## Summer Literacy & Mathematics

As we come to a close of the school vear I would like to encourage each family to make a summer plan that includes writing 2X weekly (I will give your child a journal-Everyone who brings it back finished to me in the fall earns a prize!). Another idea encourage your child to write letters. I love reading about summer adventures, send an email to itoneri@everettsd.org and I promise to respond! Ask your child to read daily/4X weekly for at least 30 minutes. Setting up a special time to do this, often, supports reading success. Mathematics, make sure your child knows his/her facts 0-20 (+ -) from memory, then start memorizing multiplication facts. Make story problems out of everyday activities. For example, "If we leave at 2:00 p.m. and drive to the beach and arrive at 2:30 p.m., How long did it take us to get there?"

## Keep Your Skills Sharp!

Summer Challenge: There are STEM activities, math calendars, vocabulary practice, writing prompts and reading for each grade level. I will post information as soon as it is available. In the meantime, I encourage everyone to visit our library weekly, Tuesdays, from 10:00 to 12:30 June 24<sup>th</sup> through August 19<sup>th</sup> to check out new and interesting books.

## Upcoming Dates

Early Release at 12:20 p.m. on Friday 6/6

<u>Friday-June 13th</u> from 6:00-7:30 PM -School Bash put on by PTA

<u>June 16th-Field Day</u> - Wear your tennis shoes! The back of this letter-sign-up sheet-volunteers

June 19th - No School-National Holiday

June 20th-LAST day of school-12:20 release time

## Ideas for Summer Learning

- \*Parents, you can come to school and check out your child's chromebook for summer use.
- \*i-Ready will be available for student use through mid-August, this is an excellent summer activity as students will have just tested and have new learning pathways created. I would recommend 10 min. math/daily & 10 min. reading/daily 5X weekly. If your chromebook "glitches" over the summer, drive to our school parking lot, log on and let the chromebook update, this will usually take care of the problem.
- \*JOIN The Everett Public Library, you can check out new books weekly and they have awesome student summer programs with PRIZES! They usually have a fun storytime hour too. I LOVE Marysville library and you could make a day of it and also visit Jennings Park which is right by The Marysville Library.
- \*Students are familiar with learning apps. on our district website... This letter on my website....