



Summer Technology Assignments

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Dear Parents/Guardians: *of the future 4th grade students*

As the school year winds down, we encourage you to incorporate summer reading and learning into your children's activities in the months ahead. Children who keep their brains active and engaged during summer vacation are more likely to return in the fall prepared and confident for the new school year. Research has shown that children can lose up to 60 percent of their reading skills during summer vacation. Children who read during the summer months, however, can sustain their reading gains. Let's all work to prevent the loss of those critical learning gains, also called the "summer slide," this year. To help prevent Carnegie students from losing ground to summer slide, we have compiled a variety of on-line lesson/activities that our students and parents can use to keep learning fun throughout the summer break.

Students will be required to complete *iReady Reading*, *iReady Math*, *Discovery Education*, *Raz-Kids* and/or *Nearpod* lessons on or before **Wednesday, August 31st**. Assignments will be graded and scores input into IMPACT Gradebook as a **quarter one** mark. *All assignments must be completed online via the following websites:*

- iReady Reading/Math website: <https://login.i-ready.com/>
- Discovery Education website: <http://www.discoveryeducation.com/>
- Raz-Kids website: <https://www.raz-kids.com/main/ViewPage/name/students>
- Nearpod website: <https://nearpod.com/>
 - Nearpod Codes
 - ELA: BHCFS ("Poetry Harvest"), PWYFZ ("Drafting body paragraph for informational text")
 - Math: KDRXJ (PARCC Practice part 1), FMYGO (part 2), BDGKY (part 3)

Thank you for supporting us in our efforts to keep students reading during the summer months. Have a safe and fun-filled summer!
Carnegie Faculty & Administration

School Begins on Tuesday, September 6th at 8:45 a.m.

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