

Draw & Write Journal

Inside this journal, you will find a high-frequency word list and a helpful writing guide, plus plenty of writing and drawing space where your child can express imagination. Invite your child to draw and write about what you see outside and other fun topics.

- In the journal, encourage your child to write opinions or preferences about certain topics. Provide your child with a simple prompt each day to promote daily writing practice. Ask your child to read each journal entry aloud and to describe the corresponding picture. Here are a few prompts to get you started:
 - The funniest thing I ever saw was...
 - My perfect day is...
 - When I grow up, I want to live in...
 - I would like to learn how to...
 - Here is what I think makes a person nice:
- Invite your child to read for 20 minutes every day. Once your child finishes a book, have your child complete one of the following activities in the journal:
 - Describe a favorite character.
 - Explain what your child's favorite part was and why.
 - Rewrite the ending of the book.
 - For nonfiction books, write new things your child learned about the topic.

Splash! Jr. Beginning Sounds Game

A quick, easy way to introduce beginning sounds—this super-fun pool-themed game is sure to make a “splash”! In this game for two to four players, players just draw an inner-tube card, say the beginning sound, and keep the card if they identify it correctly...or start again if they draw a “Splash!” The first player to collect 10 cards wins! You will find more detailed play instructions on the game box.

Your kit also includes the following essential supplies to help your child create, draw, write, color, cut, and paste:

- Scissors
- 2 Black Pens
- 12 Color Crayons
- Jumbo Glue Stick
- Eraser
- Ruler
- 2 Pencils
- Washable Markers

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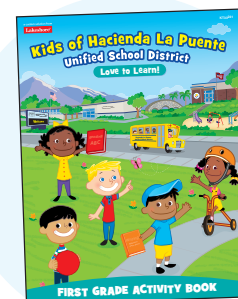
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SUMMER ENRICHMENT KIT ACTIVITY CARD



Keep your child learning this summer with engaging materials and activities that target essential language and math skills. Please set aside some time each week so that you and your child can use the materials and complete the activities together. You will review skills from the past school year and build on them to prepare your child for the next one.

Follow the suggestions below to get started!



Kids of Hacienda La Puente Unified School District Love to Learn! First Grade Activity Book

This book is filled with activities that review kindergarten skills your child may have already learned as well as build on those skills for continued success in first grade. Please set aside time each week to complete one or more of the activities.

Sight-Word Practice Ring

Packed with essential beginning sight-words, this handy, easy-to-use set puts reading practice at your child's fingertips!

Choose five words at a time. Have your child say each word and trace the letters while spelling the words. When your child sees, hears, and reads each word frequently, your child will eventually learn and remember it. After your child masters one set of five words, move on to a new set of five words.



Emergent Readers

With simple text, familiar subjects, and supporting illustrations, these 10 skill-building books are ideal for brand-new readers! Share these books with your child to help build vocabulary and boost reading confidence. Select a book and show the cover to your child. Ask, *What do you think this book is about?* After your child offers a guess, say, *Let's read the book and find out!* Read the book aloud to your child or invite your child to read it to you. As you read, pause to look at and talk about the pictures. Discuss the book when you're finished reading it. Select a new book for your next read-together time and continue in this way until you've shared and read all 10 books.

CVC Words Hands-On Student Pack

Help your child build phonics skills and master CVC words with these hands-on letter dice color-coded by consonants and vowels. Your child will roll the letter dice color-coded by vowels and consonants and place them in the matching-color wells on the tray to create CVC (consonant-vowel-consonant) words. Show your child that the dice are separated into two different groups. The red dice show vowels, which are the middle sounds in CVC words. The blue dice show consonants, which are the beginning and ending sounds in CVC words.

Try This!

- **Sound Switch:** Build a word by rolling or placing the dice on a flat surface. Swap any one of the letters—either by turning the die to a new letter or replacing it with a new die—to build a new word. Point out that changing a sound created a new word.
- **How Many?:** Take one of the red dice and roll it three times to get three vowels. (It's okay to roll the same vowel multiple times.) Prompt your child to write each vowel in its own row, leaving room on the left and right sides of the vowel to add letters. Your child will then take turns rolling two blue dice to see if any words can be made with the consonants and vowels. After your child is finished, have your child share the words created.

Mastering Addition Dominoes

These kid-friendly, illustrated dominoes are a fun way to help kids master addition! Great for helping children learn through play, the easy-to-grasp and easy-to-read dominoes feature addition facts on one end and numeric sums on the other. Play the game just like traditional dominoes—except each player selects a domino and attempts to match up the problems and sums. If your child struggles with adding, invite your child to count the pictures above each addition fact to figure out the sum.

Jumbo Soft Dice

Turn math fact practice into family fun with these two chunky dice!

Try This!

- Roll the dice and add the two numbers.
- Roll the dice and subtract the lower number from the higher number.
- Roll the two dice. Add them, then subtract them as fast as you can. For example, with a roll of 5 and 3 you would say “eight” and “two.” Then roll again.
- Roll the two dice and arrange them to make the highest number, then the lowest number. For example, rolling a 2 and 5 becomes either 25 or 52.
- Be the first to make 100 or as close as possible without going over. Take turns rolling the dice. You may add or subtract the two numbers. Keep a running total.

Blends & Digraphs Activity Pouches

Your kit includes two pouches with riddle cards, letter pieces, and picture pieces. Invite your child to use the picture and letter pieces to solve fun riddles and practice building with blends and digraphs. Start by reviewing the pictures on the riddle cards and picture pieces with your child, then review the sound that the blend or digraph on each letter piece makes. Ask your child to choose a riddle card and read the clue aloud. Have your child repeat the word for the picture in the clue, emphasizing its beginning sound. Then your child should find the letter piece that matches that beginning sound and place it in the blank to build the word. Prompt your child to find the matching picture piece as well and place it on the riddle card. Repeat with the other riddles.

Visualize Math Write & Wipe Board

This reusable board includes a bar model, number bond models, and a fact family triangle that students can use to work out math problems. Have your child use the board to practice the activities below. Write & wipe markers are included for use on the board.

Fact Family Triangle

Show your child how to use the triangle to practice addition and subtraction facts. Write the numbers 2, 3, and 5 on the spaces inside the triangle. Then write each of the corresponding addition and subtraction facts for those numbers: $2 + 3 = 5$, $3 + 2 = 5$, $5 - 2 = 3$, and $5 - 3 = 2$. Give your child a few fact families to try writing independently, such as 6, 2, and 8 or 5, 4, and 9.

Number Bonds

Explain to your child that number bonds can help us visualize addition and subtraction facts in the same way that fact family triangles can. Write the numbers 4, 3, and 7 in the circles on the second number bond model. Then write each of the corresponding addition and subtraction facts for those numbers: $4 + 3 = 7$, $3 + 4 = 7$, $7 - 3 = 4$, and $7 - 4 = 3$. Give your child a few fact families to practice independently.