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¡Bienvenido a Poder de Los Padres!

Welcome to Parent Power!

Please take a summer learning workbook for your child!
¡Por favor, llévese un cuaderno de actividades de verano para su hijo!

Graceland Park-O'Donnell Heights Elementary Middle School
May 21, 2026



conoce al equipo

meet the team

- **Ms. Mullally**, Principal
- **Ms. Scribner**, Community School Coordinator
- **Ms. Andrews**, Literacy Coach & Family Engagement Liaison
- **Ms. Celina**, Translator





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meet the team

- **Mr. Brown**, Assistant Principal PreK-2
- **Ms. Pfeffer**, Assistant Principal Grades 3-5
- **Ms. Grandy**, Assistant Principal Grades 6-8



¡Vamos a conocerte!

Let's get to know you!

¿Cuál es tu actividad favorita para hacer con tus hijos durante los meses de verano?

What is your favorite activity to do with your children during the summer months?

Agenda

Orden Del Día



- ***Comprenda por qué es importante el aprendizaje durante el verano.***
  Understand why summer learning is important

- ***Aprenda y practique estrategias para apoyar las matemáticas y la lectura en casa.***
  Learn and Practice Strategies to Support Math and Reading At-Home

- ***Actualizaciones de la comunidad***
  Community Updates

Why is your support during summer important?

¿Por qué es importante su apoyo durante el verano?

The Impact of Summer on Reading

El impacto del verano en la lectura

	Before Summer // Antes Del Verano (End of LAST SCHOOL YEAR) (Fin del AÑO ESCOLAR PASADO)			After Summer // Después Del Verano (Beginning of THIS SCHOOL YEAR) (Inicio de ESTE AÑO ESCOLAR)		
	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level
1st Grade	69% EOY Kindergarten	13%	18%	37% BOY 1st Grade	23%	40%
2nd Grade	43% EOY 1st Grade	18%	32%	27% BOY 2nd Grade	11%	62%
3rd Grade	33% EOY 2nd Grade	13%	54%	37% BOY 3rd Grade	14%	49%
4th Grade	42% EOY 3rd Grade	13%	45%	19% BOY 4th Grade	33%	48%
5th Grade	23% EOY 4th Grade	17%	60%	33% BOY 5th Grade	14%	53%

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	On & Above Grade Level	**Below Grade Level**	**Well Below Grade Level**	**On & Above Grade Level**	**Below Grade Level**	**Well Below Grade Level**
6th Grade	35% EOY 5th Grade- AMPLIFY ASSESSMENT	5%	60%	5% BOY 6th Grade- iREADY ASSESSMENT	9%	86%
7th Grade	15% EOY 6th Grade	22%	63%	16% BOY 7th Grade	10%	74%
8th Grade	22% EOY 7th Grade	14%	64%	18% BOY 8th Grade	12%	58%

The Impact of Summer on Math

El impacto del verano en las matemáticas

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	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level
1st Grade	47% EOY Kindergarten	54%	0%	2% BOY 1st Grade	58%	40%
2nd Grade	49% EOY 1st Grade	45%	6%	3% BOY 2nd Grade	45%	52%
3rd Grade	12% EOY 2nd Grade	41%	47%	3% BOY 3rd Grade	24%	73%
4th Grade	5% EOY 3rd Grade	45%	50%	3% BOY 4th Grade	24%	73%
5th Grade	13% EOY 4th Grade	28%	59%	7% BOY 5th Grade	20%	73%

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	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level	On & Above Grade Level	Below Grade Level	Well Below Grade Level
6th Grade	11% EOY 5th Grade	25%	63%	5% BOY 6th Grade	18%	77%
7th Grade	8% EOY 6th Grade	22%	69%	3% BOY 7th Grade	16%	80%
8th Grade	13% EOY 7th Grade	29%	58%	1% BOY 8th Grade	14%	85%



Sin práctica, las habilidades de lectura disminuyen

"Cosas como la decodificación, el conocimiento de las letras y la capacidad de leer palabras son muy susceptibles de deteriorarse sin práctica frecuente, al igual que operaciones matemáticas como la suma y la resta."

"Things like decoding, letter knowledge, and word reading skills are very susceptible to decay without frequent practice, as are math facts like addition and subtraction."



We are a team working together to support student learning!

¡Somos un equipo que trabaja en conjunto para apoyar el aprendizaje de los estudiantes!

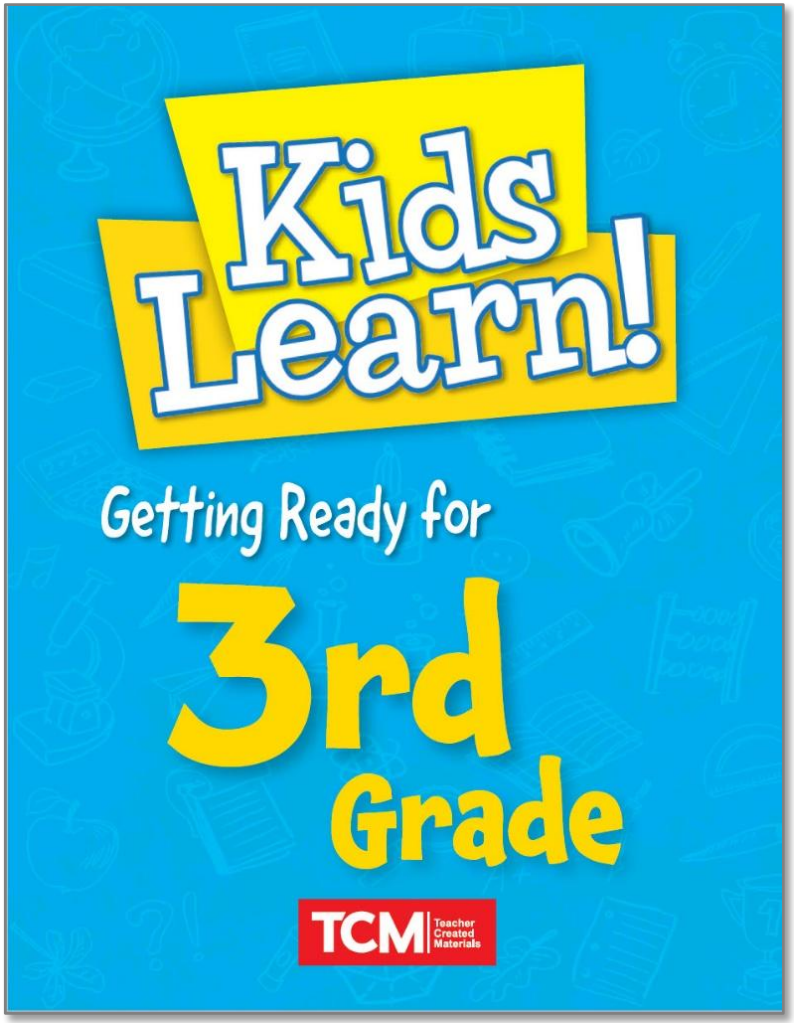
¿Preguntas?

Questions?



How can you support your child's learning in the summer?

¿Cómo puedes apoyar el aprendizaje de tu hijo durante el verano?



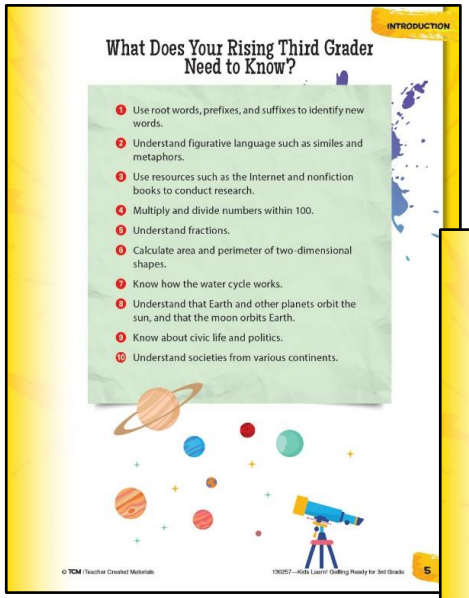
Each book includes…

Cada libro incluye…

- Family Engagement Pages
  Páginas de participación familiar
- Student Learning Pages
  Páginas de aprendizaje para estudiantes
- Activity and Assessment Pages
  Páginas de actividades y evaluación
- Answer Key Pages
  Páginas de las claves de respuestas
- Journal Writing Pages
  Páginas para escribir en el diario

Family Engagement Pages

Páginas de participación familiar



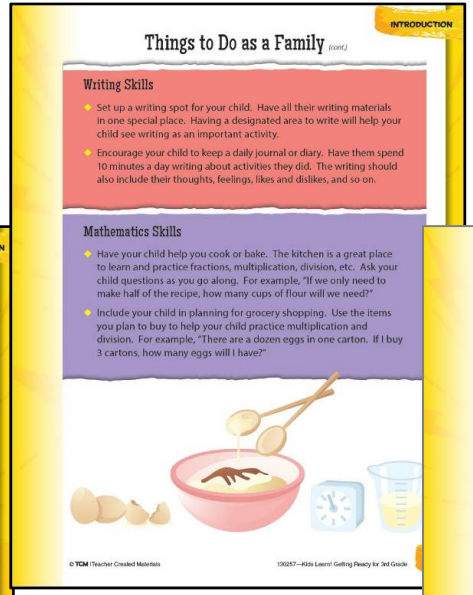
A list of skills for your student to know

Una lista de habilidades que su estudiante debe conocer

Suggested Books to Read

Libros sugeridos para leer



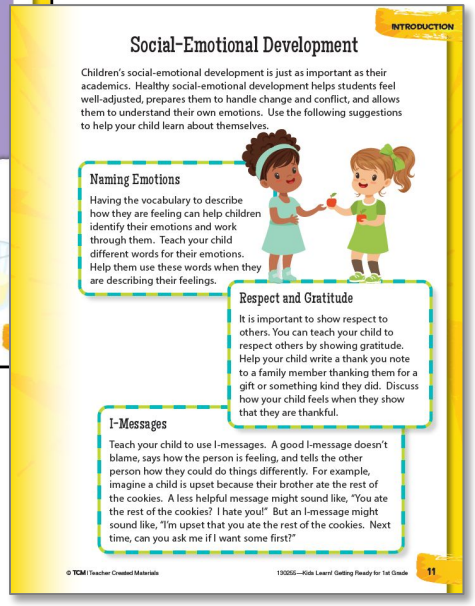


Activities to do as a family

Actividades para hacer en familia

Social-Emotional Tips & Tricks

Consejos y trucos socioemocionales



Parent Pages Digitally in Four Languages

Páginas para padres en formato digital y en cuatro idiomas

Haitian-Creole

Arabic

Mandarin

Spanish

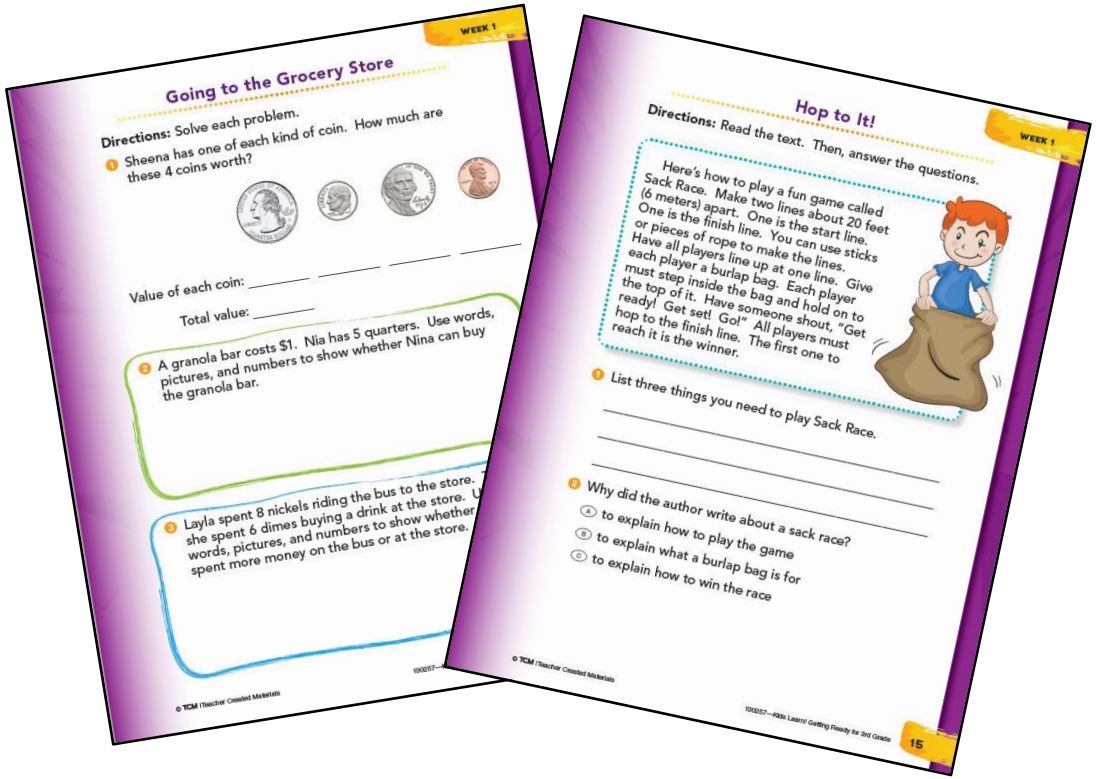




Student Learning Pages

Páginas de aprendizaje para estudiantes

- **NINE weeks of summer learning practice work!**
  ¡Nueve semanas de ejercicios de repaso de verano!
- **Math, Reading and Writing Pages**
  Páginas de matemáticas, lectura y escritura
- **Complete one page per day (don't do the whole week in one day!)**
  Completa una página por día (¡no hagas toda la semana en un solo día!)

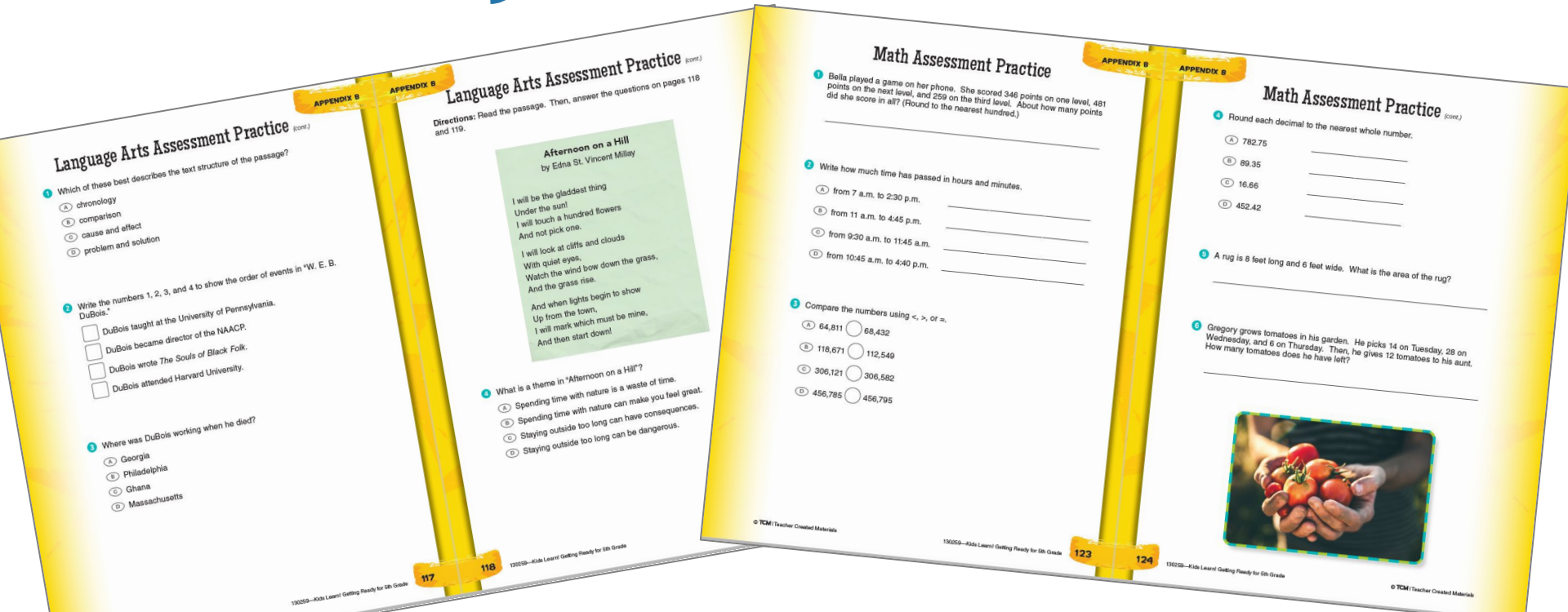


Assessment Pages

Páginas de evaluación

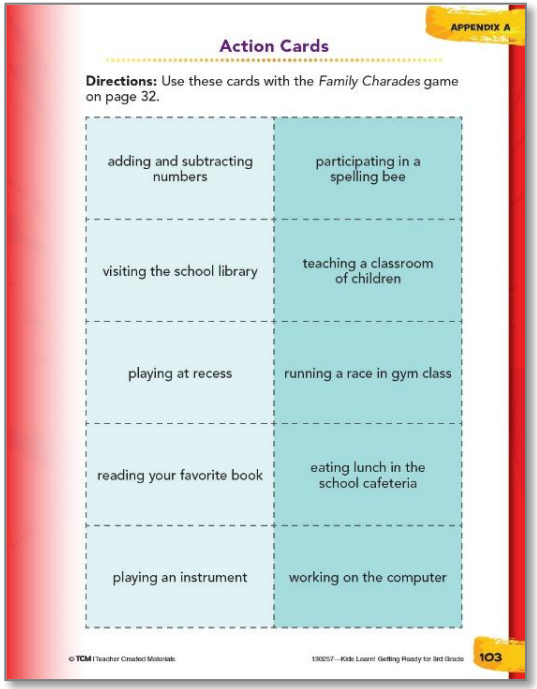
Practice assessments to see how well your student is mastering the skills for the grade-level.

Realice evaluaciones de práctica para ver qué tan bien está dominando su estudiante las habilidades correspondientes a su nivel escolar.



Activity Pages

Páginas de actividades



APPENDIX A

Action Cards

Directions: Use these cards with the *Family Charades* game on page 32.

adding and subtracting numbers	participating in a spelling bee
visiting the school library	teaching a classroom of children
playing at recess	running a race in gym class
reading your favorite book	eating lunch in the school cafeteria
playing an instrument	working on the computer

Appendix A = Games to play with your child to reinforce grade-level skills!

Apéndice A = ¡Juegos para jugar con su hijo y reforzar las habilidades de su nivel escolar!

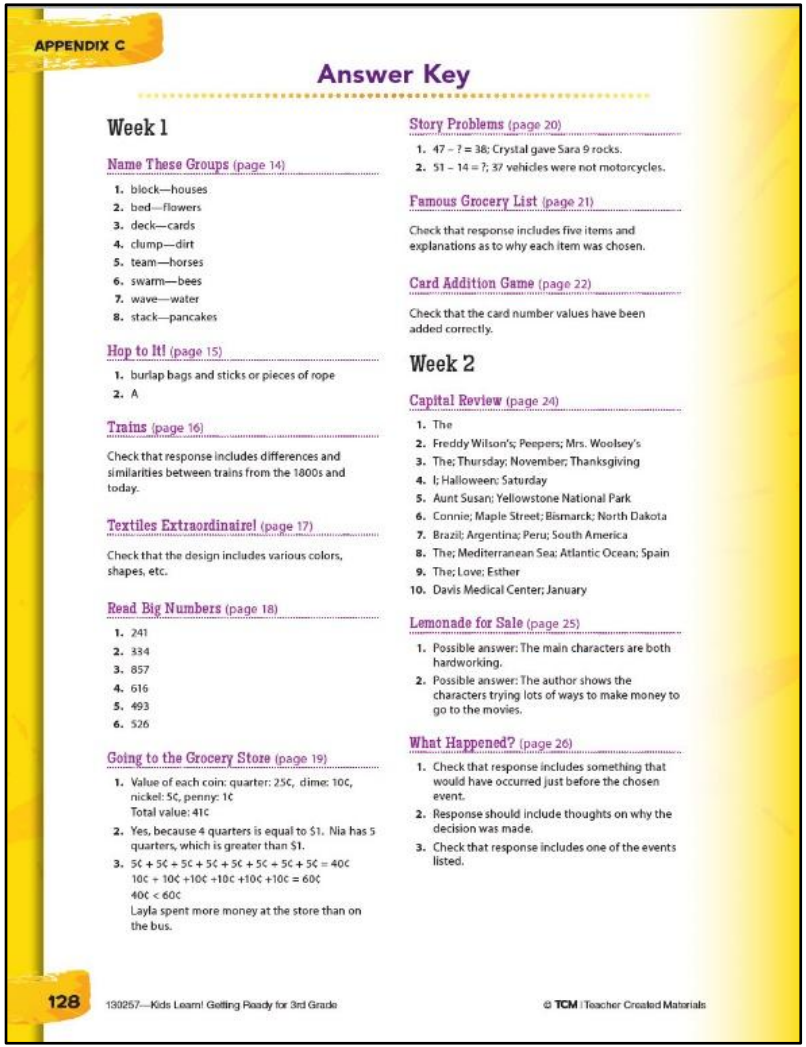


APPENDIX A

Letter Cards

Directions: Cut apart the letters to use in the *Turning Letters into Sentences* game on page 82.

f	p	m	a
g	z	w	x
t	a	l	s
j	n	i	h
k	l	i	m
x	w	v	p
y	z	a	l
h	a	b	f
i	u	c	i



APPENDIX C

Answer Key

Week 1

Name These Groups (page 14)

1. block—houses
2. bed—flowers
3. deck—cards
4. clump—dirt
5. team—horses
6. swarm—bees
7. wave—water
8. stack—pancakes

Hop to It! (page 15)

1. burlap bags and sticks or pieces of rope
2. A

Trains (page 16)

Check that response includes differences and similarities between trains from the 1800s and today.

Textiles Extraordinaire! (page 17)

Check that the design includes various colors, shapes, etc.

Read Big Numbers (page 18)

1. 241
2. 334
3. 857
4. 616
5. 493
6. 526

Going to the Grocery Store (page 19)

1. Value of each coin: quarter: 25¢, dime: 10¢, nickel: 5¢, penny: 1¢
   Total value: 41¢
2. Yes, because 4 quarters is equal to $1. Nia has 5 quarters, which is greater than $1.
3. 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ + 5¢ = 40¢
   10¢ + 10¢ +10¢ +10¢ +10¢ +10¢ = 60¢
   40¢ < 60¢
   Layla spent more money at the store than on the bus.

Story Problems (page 20)

1. 47 – ? = 38; Crystal gave Sara 9 rocks.
2. 51 – 14 = ?; 37 vehicles were not motorcycles.

Famous Grocery List (page 21)

Check that response includes five items and explanations as to why each item was chosen.

Card Addition Game (page 22)

Check that the card number values have been added correctly.

Week 2

Capital Review (page 24)

1. The
2. Freddy Wilson's; Peepers; Mrs. Woolsey's
3. The; Thursday; November; Thanksgiving
4. I; Halloween; Saturday
5. Aunt Susan; Yellowstone National Park
6. Connie; Maple Street; Bismarck; North Dakota
7. Brazil; Argentina; Peru; South America
8. The; Mediterranean Sea; Atlantic Ocean; Spain
9. The; Love; Esther
10. Davis Medical Center; January

Lemonade for Sale (page 25)

1. Possible answer: The main characters are both hardworking.
2. Possible answer: The author shows the characters trying lots of ways to make money to go to the movies.

What Happened? (page 26)

1. Check that response includes something that would have occurred just before the chosen event.
2. Response should include thoughts on why the decision was made.
3. Check that response includes one of the events listed.

Answer Key Pages

Páginas de las claves de respuestas

Provides answers for all student learning pages and assessments!

¡Proporciona las respuestas para todas las páginas de aprendizaje del estudiante y las evaluaciones!

Journal Writing Pages

Páginas para escribir en el diario









The writing pages encourage students to write and draw about activities they did over the summer! Students can write or draw about any activity or event!

¡Las páginas de escritura animan a los estudiantes a escribir y dibujar sobre las actividades que realizaron durante el verano! ¡Los estudiantes pueden escribir o dibujar sobre cualquier actividad o evento!

¿Preguntas?

Questions?



What else can I do to help my child with their learning over the summer?

¿Qué más puedo hacer para ayudar a mi hijo con su aprendizaje durante el verano?

Read Books At-Home

Lee libros en casa



Sólo 5 libros
Just 5 Books

Reading just five books during the summer can prevent a decline in reading achievement when returning to school.

Leer sólo cinco libros durante el verano puede prevenir una disminución en el rendimiento en lectura al regresar a la escuela.



25 libros
25 Books

A child who has at least 25 books in their home will, on average, complete two more years of school than a child from a home without any books at all.

Un niño que tiene al menos 25 libros en su hogar completará, en promedio, dos años más de escuela que un niño de un hogar sin ningún libro.



40 libros
40 Books

When second-graders were given 40 carefully selected books for their home libraries, their fluency improved, and parents reported increased time spent reading at home.

Cuando a los estudiantes de segundo grado se les dieron 40 libros cuidadosamente seleccionados para sus bibliotecas hogareñas, su fluidez mejoró y los padres informaron que pasaban más tiempo leyendo en casa.

Practice Math Fluency

Practica la fluidez matemática

PreK	Kinder	1st Grade	2nd Grade	3rd Grade	4th Grade	5th Grade	6th Grade	7th Grade	8th Grade
Count to 20	Count to 100 by 1s & by 10s	Count to 120	Count to 1000; count by 5s, 10s & 100s	x	x	x	Count negative numbers	Count negative numbers	Count negative numbers
Identify written numerals 0-10	Read & write numbers from 0-20	Read & write numbers from 0-120	Read & write numbers to 1000	Tell & write time to minutes	Read & write multi-digit whole numbers	Read, write & compare decimals (0.01)	Read, write, & compare decimals (0.001)	Read & write decimals, fractions, integers	Read & write decimals, fractions, integers
Add using fingers	Add & subtract within 10 (objects)	Add & subtract within 20	Add & subtract within 100	Add & subtract within 1000	Add & subtract multi-digit whole numbers	Add & subtract decimals (0.01)	Add, subtract, multiply, & divide decimals (0.01)	Add, subtract, multiply & divide, decimals, integers	Add, subtract, multiply & divide, decimals, integers
x	x	x	x	Multiply & divide within 100	Multiply multi-digit numbers 1234x5 or 12x34	Multiply multi-digit numbers	Divide multi-digit numbers	Multiply & divide multi-digit & rational numbers	Multiply & divide multi-digit signed numbers

Guardar Las Fechas

Save The Dates

- May 25 = No School
- May 28 = Spring Concert (elementary)
- June 10 = Grade 8 Promotional Ceremony @8:30am
- June 11 = Grade 5 Promotional Ceremony @8:30am
- June 12 = PreK & Kindergarten Promotional Ceremony
- June 15 = Grades 1-4 & 6-7 Family Picnics
- June 16 = Last Day of School!
- June 25 = Food Pantry

- 25 de mayo = No hay clases
- 28 de mayo = Concierto de primavera (primaria)
- 10 de junio = Ceremonia de promoción de 8 grado (8:30am)
- 11 de junio = Ceremonia de promoción de 5 grado (8:30am)
- 12 de junio = Ceremonia de promoción de PreK y Kínder
- 15 de junio = Pícnics familiares de los grados 1 a 4 y 6 a 7
- 16 de junio = ¡Último día de clases!
- 25 de junio = Despensa de alimentos

¿Preguntas?

Questions?



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¡Gracias!
Thank You!

¡Por favor complete la evaluación!

Please complete the evaluation!