## Parents,

Summer is here! I pray everyone has a wonderful summer break! This has been a wonderful year, and I will miss your children so much! Your children have worked so hard in first grade, and I want to continue to see them grow as life long learners. To help keep their reading skills sharp over the summer, please complete 4 or more activities under each letter in SUMMER. Each column contains 2 reading activities, a creative activity, a writing activity, and a trick word activity. Please note reading a biography and completing the book report is required by the school. After completing each activity, color in the square. I can't wait to hear how many activities you completed! Many blessings to all of you! Love, Mrs. Thacker

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Read in a tent!	Read in your pajamas!	Read to your pet or a friend's pet!	Read to your siblings!	Read to your Mom and Dad!	Read a biography and com- plete the school- wide book report!
Read to your grandparents!	Read in your bathing suit!	Read in your backyard!	Read while you eat ice cream!	Read to your friend!	Read at the park!
Make a diorama of a scene from your favorite book!	Create a costume of your favorite book character!	Change your favorite character's name in the story to yours!	Make a pop-up book!	Act out your favorite scene from a book!	Instead of reading the words in your favorite book, sing them! You pick the tune!
Make your own book to read for a bedtime story!	Write the grocery list for your Mom and Dad!	Write a list of things you would like to do this summer!	Draw what you observe in nature and write 3 sen- tences about it!	Write the rules for a new game to play in the pool!	Write the recipe for a new flavor of homemade ice cream!
Practice some trick words using the ideas listed on the back of this chart.	Practice some trick words using the ideas listed on the back of this chart.	Practice some trick words using the ideas listed on the back of this chart.	Practice some trick words using the ideas listed on the back of this chart.	Practice some trick words using the ide- as listed on the back of this chart.	Practice some trick words using the ideas listed on the back of this chart.