

SUMMER ASSIGNMENTS FOR STUDENTS ENTERING GRADE 1

As you know, reading plays a crucial role in your child's success in school. To give your child a jumpstart on first grade, we ask that you expose your child to reading as much as possible this summer.

Fiction Assignment

Please choose at least two fiction books to read with your child over the summer. We are leaving the decision regarding fiction choices to each family.

Students should draw a picture of his/her favorite part of the story and write a simple sentence about the drawing. This should be turned in to your child's teacher by **Friday**, **September 5**th.

Nonfiction Assignment

Students will learn about animals as part of a first-grade science unit. Please choose at least two nonfiction books about animals to read with your child.

Your child should write one fact he/she learned from the nonfiction books read this summer and illustrate it. These will be shared in class during the first week of school.