

Rising 5th Grade Summer Activities

These assignments are due the first day of school and will be taken as the first grade for ELA and Math

Reading

This summer, all rising 5th graders must read *Number the Stars* by Lois Lowry. As you read, complete the graphic organizer below. Once the novel is complete, use the graphic organizer to write a book report.

Your report must include all story elements (setting, plot, characters, problem, solution). All paragraphs should be indented and use correct punctuation. Reports must be at least three paragraphs long.

My Book Report Name: _____ Date: _____

Title of Book: _____

Author: _____

Illustrator: _____

Setting of the Story

Main Characters

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Summary of the Story

Moral of the Story

The Ending of the Story

This book was...

awesome

pretty good

okay

not my favourite

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MATH

Mastery of multiplication facts through 12 is a grade level expectation.

- Students should bring in a two-minute timed practice test for each of the facts (3, 4, 6, 7, 8, and 9). Tests should be signed and graded by an adult to verify that students have mastered these facts.

Some helpful websites to help prepare are as follows:

www.multiplication.com www.firstinmath.com Math with Mr. J on YouTube

- Complete the following math:

Name: _____

Math Buzz

Coach Rizzo bought the equipment listed below.

- 4 boxes of soccer balls with 32 balls in each box
- 5 boxes of footballs with 28 balls in each box.



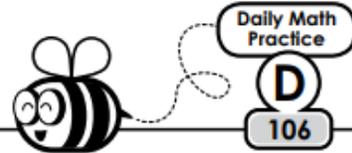
Which number is closest to the total number of soccer balls and footballs that Coach Rizzo ordered.

- a. 175 b. 270
c. 350 d. 500

Decompose the rectangle to find a fraction equivalent to three fourths.



$$\frac{3}{4} = \frac{\square}{\square}$$



Multiply.

$61 \times 8 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$44 \times 3 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$169 \times 5 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

$487 \times 4 = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$

Divide.

	2	8	6	8	

Write an odd two-digit number that is prime.

Write an odd two-digit number that is composite.

- Scissors
- Dividers
- Colored Pencils/Markers/Crayons
- At least 1 pocket folder for weekly papers
- **Headphones**
- **Pencil Sharpener**

We do not set up binders for students in a particular way. Students are free to choose what works best for them and we can help as needed. We suggest having a section for each core class (Math, ELA, Writing, Social Studies, and Science).

- **Items for Class Donation (Optional)**
 - Tissues
 - Hand Sanitizer
 - Copy Paper
 - Construction paper
 - Markers
 - Dry Erase Markers
 - Crayons
 - Glue Sticks
 - Paper Towels
 - Folders
 - Composition Books
 - Pencils