End of the Year Parent Handout for





(For Elementary School Kids)

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Use this file to make a 2-sided handout to give to parents who want to be proactive and help prevent that "Summer Slide" that we all know so much about!

This comprehensive list of 26 cross-curricular websites are all FREE for parents to use with their children. All websites work on computers, many work on tablets and other handheld devices too!





FREE Learning Websites (For Kids)

Prevent the "Summer Slide!" Here's a list of some fun, educational, and safe websites for your child to visit and explore on those hot or rainy summer days!

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This is a product that I made to use as a handout to stick in End of the Year Report Card envelopes. Parents are always asking for resources to help their kids practice school skills over the summer. Use this file to make a 2-sided handout to give to families who want to be proactive and help prevent the infamous "Summer Slide." I made this list with my 3rd graders in mind, but it can honestly be used with any elementary school grade level. This comprehensive list has 26 cross-curricular websites that are all free for parents and students to use (some require parents to create a login with an email). Each site listed has a brief description of what you'll find or what to use the site for. All of the websites work on computers, some might require an add-in (like Flash), many of the sites work on tablets or handheld devices (or have an app form).

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