

Dear Pre-K Parents,

First, we would like to thank you for allowing us to partner with you as you endeavor to provide your child with a Christian education. We also want to say congratulations to your children on a successful year in Pre-K. We are so pleased with your child's progress and look forward to a very successful kindergarten year for each one.

Below, we have listed some suggestions for activities this summer that will keep your child on track as they prepare for kindergarten.

Enjoy your summer!

Mrs. Scalf and Mrs. Traub

Suggested Summer Activities:

1. **Read to your child often.** Children's foundational literacy skills are developed as they watch and participate in reading books with others.
2. **Provide ample opportunities for gross motor activities.** Proper development of large muscle groups and gross motor skills aids in children's overall development and assists in their learning of new skills such as reading and numeracy.
3. **Allow time for creative art activities and dramatic play.** Provide your child with a variety of materials that they can use to create their own art projects, skits, or imaginative play. Then, let them tell you about what they have created. Children who use their imaginations in creative ways are better prepared to learn and more easily assimilate new information.