

# Rising Fourth Grade Summer Assignments

- Use your *Fourth Grade Summer Journal* every day in some way. Date your work.
- Keep up with it, and bring it back to school in August for sharing and a treat.
- See each subject category below for ideas of how to use your journal. Be creative!

<b>Reading</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Read at least 20 minutes each day.               <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Read two books from the BOB list for 4th grade: <a href="https://www.sjsathens.org/academics/battleofbooks.cfm">https://www.sjsathens.org/academics/battleofbooks.cfm</a></li> <li>2) Read one other book of your choice.</li> <li>3) Write a summary about each book you read in your Summer Journal.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
<b>Writing</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Write Ms. Gresham a letter or postcard. Mail it to:  <b>Ms. Gresham</b>  <b>Saint Joseph Catholic Parish School</b>  <b>958 Epps Bridge Parkway</b>  <b>Athens, GA 30606</b> </li> <li>★ Experiment with different kinds of writing in your Summer Journal. Ideas include: biography about yourself, poetry, “how to” do something, descriptive writing using all your senses, fictional narrative, persuasive (Topic Idea: Why Summer Should Be Longer! )</li> </ul>
<b>Math</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Practice your <b>BASIC FACTS</b> every week.               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➢ Addition and subtraction facts should be automatic- NOT require finger-counting.</li> <li>➢ Practice addition and subtraction WITH regrouping so you don't forget it!</li> <li>➢ KNOW your multiplication facts through the 10's.                   <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Practice your facts with flash cards.</li> <li>○ Use your Summer Journal to write lists of the fact families.</li> <li>○ Play multiplication “WAR” with playing cards.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>Religion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Attend Mass with your family when you can.</li> <li>★ Even when you are on vacation, remember God is with you. Keep strong in your faith by praying and doing your best to help your parents and serve others.</li> <li>★ Use your Summer Journal to write your thoughts, feelings, and questions about your faith.</li> </ul>
<b>Getting Organized!</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>★ Organize your room so that you have a space for learning in 4th grade. Of course, working in a family room is fine too, but it is helpful if you have a quiet space that you keep clean. :)</li> <li>★ Help your parents gather your necessary supplies for school.</li> </ul>

*Have a fun summer! Can't wait to see you in 4th grade!*