

Dear Parents,

We are pleased to tell you that your child's summer learning assignment will include IXL. IXL is a comprehensive learning program offering unlimited math and language arts practice problems in thousands of skills.

Your child has been given a list with 25 math skills and 15 language arts skills to practice on IXL this summer. Please help them keep track of their progress by filling out the assignment tracker each time they practice. Your child has the freedom to work at his or her own pace, but it is required that they practice for thirty minutes minimum per week. 5 minutes every day is preferred. This will be a graded assignment for the beginning of next school year.

To get your child started on your home computer, please follow these easy steps:

1. Go to <https://www.IXL.com>

2. Enter your child's username and password in the upper right corner and click the button to sign in.

(Note: If the username and password are not listed below, they will be provided separately.)

Username _____

Password _____

3. Click on the name of the subject you'd like to work on at the top of the page and navigate to your child's grade level.

4. Select a specific skill to practice from the list of skills. Please refer to your child's assignment tracker for the list of skills they need to work on.

If you notice your child struggling on an assigned skill, try having them practice the supporting skills which accompany that skill. You can use the Trouble Spots report and Question log to see how they are performing.

In addition to making practice more engaging, IXL is designed to help your child learn at his or her own pace. The program is adaptive and will adjust based on your child's demonstrated understanding of the material. All of your child's results are automatically saved, so they can practice from any device with an internet connection. For on-the-go practice, you can download IXL's free tablet apps for the iPad, Android, or Kindle and sign in with your child's username and password.

We hope you will encourage your son or daughter to use IXL regularly this summer and we look forward to seeing you in the fall!

Sincerely,

The 4th and 5th Grade Teams

Blessed Sacrament
2016 Summer Math Assignment for Rising 5th Graders
Suggested Math il.com Section

ixl.com Section	Objective
4.H.1	Input output tables with division, multiplication, addition and subtraction
4.B.4	Properties of Addition
4.C.3	Subtraction fill in the missing digits
4.J.1	Read a table
4.J.2	Interpret Line Graphs
4.D.1	Multiplication Facts to 12
4.G.5	Write variable equations for word problems
4.E.1	Division facts to 12
4.J.4	Interpret Bar Graphs
4.R.7	Add And Subtract Fractions with Like Denominators
4.W.1	Calculate Probability
4.W. 4	Interpret Mean, Median, Mode and Range
4.J.11	Circle Graphs
4.P. 31	Parallel, Perpendicular, Intersecting
4. P. 13	Acute, right, obtuse, and straight angles
4. P. 11	Similar and Congruent
4. P. 21	Area of squares and rectangles
4. O. 5	Elapsed Time
4. Q.6	Equivalent Fractions
4.M 5	Add, subtract, multiply, and divide money amounts
4.Q.22	Convert between improper fractions and mixed numbers
4. U.4	Place values in decimal numbers
4.V.3	Add and Subtract Decimals: word problems
4.E.8	Divide larger numbers by 1-digit numbers: word problems

Challenge: Go to 5th grade Section and work on 5th grade math skills in ixl!

Blessed Sacrament
2016 Summer Language Arts Assignment for Rising 5th Graders
Suggested LA ixl.com Section

ixl Section	Objective
4.A.1	Is the sentence declarative, interrogative, imperative, or exclamatory?
4.C.3	Identify the simple subject or predicate of a sentence
4.E.2	Identifying nouns
4.I.2	Identifying verbs
4.Y.3	Identifying Adjectives
4.FF.1	Identifying Conjunctions
4.HH.6	Capitalization Review
4.PP.1	Choose the Synonym
4.QQ.1	Choose the Antonym
4.XX.1	Identifying base words, prefixes and suffixes
4.ZZ.1	Using Context Clues
4.DDD.2	Determine the main idea
4. GGG.1	Identifying Author's purpose
4. JJJ.1	Match causes and their effects
4.HHH.3	Determine the order of events in informational text

2018 Summer Reading Instructions for Incoming 5th Graders

Hello Rising Fifth Grader!

In addition to the IXL work you will be doing this summer, you will also be reading one book of your choice which is at least 150 pages long. It can be fiction or non-fiction, but it should be a book you have not previously read. (Of course we hope you will read several books over your summer holiday, but you only need to report on one of them.)

Assignment:

After you read each chapter, write a short summary (2-3 sentences). When you have finished reading the whole book, write a three paragraph summary of the book. Be sure to check spelling and punctuation. You should create a fun cover page and staple everything together. Your report can be written in cursive or typed. This is due on the first day of school.

Have fun, enjoy reading, and see you in August!!
Your Fifth Grade Team

IXL SUMMER LEARNING LINEUP
BLESSEDSACRAMENT SCHOOL

Student name: _____

Grade Level (2016/17 School Year)_____

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