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As a way to curb summer reading loss, Pinellas County Schools has kicked off the "READ ON THE GO" summer reading initiative with the goal of putting books in the hands of students. Students have the opportunity to check out books from school libraries for return in the fall. All students already have access to over 6000 digital books customized to students' individual interests and reading level through the myOn reader platform for the entire summer. They can also get a head start on the new school year by checking out the Sunshine State Young Readers. These titles and other recommended reading lists, challenges and activities are posted on the pcsb.org/summerreading webpage. The public library is also a great place to keep them learning and growing all summer long. The Pinellas County Library Cooperative has a large collection of ebooks. And the book bus will be delivering donated books to all Summer Bridge sites in June and July. All these ways only add to the impact Summer Bridge can have on our students. The important thing is for us to work together to help foster a love of reading this summer. Check out: summerreading@pcsb.org





The World is Literally in the Palm of Their Hands: Free or almost Free Learning Apps



Read Me Stories-Children's books-A new book every day to foster a love of reading.



Spelling Bus-Kids type the words after seeing pictures and listening to the words.



K12 Timed Reading Practice & Comprehension Lite-Students practice fluency and understanding of what they have read is checked.



My Math Flash Cards-Build Fluency in addition, subtraction, multiplication and division facts



Lumosity- Challenges your brain with scientific games.



STUDENT DAYS: K-4: MON-THURS JUWE 5 - JULY 19 (CLOSED JULY 2-5) 8:30 AM -12:30 PM VPK: MON-FRI JUWE 1 — JULY 26 8:00 AM — 5:00 PM

Try these Online Math Resources:

Math Games at MathPlayground.com -Site provides a variety of math and logic activities, skill levels and ways to challenge students thinking with drag and drop features consistent with what students will need for Florida Standards assessments.



Sumdog: Free learning games at www.sumdog.com- Students compete with others around the world playing educational games that adapt to student skill levels.

Free Math Blaster Games for Kids at *www.mathblaster.com-* Get kids of all ages playing with numbers by engaging them in math games in the virtual world.



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..making math a fun part of kids' everyday lives.

The Bedtime Story gets all the glory, but what about Math? Several years ago a New Jersey mom launched Bedtime Math, a math non-profit she uses to email and post creatively worded math problems every day for parents to read to their children before bed. The problems have different levels of difficulty for "wee ones" at preschool age, "little kids" in kindergarten through second grade and "big kids," in second grade onward. An answer key is posted with each set of problems. Provided free of charge, the problems use everything from animals and clothing to fantastical subjects to get children to count, add, subtract, figure out percentages and more. They are posted daily on www.bedtimemathproblem.org.

