

Kindergarten Suggestions for Summer Learning:

Math:

- Cooking and measuring with mom and dad
- Board games – all sorts that involve rolling a die-recognizing how many and moving spaces
- Counting: seconds at a stoplight, pushes in a swing, steps from one place in the house to another
- Bingo
- Puzzles
- Card games (WAR)
- Dominos
- Sorting socks
- Read counting books

Reading:

- Rhyme, rhyme, all the time: Dr. Seuss and Mother Goose
- Read anything that delights your child- fiction and nonfiction
- Sites: Starfall (ABC's and Reading as well as Math)
- User a calendar to cross off days and learn months and days of the week
- Make a photo journal and label it with the family, names as well as places (kitchen, family room, etc.)
- Help child contribute to grocery list- show/read the items
- Read alphabet books

Fine Motor:

- Encourage uppercase letter (first) and then lowercase letters for your child's name
- Write top to bottom
- Color with things that have resistance-crayons or chalk- USE vertical surfaces to draw (an easel or tape paper on a wall)
- Have child paint with water with a wide (2 inch or so) paintbrush
- Legos
- Puzzle pieces

