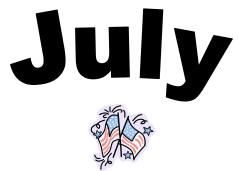




- 1st Create a special reading bumper sticker. Design it on the first page of your summer reading journal.
- 2nd Choose a book to read. Write all the reasons you picked this book.
- 3rd Draw a new cover for a book you have read. Include the title, authors, and a sentence telling about the book.
- 4th Read a book under a tree for 15 minutes. Write the name of the main character and list some of the character traits.
- 7th Take a walk with an adult. Count the number of bugs you see. Write a story about one of the bugs
- 8th Select a true book to read (maybe it could be about bugs). What book did you choose and whv?
- 9th Make a list of 5 interesting facts you found while reading your true book. Draw a picture to go with the fact that you wrote.
- 10th Read a poem using some of the words you listed yesterday. Read it to someone in your family.
- 11th Write a poem using some of the words you listed yesterday. Read it to someone in your family.
- 14th Read for fifteen minutes in a special place. What book did you read? Write about why you chose your special place.
- 15th How many words can you make from this summer's slogan "Catch the Reading" and Math Bug!"
- 16th Find an exciting picture in the newspaper or a magazine. Write a story telling what might have been happening.
- 17th VISIT THE LIBRARY! Read a book written by your favorite author. What did you read? Who is the author?
- 18th Write a letter to your favorite author. Tell the author what you liked about the book.
- 21st Draw a picture of your bedroom and label 5 of your favorite things. Write about them.
- 22nd VISIT THE LIBRARY! Find a book about an animal. Take it home and read it to a favorite stuffed animal or pet.
- 23rd Write five things you learned about the animal you read about. Draw a picture to show where the animal lives.
- 24th Make a list of all the board games you like to play. Alphabetize them and circle your favorite one. Tell why you like it best.
- 25th Create a new board game. Draw it and write the directions so others can play it. What did you name it?
- 28th Invite a friend to trade books. Make a list of the books each of you traded away and the books you received.
- 29th Read a book with a special friend. Create a poster about your friend. Include words on the poster that give information about your friend.
- 30th Find a recipe for your favorite food. Make a shopping list of the ingredients needed to prepare the food.



- 1st VISIT THE LIBRARY! Read a fairy tale. Write about your favorite part. Tell why you liked it best
- 2nd Which character in your fairytale would you be? Tell all the reasons you chose this character.
- 5th Draw a picture of a special 4th of July celebration. Label the colors you used. Write about what is happening.
- 6th VISIT THE LIBRARY! Find and read a book about friends. Write about what they do together.
- 7th Draw a picture of one of your special friends. Write about a conversation that you and your friend have had.
- 8th Take a walk with an adult. When you get home, draw a map showing your trip. Label the important things you saw.
- 9th VISIT THE LIBRARY! Find a book with an unusual setting. Write about why you chose that book.
- 12th Make a postcard. Draw a setting from your book on the front and a message to a friend on the back
- 13th Take a walk with an adult. Listen to all the different sounds you hear and write them on a list.
- 14th Design a special award for your favorite book character. Tell what your character did to earn this special award.
- 15th Read everything on a cereal box. Design a new box for your favorite cereal.
- 16th Cut out pictures of three people from a magazine. Write what they might be saying.
- 19th Camp out with a book! Make a tent with a sheet. Crawl inside and read for thirty minutes.
- 20th VISIT THE LIBRARY! Find a book about insects. Write three questions to ask an insect expert.
- 21st Draw a diagram of your favorite insect and label the parts.
- 22nd Create a bookmark in the shape of a bug. Decorate it on the front and list information about the bug on the back.
- 23rd VISIT THE LIBRARY! Find a book about a teacher. Write a summary of the story.
- 26th Write ten questions you would like to ask your new teacher. Bring them to school on the first day.
- 27th Make a list of ten things you would like your new teacher to know about you. Give it to your teacher on the first day.
- 28th Create a poster that shows the books you read this summer. Write a sentence about each book.
- 29th Write a letter to your new teacher telling about all the reading and writing you did this summer.
- 30th Draw a picture of your favorite summer activity. Visit with an elderly family member and tell them a story about your drawing.