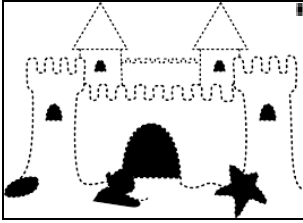


2023



Summer Homework

Primary Grades 1 & 2

Hello Primary Families,

Before we start the next school year, let's take a little time to review what we've learned.

Math and Language Arts

IXL.com will be used this summer to **review** math and language arts skills taught last year. Your child will not be expected to turn in any IXL printouts. Instead, the program will allow teachers to see the amount of time and progress your child is making throughout the summer.

Although some of these "concepts" may have been assigned during the course of the previous year, students are still expected to (re)do them. Completing them AGAIN will provide students with additional practice and preparation for the challenges of next year. This year first grade did most of the IXL work together as whole group learning. This summer they will hop on and practice using the Summer Adventures on their own as a review!

Students are only required to do the math and language arts skills. **NOT** the science or social studies portion of the skills.

Incoming 1st graders are required to complete the **IXL Summer Adventures for 1st grade and the Reading Logs (follows at the end of the letter)**

Follow these steps:

1. Log in to IXL
2. Click on the "Skill Plans" tab.
3. Click on 1st grade under "Your pinned skill plans".
4. You may begin assignments.
5. This review is not to frustrate students or parents. If your child cannot remember how to do an activity. Look at the screen after the question is shown as incorrect! They show you a quick how-to!

If you have any difficulties accessing IXL Summer Adventures for 1st grade, please email Mrs. Driscoll at firstgrade@sacredheartschoolventura.org.

Incoming 2nd graders* are required to complete the **IXL Summer Adventures for 2nd grade and reading logs that follow this letter.*

Follow these steps:

1. Log in to IXL
2. Click on the “Skills Plan” tab.
3. Click on 2nd grade under “Your pinned skill plans”.
4. You may begin assignments.

If you have any difficulties accessing IXL Summer Adventures for 2nd Grade, please email Mrs. Giacolone at secondgrade@sacredheartschoolventura.org.

Reading

Extracurricular reading encourages a love of books, increases vocabulary and fluency, provides models of good writing, maintains reading skills learned during the school year, and develops a sense of participation in a community of readers.

Since summer provides many opportunities for children to enjoy a good book, students will be expected to keep a reading log by tracking their minutes. Students will be required to read a *minimum* of **500 minutes** (20 min. a day) over the course of the summer. Part of your weekly reading should include one nonfiction book. These are books of your choice, so have fun with it. Print out 3 copies of the Reading Log for the months of June, July, and August.

Some great free book apps are Epic and Kids A-Z. **See the Reading Logs following the note! PRINT OUT THE 2 LOGS.**

The IXL Summer Adventures and Summer Reading Logs will be due Tuesday, September 5th, 2023.

Have a great summer!
Mrs. Driscoll and Mrs. Giacolone

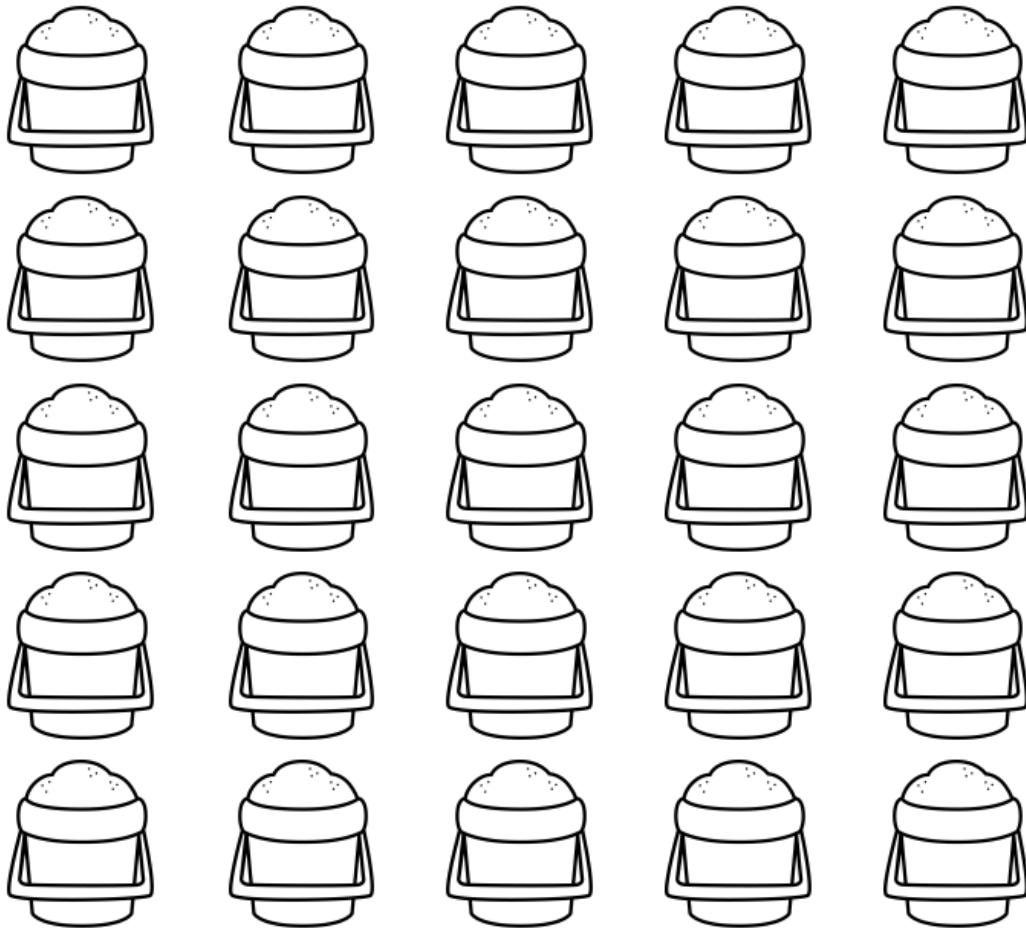
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CHALLENGE: READ 25 BOOKS

Color one sand bucket for each book you read!



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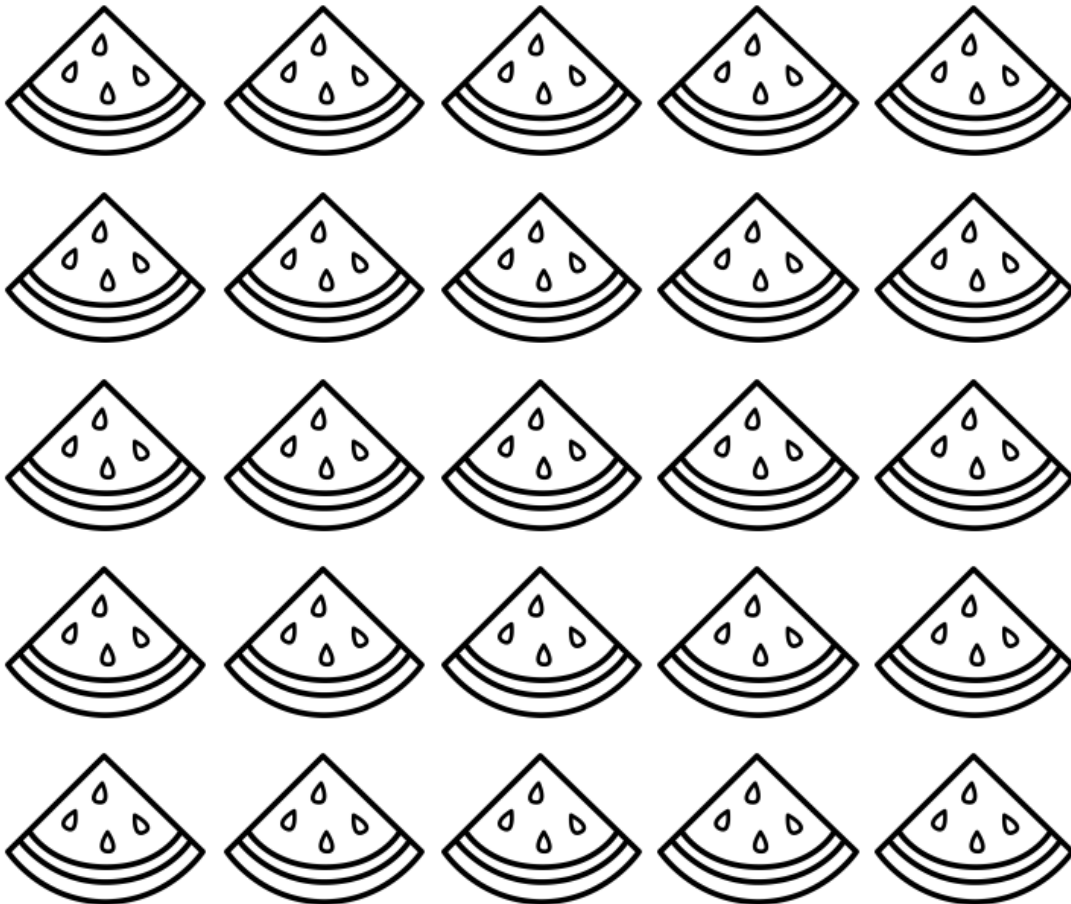
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CHALLENGE: READ 25 BOOKS

Color one watermelon for each book you read!



My favorite book was:

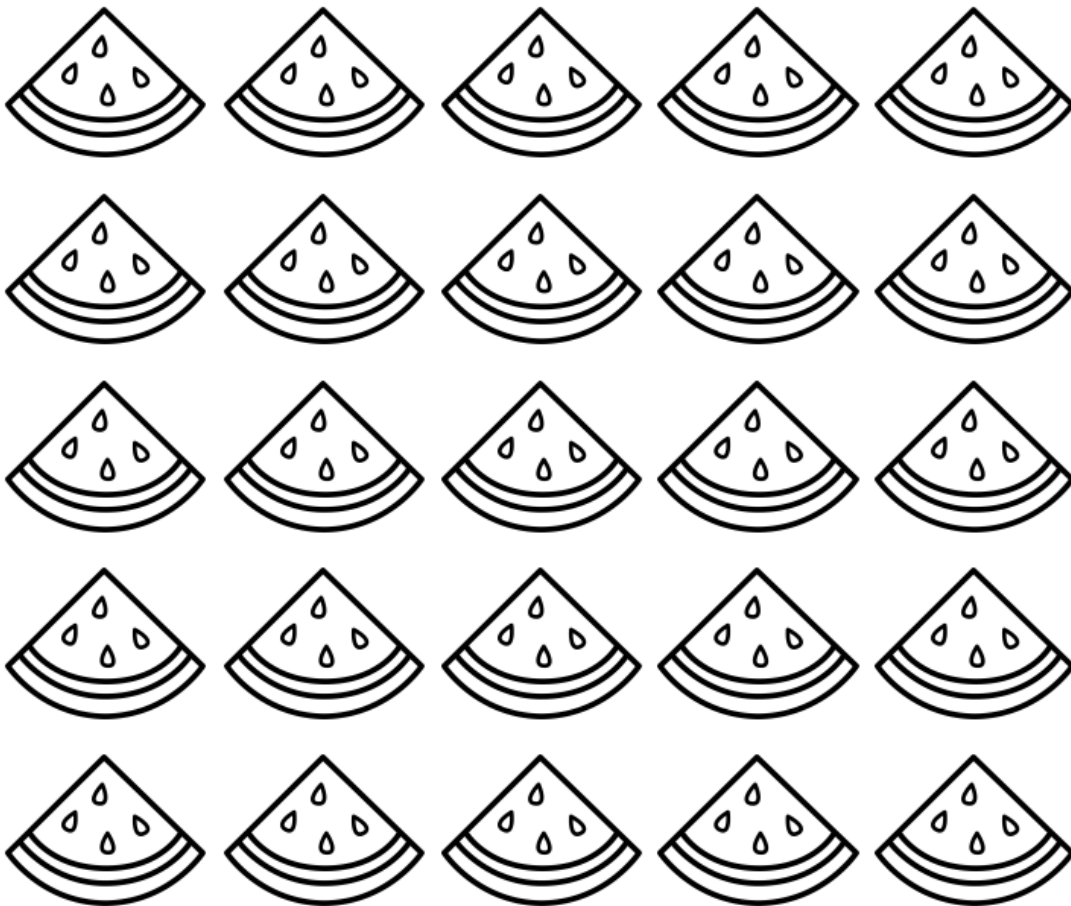
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