Pre-First Summer Work 2024-2025

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Summer has officially started! At the Cathedral we believe that summer is a crucial time to keep our students engaged in learning, to prevent the "summer slide". This summer slide can be avoided by ensuring that children are as engaged as possible in whatever they choose to do—just as long as there is reinforcement of concepts in a fun way each day.

Reviewing concepts over the summer should be fun and encompass a variety of activities at your child's interest level. Encourage your child through fun games to **read environmental print, practice numbers, letters and rhyming, to name a few!** These activities do not have to be done alone. To make learning enjoyable, your child can read to you, a sibling, or snuggle up and read together!

Students entering Pre-First **do not have to be reading** but we encourage students to read if they are ready. We have enclosed below a Summer BINGO Board with some fun learning activities to practice over the summer to better prepare your child for the fall.

We hope you have a great summer!

Sincerely,

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BINGO Board

Say your home address to a family member!	Read your favorite book with a parent/guardian! Title:	Recite your telephone number to your stuffy or special toy friend!!
Practice identifying colors by saying them out loud! (*you can play I Spy)	FREE CHOICE (e.g cut, paste, glue, color a picture in the lines) What did you do:	Practice tying your shoes or a family member's shoes!
Play "Memory" with numbers from 1-30! (*you can make the cards with paper)	Sing the alphabet outside when you are skipping!	Sing a Nursery Rhyme to a family member!

Have a fun and happy summer!