

# English Learner Parent Support

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## Summertime is here!



### Summer School Enrichment Programs

Summer is a wonderful time for families to be together and enjoy a break from the long school year. Research shows that summer is also when students experience the "summer slide!" This means that students may forget concepts that they learned during the school year. The good news is that there are many resources to keep your students ready for the next school year!

School districts and charter schools are required to provide a summer school program for English learners (ELs) who will be eligible for admission to kindergarten or first grade at the beginning of the next school year. Districts and charter schools may also offer additional summer school programs for ELs in other grade levels! Contact your campus to find out what programs are available and register your child as soon as possible if he or she qualifies.

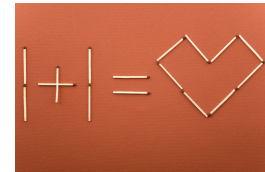


### Summer Reading Programs

There are many FREE summer reading programs to help you and your students keep reading all summer long. Many of these programs even offer rewards to encourage children of all ages to participate!

Use the links below to see which program would work best for your students, and contact your campus and local library to see what summer reading programs they are offering.

- Use this link for TCU's summer reading program: <http://bit.ly/TCUSummer21>
- Use this link for Scholastic's summer reading program: <http://bit.ly/SCSummer21>
- Use this link for Barnes and Noble's summer reading program: <http://bit.ly/BNSummer21>
- Use this link for Amazon's summer reading program: <http://bit.ly/AMsummer21>
- Use this link for Half Price Books' summer reading program: <http://bit.ly/HalfSummer21>



### Summer Math Resources

Research shows that the "summer slide" is seen in Math more than in Reading!

Use these resources below to allow students of every age to continue practicing their math skills all summer long.

- Use this link for free Math resources from Education.com: <http://bit.ly/EduMath21>
- Use this link for free Math resources, including puzzles, brainteasers, and more: <http://bit.ly/Mathsummer21>
- Use this link for fun, interactive Math tools from Calculation Nation: <http://bit.ly/CalcNation21>
- Use this link for a list of 8 of the best Math apps according to parents.com: <http://bit.ly/MathApps21>



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## How To Read With Your Child All Summer Long

While it is important that your child read this summer, it is even more powerful if you read with your child. Use the links below to watch videos that show you how to make the most of your reading time with your child for both fiction and nonfiction books.

Link for video for reading fiction books: <http://bit.ly/ficvideo21>

Link for video for reading nonfiction books: <http://bit.ly/nonficvideo21>



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