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Greetings--

Congratulations on your child completing first grade and advancing to second grade. We feel that summer should be a chance to do some exciting activities, go places, rest, and enjoy the company of friends. We hope the summer months will be peaceful and relaxing.

We have been asked to provide you with some online summer work. Therefore, we are asking that your incoming 2nd grader complete 3 hours of IXL work. The work is online, so we are able to see what your child does. There is a list of subjects with a variety of skills listed under the subjects. Please feel free to have your child do subjects/skills in which your child has an interest. If you know of a particular skill that needs reinforcement, you may want to have your child work on that skill.

That being said, we have listed some skills that will help your child transition from first to second grade. The skills focus on math and language arts (L.A.). Here is a list of what skills we recommend:

GRADE	SUBJECT	TOPIC	NUMBER/SKILL
2	math	addition: one digit	G3: sort addition facts—sums to 20
2	math	addition: one digit	G5: addition-sentences-for word problems sums to 20
2	math	mixed operations: one digit	J1: addition & subtraction sentences using number lines up to 20
2	math	subtraction: one digit	I4: subtraction sentences for word problems- up to 20
2	math	subtraction: one digit	I7: Which subtraction sentence is true—up to 20?
2	L.A.	rhyming	B1: Choose the picture that rhymes with the word.
2	L.A.	phoneme manipulation	C1: Change the sound in a word.
2	L.A.	short vowels	G1: Complete the word with the correct short vowel.
2	L.A.	sequence	T1: order events in a story
1	L.A.	grammar and mechanics	QQ5: Choose the right end mark.

To login into IXL:

Link: <https://www.ixl.com/signin/shschool> (Please note it is sh, not shg.)

Username: child's first letter of his/her first name followed by his/her last name@shschool (There are no spaces. The @shschool might already be there.) If this username doesn't work, then you might try putting a 1 (one) after the last name. You can contact Mrs. Noll lnoll@shgschool.org if you have difficulty with your password.

Password: shg

Once you are in, go to LEARNING, PICK THE SUBJECT, GRADE, and SKILL.

Reading books for the pleasure of reading the book and reading aloud is also recommended.

Take care and God bless you—

The Second Grade Team