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Summer Bridges: Incoming Grade 3 Math Choice Board

This summer, your child can continue building a strong foundation in mathematics by completing a Math Choice Board that also celebrates America's 250th birthday! He or she will also have the opportunity to earn ten extra credit points on the first math test of the 2026-2027 school year.

All completed choice board activities are due to your child's math teacher on Thursday, September 10, 2026.

Directions: Complete any **three** boxes **in a row** (horizontally, vertically, or diagonally). Be sure to keep all of your work to hand in to your new math teacher in September.

<p>The 250 Place Value Challenge</p> <p>Write the number 250 in three different ways: Expanded Form, Word Form, and Base-Ten Blocks. Then, find the number that is 10 more and 100 less than 250.</p>	<p>Arrays: Stars on the 250 Flag</p> <p>You are designing a new flag for the 250th celebration. Draw a rectangular array of stars that has 4 rows and 5 columns. Write an equation using equal addends to show the total number of stars on your flag.</p>	<p>The 250 Flag Design</p> <p>Design a special flag for America's 250th birthday using only quadrilaterals and triangles. Your flag must have at least 3 different types of shapes. List how many of each shape you used.</p>
<p>Number Stories with 250</p> <p>Write an addition and a subtraction word problem, where both answers equal 250.</p>	<p>Skip Counting Challenge</p> <p>Find at least three different ways to skip count to reach 250 and write them out.</p>	<p>Comparing Numbers</p> <p>Compare 250 to eight other three-digit numbers, showing which is greater or less with math symbols.</p>
<p>Addition Fact Parade</p> <p>Write a list of 8 pairs of numbers that add up to 250, using two different numbers each time.</p>	<p>Birthday Patterns</p> <p>Use colored blocks or patriotic drawings to create a repeating pattern for America's 250th birthday.</p>	<p>Money for a Celebration</p> <p>Show \$2.50 at least five different ways using a combination of dollars and coins.</p>