will include a math packet and other activities based on your grade level. *Please note that completion of summer work is mandatory. However, also, please note that the summer work is a minimum to be attained; it does not prohibit you from having your child read more books and complete more math.*

Incoming Second-Grade

Reading

The Bears on Hemlock Mountain by Alice Dalgliesh

Assignment: Answer the attached comprehension questions.

Math

Math Packet Attached

All the above-mentioned books can be purchased on **Amazon** at a very reasonable price. The hope is that your child will enjoy the required book and read much more as well (if possible).

Research has shown that regression of learning during the summer months can, sometimes, account for one-third of learning gains achieved during the school year. Have your child read aloud to you, ask questions as they read, and read to them to model good fluency. Your child should be prepared to discuss the book upon return to school.

Upon returning to school, the summer book will be discussed and the assignment must be turned in. Students will **receive a grade** for the completion of the summer reading and math assignment.

Let me know if you have any questions. Enjoy your summer!!

Warm regards,

True North Administration

2nd Grade Summer Reading Questions
The Bears on Hemlock Mountain

Directions: On a separate sheet of lined paper, neatly answer the questions below in complete sentences. You will be graded on neatness and quality of the answers.

1. Describe where the story takes place.
2. How old was Jonathan when he went over Hemlock Mountain?
3. Why do you think Jonathan's mother wished that once in a while they did not have so much company?
4. Why did all of Jonathan's aunts, uncles and cousins come to the farmhouse?
5. Why are Jonathan and Uncle James good friends? What do they do together?
6. Most of all, what would Jonathan like to see?
7. Why did Jonathan need to go over Hemlock Mountain?
8. Why did Jonathan and his mother keep saying, "There are no bears on Hemlock Mountain, No Bears at all."?
9. Use two words to describe how Jonathan is feeling on his journey over Hemlock Mountain.
10. How did the big iron pot save Jonathan?
11. Why were his dad and uncle carrying guns when they were saying, "There are no Bears on Hemlock Mountain"?
12. Would you want to be friends with Jonathan? Why or why not?
13. Draw your favorite part of the story on a plain piece of paper.

1. Fill in the blanks.		
(a) _____ = 3 tens 4 ones	[1]	
(b) 84 = _____ tens _____ ones	[1]	
(c) 2 more than twenty-eight is _____ tens _____ ones	[1]	
(d) 10 less than 64 is _____	[1]	
(e) 2 less than thirty is _____	[1]	
(f) 20 more than 42 is _____	[1]	
(g) 70 + _____ = 78	[1]	
2. Count forwards by tens.	[2]	
24, 34, _____, _____, _____, _____		
3. Count backwards by tens.	[2]	
80, 70, _____, _____, _____, _____		
4. Write >, <, or = in each <input type="radio"/>		
(a) 45 <input type="radio"/> 38	(b) 18 <input type="radio"/> 5	[2]
(c) 63 <input type="radio"/> 66	(d) 83 <input type="radio"/> 8 tens 3 ones	[2]
(e) 6 tens <input type="radio"/> 5 tens	(f) 72 <input type="radio"/> eighty-three	[2]

5. Which number is the smallest, 62, 26, or 52? _____	[1]
6. Arrange the numbers 23, 13, 31, and 27 in order, beginning with the largest. _____, _____, _____, _____	[2]
7. Fill in the blanks.	
(a) $36 + 4 =$ _____	(b) $24 - 4 =$ _____ [2]
(c) $30 - 8 =$ _____	(d) $28 + 5 =$ _____ [2]
(e) $31 - 9 =$ _____	(f) $16 + 7 =$ _____ [2]
(g) $4 + 8 + 7 =$ _____	(h) $2 + 7 + 5 =$ _____ [2]
8. Write an equation to solve these problems. Then fill in the blank. Show your work.	
(a) Kim has 22 books. She gave 4 to her younger sister. How many books does she have now?	[3]
Kim has _____ books now.	

- (a) Peter had some marbles. He gave away 7 marbles. He now has 25 marbles left. How many marbles did Peter have at first? [3]

Peter had _____ marbles at first.

- (c) Mary has 26 cookies. She put 8 of them on a plate. She put the rest in a box. How many cookies are in the box? [3]

There are _____ cookies in the box.

- (d) Sam has 5 computer games. His brother and sister each have 7 games. How many games do the 3 children have? [3]

They have _____ games.

9. Fill in the blanks.

(a) $54 + 3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (b) $64 + 8 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(c) $87 + 5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (d) $42 + 30 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(e) $40 + 38 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (f) $34 + 65 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(g) $58 - 5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (h) $86 - 6 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(i) $82 - 6 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (j) $70 - 20 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(k) $84 - 30 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ (l) $89 - 38 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$ [2]

(m)
$$\begin{array}{r} 52 \\ + 8 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
 (n)
$$\begin{array}{r} 57 \\ + 25 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
 (o)
$$\begin{array}{r} 86 \\ - 4 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
 (p)
$$\begin{array}{r} 62 \\ - 28 \\ \hline \end{array}$$
 [4]

10. Write an equation to solve these problems. Then fill in the blank. Show your work.

(a) Kim bought some pansies. She planted 45 of them and has another 15 to plant. How many pansies did she buy? [3]

Kim bought pansies.

- (b) Pete collected 52 seashells. 20 of them were broken. How many unbroken seashells does he have? [3]

Pete has _____ unbroken seashells.

11. Circle Yes or No

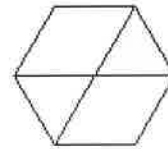
- (a) Does the line divide the letter in halves? [2]

Yes No



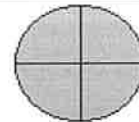
- (b) Does the shaded part show a fourth of the shape? [1]

Yes No



- (c) Does the picture show fourths? [1]

Yes No



12. Circle the answer:

- (a) Do you go to school before or after 5:30 in the morning? [1]

Before After

- (b) Does it take longer to wash your hands or bake a cake? [1]

Wash hands Bake a cake

13. Match each clock with a different time.

[4]



● Half past 5



● 3 o'clock



● 6:00



● 2:30

14.



(a) There are _____ groups of balloons.

[1]

(b) There are _____ balloons in each group.

[1]

(c) Fill in the blanks.

[2]

$$\underline{\hspace{2cm}} + \underline{\hspace{2cm}} + \underline{\hspace{2cm}} = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$3 \times 5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

15. How many legs do 5 lizards have? Write the multiplication equation. [2]

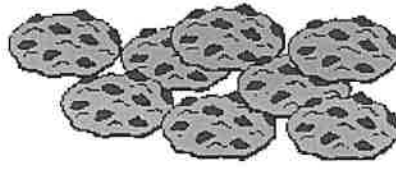


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16.  There are 18 watermelon slices. Sue [2]

wants to put 3 slices on each plate.
How many plates does she need?

She needs _____ plates.

17.  There are 8 cookies. Divide the [2]

cookies equally among four
children.

Each child gets _____ cookies.

18. Anna is holding a full handful of cherries. About how many cherries [2]
could she be holding? Circle the best answer

2 12 80

19. A ten-dollar bill can be changed for _____ five-dollar bills. [2]

20. Count by fives to count the nickels. [2]



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21. How much money is there in this set of coins? _____¢ [2]



22. A camera costs \$45 and a bicycle costs \$78. How much less is the camera than the bicycle? [3]

The camera cost \$_____ less than the bicycle.

23. Laura had \$25. She has \$6 left now after buying a doll. How much did the doll cost? [3]

The doll cost \$_____.

24. Mary has \$45. She wants to buy 2 dresses. One costs \$20 and the other costs \$38.

(a) How much do they both cost? [2]

They cost \$_____.

(b) How much more money does she need? [2]

She needs \$_____ more.