

May 2025



Dear Parents of _____,

With summer rapidly approaching, we invite you to partner with us in making reading and math a regular part of your child's summer routine. Your child has worked hard to develop important reading and math skills this year, and continued practice over the summer can help preserve those gains, expand vocabulary, and foster a lifelong love of learning.

Research shows that students can lose up to 34% of the academic progress they made during the school year if they don't continue learning during the summer months. We're grateful for your support in helping your child take advantage of the enclosed reading and math opportunities.

Summer Reading Requirements

Rising third graders are asked to read **20 books** and record them on the enclosed **Reading Log** (chapter books count as two books). Books may be read independently, listened to as audiobooks, or read aloud with an adult.

Completed Reading Logs are due to your child's new teacher by **August 19, 2025**. Students who submit their logs on time will be invited to a fun back-to-school reading celebration!

While AR (Accelerated Reader) assessments are not required, many students find it motivating to earn AR points over the summer. Students may take AR quizzes from home, and all points earned will be added to their total for the upcoming school year. AR login details and helpful tools—including the AR Bookfinder.

Digital and audiobook resources can be found here:

- Libby (through your public library): <https://help.libbyapp.com/en-us/6103.htm>
- Epic!: <https://www.getepic.com>
- Learning Ally: <https://learningally.org>

Summer Math Requirements

Please refer to the attached PHPS Summer Math packet. Students who complete their summer math work will also be invited to a special celebration in the fall.

Thank you for helping make summer both fun and filled with opportunities to grow.

Happy summer,

Elli Lee

AR Summer 2025: Home Assessment Guide

For Rising 2nd–6th Grade PHPS Students

Assessment Window: May 24 – August 18

Students may continue taking AR book comprehension assessments from home during the summer.

Although AR assessments are not required, they offer a great way to encourage reading and build momentum for the new school year. Points earned during the summer will be added to each student's total when the 2025–2026 school year begins. Until August, students will remain in their AR class from the **2024–2025** school year.

Here's how to support your child's summer reading and AR experience:

How does my child choose books to read?

We want students to discover books that spark curiosity and imagination. They may read independently, with a family member, or listen to audiobooks.

To find AR books, use the **AR Bookfinder** tool. Bookfinder is a search-only tool—you cannot read or buy books through the site. Printing book lists can be helpful when browsing at the library or bookstore.

Where to find books:

- **Bookstores** (including Half Price Books)
- **Local libraries** via the Libby App
- **Learning Ally** (PHPS-provided login details included in your child's packet)
- **Epic!** (optional paid family subscription for ebooks and audiobooks)

Some AR quizzes include a read-aloud feature. Look for the **headphones icon** to identify these. Your child may need support with reading quizzes that do not offer audio.

How does my child take an AR assessment at home?

1. Visit the **AR Login page**
2. Use your child's username and password from the summer login sheet (on back)
3. Search for the book by title or author
4. Select your child's teacher from the **2024–2025 school year**
5. Begin the quiz

Important Reminders:

- Quizzes must be completed in one sitting. If exited early, the quiz cannot be resumed and must be reset.
- If your child accidentally begins the wrong quiz, email lmarmorold@phps.org to request its removal from the account.

How can I view my child's AR progress?

You can log in to **HomeConnect** using your child's AR credentials to view their quiz history and scores. This information was included in the Summer Reading packet. If you need help accessing it, please contact the PHPS school office.

AR Log-In

Username: _____

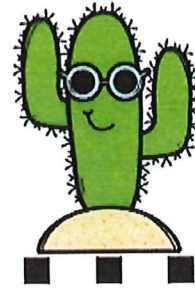
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Learning Ally

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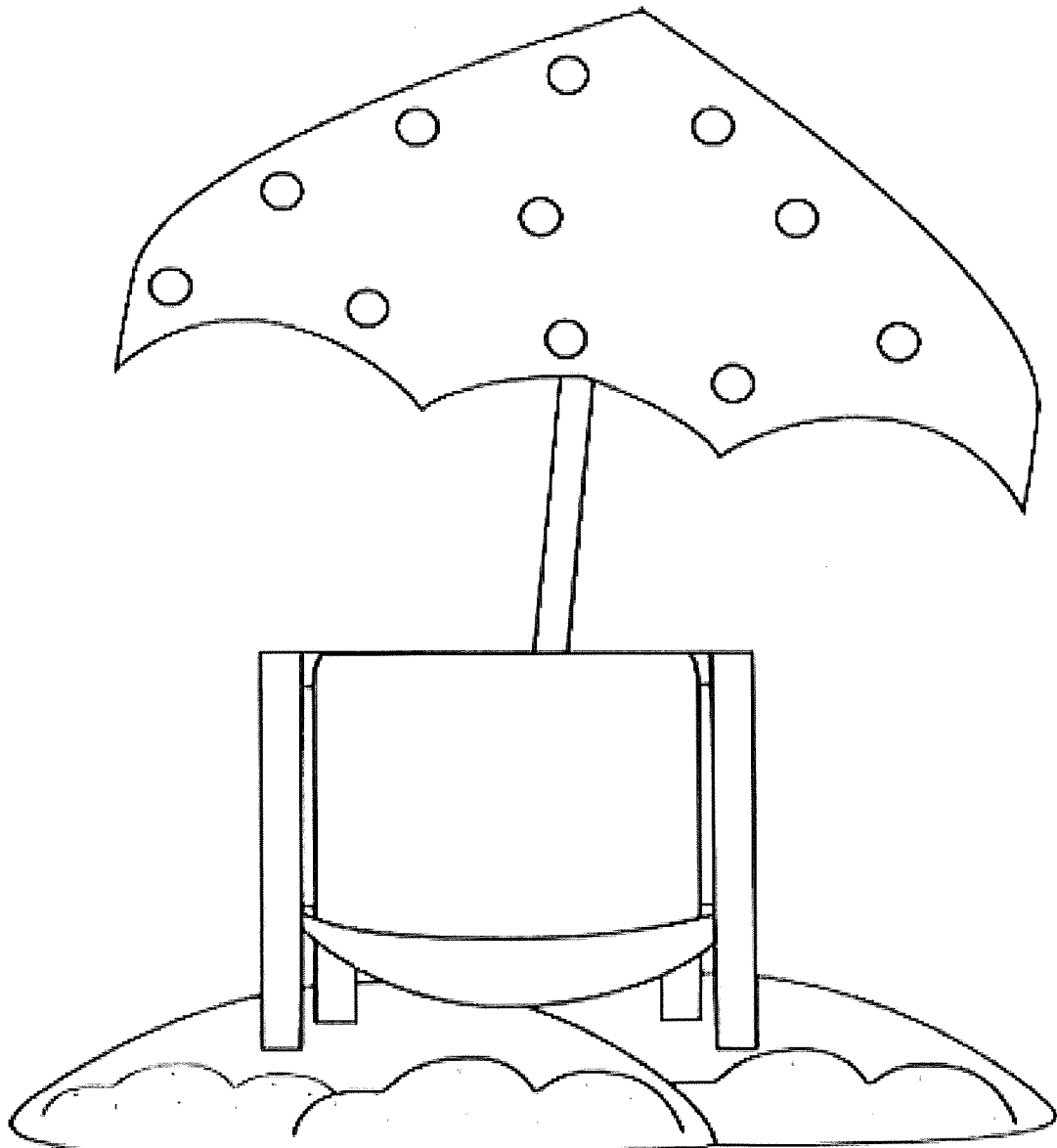
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Summer Reading Log

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RISING 3RD GRADE MATH WORK

Name: _____



Name: _____

Skill: Skip Counting / Even and Odd Numbers

Directions: Write the missing numbers.



Circle the skip counting pattern.

1.	40	50					100	2s	5s	10s
2.	2	4	6	8	10			2s	5s	10s
3.			70		80	85		2s	5s	10s
4.	56	58		62				2s	5s	10s
5.	15	20				40		2s	5s	10s
6.	80		84			90	92	2s	5s	10s
7.	18		22		26			2s	5s	10s
8.	90	80			50			2s	5s	10s
9.			54	56			62	2s	5s	10s
10.	30	35						2s	5s	10s

Circle if the number is even or odd.

45	even	odd	70	even	odd
34	even	odd	27	even	odd
68	even	odd	12	even	odd
16	even	odd	51	even	odd
83	even	odd	99	even	odd
5	even	odd	74	even	odd
14	even	odd	20	even	odd
88	even	odd	94	even	odd
11	even	odd	97	even	odd

Name: _____

Skill: Word Problems

Directions: Read and solve the word problems. Write the number sentence.

1. There were 7 buckets and 8 shovels. How many in all?

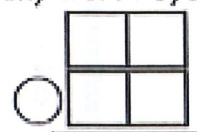
_____ number sentence

_____ in all



2. There were 65 students in 1st grade. 28 were girls. How many were boys?

_____ boys



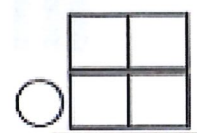
3. There were 12 children building a sand castle. 7 of them went to swim in the ocean. How many children were left building the sand castle?

_____ number sentence

_____ children

4. On Monday, Stan reads 54 pages in his book. On Tuesday, he read 42 pages in his book. How many pages did Stan read altogether?

_____ pages



5. Bill and Sam went for a bike ride. They each saw 9 palm trees. How many palm trees did they see in all?

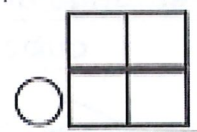
_____ number sentence

_____ palm trees



6. Barb caught 34 fish on vacation. Mike caught 1 more fish than Barb. How many fish did they catch in all?

_____ fish



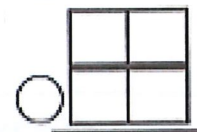
7. Jan read 5 books in June. She read 8 books in July. How many books did Jan read in all?

_____ number sentence

_____ books

8. 29 swimmers were in the ocean. 14 came in to eat lunch. How many swimmers stayed in the ocean?

_____ swimmers



9. Josh found 13 seashells. He gave 6 to his sister. How many shells did he have left?

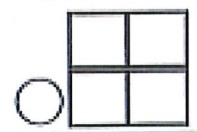
_____ number sentence

_____ seashells



10. There were 67 flowers in Pat's garden. She picked 14 flowers. How many flowers were left?

_____ flowers



Name: _____

Skill: Addition & Subtraction

Directions: Write the missing number to make the equation true.

1. ____ + 3 = 7	2. ____ + 9 = 12	3. ____ + 8 = 15	4. ____ + 9 = 18
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5. 5 + ____ = 12	6. 6 + ____ = 13	7. 4 + ____ = 11	8. 7 + ____ = 17
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9. ____ - 3 = 9	10. ____ - 5 = 3	11. ____ - 7 = 5	12. ____ - 6 = 12
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13. 15 - ____ = 8	14. 12 - ____ = 10	15. 11 - ____ = 11	16. 9 - ____ = 4
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17. ____ + 8 = 12	18. ____ + 9 = 17	19. ____ + 4 = 15	20. ____ + 9 = 10
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21. 8 + ____ = 11	22. 5 + ____ = 10	23. 4 + ____ = 8	24. 7 + ____ = 14
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9. ____ - 4 = 10	10. ____ - 2 = 16
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13. 18 - ____ = 9	14. 12 - ____ = 12
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Name: _____

Skill: Comparing numbers

Directions: Compare. Use $<$, $>$ or $=$.



$9 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 10$	$8 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 8$	$66 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 99$	$25 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 22$
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$89 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 90$	$59 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 58$	$36 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 36$	$19 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 39$
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$19 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 18$	$67 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 76$	$72 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 64$	$22 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 32$
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$98 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 98$	$31 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 30$	$75 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 75$	$45 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 43$
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$\begin{array}{c} 7 + 8 \\ \checkmark \\ 15 \end{array} \underline{\hspace{1cm}} \begin{array}{c} 7 + 9 \\ \checkmark \\ 16 \end{array}$	$18 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 9 + 9$
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$6 + 7 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 6 + 6$	$4 + 3 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 2 + 9$
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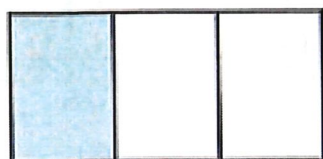
$4 + 7 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 9 + 3$	$5 + 4 \underline{\hspace{1cm}} 4 + 5$
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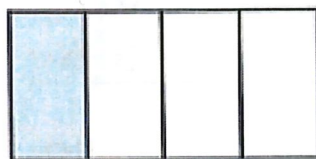
Skill: Fractions

Directions: Write the fraction for the shaded parts.

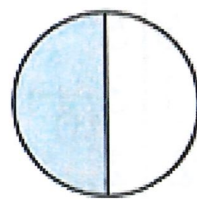
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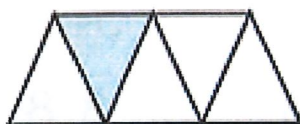
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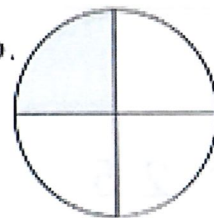
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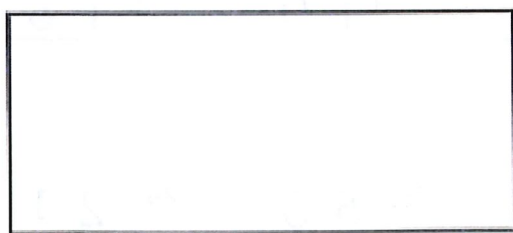
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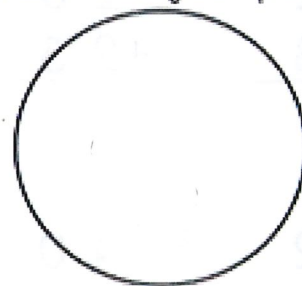
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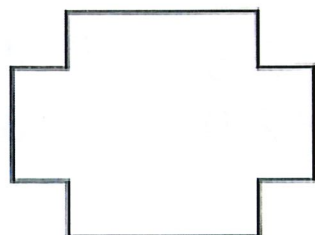
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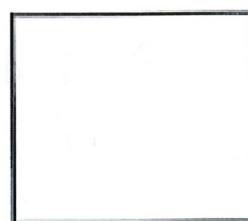
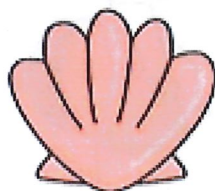
8. Draw 3 equal parts.



9. Draw 2 equal parts.

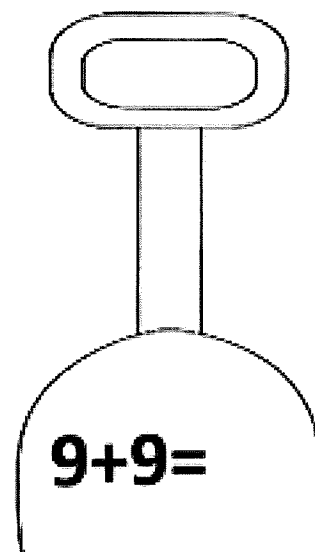
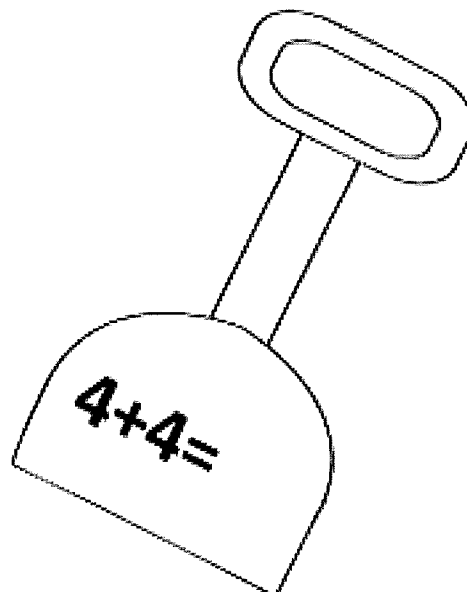
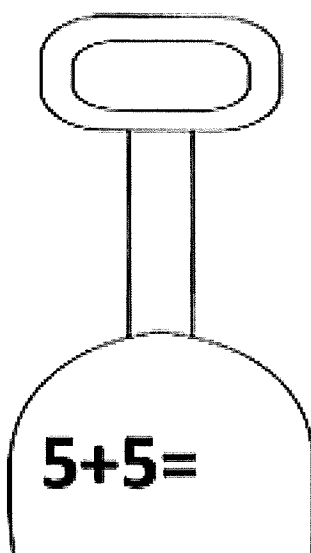
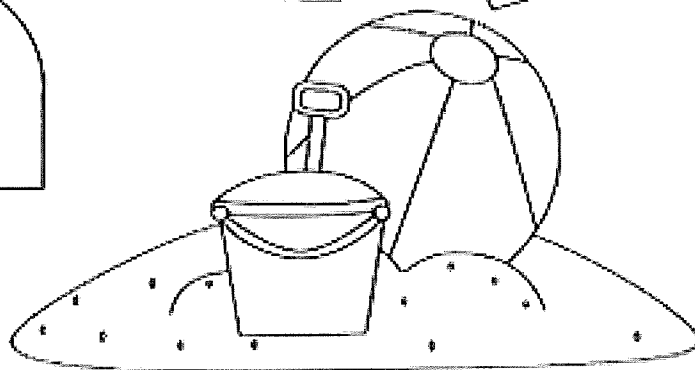
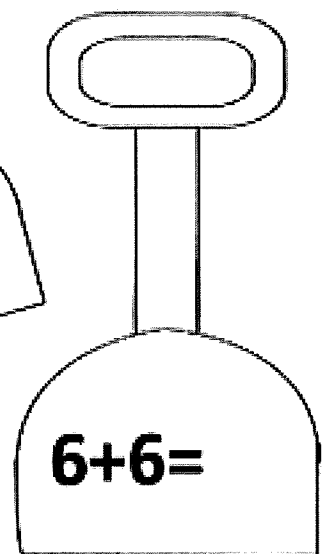
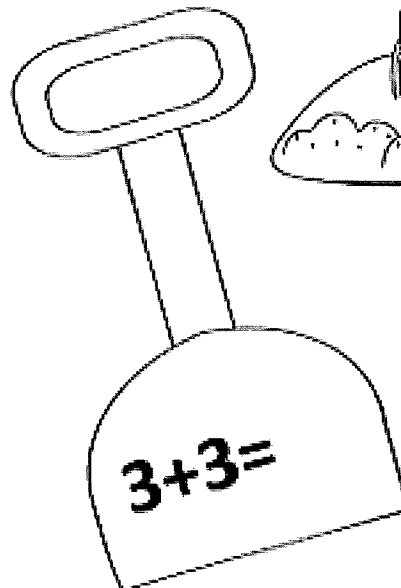
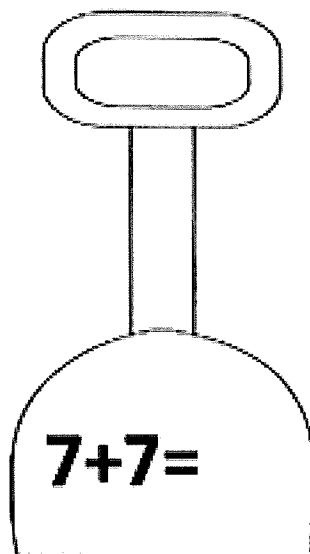
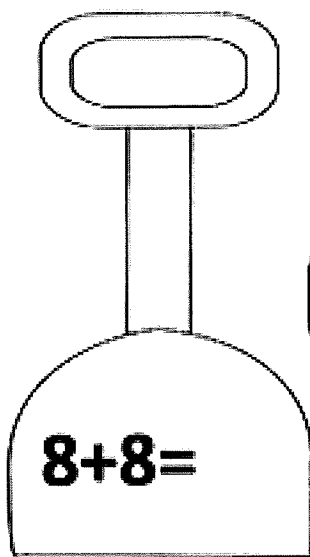
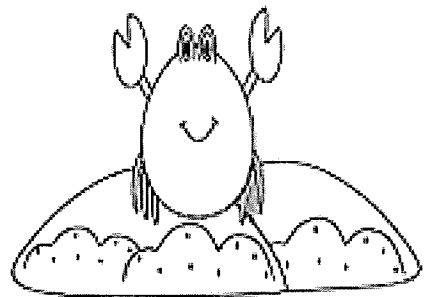
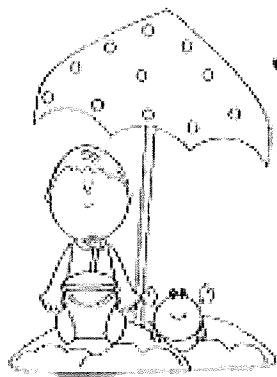


10. Draw 4 equal parts.



Digging for Doubles

Solve the double facts.



Name: _____

Counting Coins

When you count money, write a running total above the coins.

example:

25¢

35¢

45¢

50¢

51¢

52¢



total: 52¢

Count the coins and write the amount.

1.



total: _____

2.



total: _____

3.



total: _____

4.



total: _____