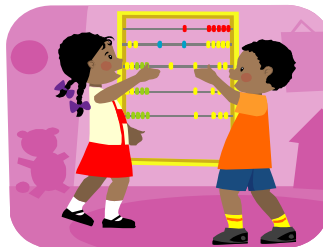


# Atlantis Charter School Summer Math 2009



## For students entering First Grade

For more information and additional forms, visit our website:

[www.atlantiscs.org/](http://www.atlantiscs.org/)

### WHY IS SUMMER MATH IMPORTANT?

Kids can experience learning loss without educational summer activities. Research shows that teachers usually spend the first weeks of the school year re-teaching material that students have forgotten.

(In fact, students can lose about 2.6 months of grade level equivalency in math skills during the summer months!)

### WE ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO WORK WITH NUMBERS AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE OVER THE SUMMER!

Math opens the doors to new experiences and information...and math is FUN!!!!

### WHAT DOES MY CHILD HAVE TO DO?

Students must demonstrate proof of summer math work by completing the attached Math Journal. Please have your child decorate the cover of the journal. The Math Journal includes ten pages for students to draw/write about how they have used numbers/math over the summer. We would like at least 10 examples but if they would like to do more please feel free to add pages to the back of the journal.

The assignments are considered part of the child's math requirement for the first trimester of the 2009 – 2010 school year and will be given a grade. Failure to complete the summer math requirement will affect your child's grade.

**Additional forms will be available on our website.**

### WHEN SHOULD MY CHILD HAND IN THE WORK?

Assignments are due on August 28, 2009

