



PLAIN LOCAL SCHOOLS

Getting Ready for First Grade

Skills/Concepts to Practice Throughout the Summer:

Language Arts

Students entering First Grade can:

- **Know all letters and their sounds (including short and long vowels).**
 - [ABC practice](#)
 - [Letter Name and Sound Check](#)
- **Know their Kindergarten Instant (Sight) Words**
 - [Kindergarten Word List](#)
 - [Instant \(Sight\) Word Videos](#)
- **Correctly form letters in writing.**
 - [Foundations- Practicing Sounds & Letter Formation](#)
- **Read CVC words (cat, rip, log, bet).**
 - [CVC Word Videos](#)
- **Identify beginning, middle, and end sounds.**
 - [Beginning, Middle and Ending Sounds](#)
- **Produce rhyming words.**
 - [Rhyming Words](#)
 - [More Rhyming Practice](#)
- **Reading Fiction:**
 - [Questions to ask when reading a Fiction book](#)
 - [Storyline Online](#)
- **Reading Non-fiction:**
 - [Questions to ask when reading a Nonfiction book](#)
 - [Info Ohio to get BookFlix](#)
- **Write a complete sentence with a capital letter and punctuation.**
 - [Parts of a Sentence](#)
 - [Apply for a Library Card: Stark County District Library](#)

Math

Students entering First Grade can:

- **Identify, name, and write numbers to 20.**
 - [Sky Write Numbers 0-9](#)
- **Count to 100**
 - *Practice counting aloud to 100 by 1s.*
 - [Counting to 100 Song](#)
 - [The Big Number Song](#)
 - [Hundreds Chart](#)
 - [Hundreds Chart with Missing Numbers](#)
 - *Practice counting aloud to 100 by 5s.*
 - [Counting by Fives Song](#)
 - *Practice counting aloud to 100 by 10s.*
 - [Skip Counting by Tens Song](#)
- **Add and subtract to ten.**
 - [Addition Vocabulary](#)
 - [Addition Sum Song](#)
 - [Addition and Subtraction Song](#)
 - *Use flashcards to practice your facts!*
 - Identify one more and one less than a given number.
 - [One More Song](#)
 - [One Less Song](#)
 - *Show groups of ten in different ways.*
 - [Make Ten Song](#)
 - [Ten Frame Activity](#)
- **Name 2D shapes (circle, square) and 3D shapes (cylinder, sphere).**
 - [Geometry Vocabulary](#)
 - [2D Shapes Song](#)
 - [3D Shapes Song](#)
- **Use words to compare objects (length, height, width, weight).**
 - [Measurement Vocabulary](#)
 - [Longer and Shorter Song](#)
 - [Measure Length Explanation](#)
- **Understand and be able to answer questions about a simple graph.**
 - [Explaining Tally Charts and Pictographs](#)
- **Games to Play:**
 - [Bunny Hop](#)
 - [Monster Squeeze](#)
 - [Penny Plate](#)
 - [Top It](#)

Our teachers have created activities to assist with your child's transition to the next grade and to continue to support student learning throughout the summer. Please visit our website at plainlocal.org and click on our Covid-19 page for information specific to each grade level.