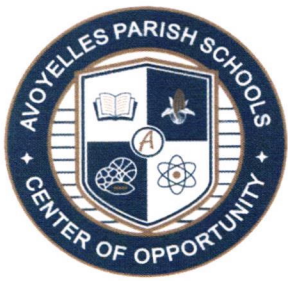




AVOYELLES
— Parish Schools —

**1ST GRADE
SUMMER READING
2024**



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Dear First Grade Students and Parents,

We aim to ignite a love of reading in all of our children in Avoyelles Parish. During the school year we have programs such as **DEAR (Drop Everything And Read)** and **AR (Accelerated Reader)**. This summer we are sending free books home with your child to continue to grow our readers. Just reading 20 minutes a day will grow their vocabulary by 1.8 million words a year. The reading gift your child received today contains a set of books that are personalized to your child's reading level. The gift also contains family activities that we hope you and your child will dive into. **Your child is required to choose TWO books and return an activity for each upon arrival at school next year to be graded.**

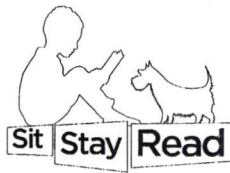
List of Activities (1st grade)
1. Complete the story map.
2. Write a sentence explaining whether your story is fiction or nonfiction. Include evidence about how you know.
3. List a noun, verb, and adjective from one of your stories.
4. Make a visual (examples: poster, PowerPoint or Google Slides, trifold, 3-D model etc.) about your book to show your new class next year.

The MORE
that you read,
the MORE things
you will know.
The MORE that you
LEARN,
the MORE places you'll go.



Have a great summer!

KeeK, K, 1st - Story Map



Name: _____

Title: _____ Author: _____

Directions: Draw or write the answers in the boxes.

Characters	Setting
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Beginning	Middle	End
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First Grade Fiction vs NonFiction

Name: _____

Handwriting practice area with multiple sets of lines. Each set consists of a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line.

Write a sentence explaining whether or not your story is **fiction** or **nonfiction**. Explain how you know by using evidence from the text.

First Grade

Name: _____

Noun

Page

Verb

Page

Adjective

Page

Find a noun, verb,
and adjective in your
story. Write them on
the lines next to the
appropriate part of
speech. Tell which
page number it is
found on.