2019 Summer Assignments for Incoming Kindergarten



Dear Parent,

Each year Blessed Sacrament students are provided with opportunities to review learned skills over the summer. We are pleased to tell you that we've created online accounts for you child(ren) in IXL. IXL is a comprehensive learning program offering unlimited math and language arts practice problems in thousands of skills.

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.
 - **Please note that usernames for returning students are first initial and last name @bssdc (ex. jsmith@bssdc) and the password is **bulldogs**. Families are able to change the password after logging into their accounts.
- 3. Click on the Pre-K tab to navigate to your child's grade level. Then select language arts or math.
- 4. Select any lesson from the list of skills and help your child prepare for kindergarten.

IXL is an adaptive program that will adjust based on your child's demonstrated understanding of the material. It allows your child the freedom to work at his or her own pace. 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.

While this is not mandatory, we hope you will encourage your incoming kindergartener to use IXL regularly this summer! We look forward to seeing you in the fall!

Sincerely,

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