



## **The St. Joseph Summer Learning Challenge**

Summer is for relaxing and resting, but also for your brain to continue growing! Below is a list of activities that can be completed this summer. Complete enough activities to reach 250 points and you will receive a reward during the first week of school! Do the ones you love over and over, and check them off as you go along! Good luck! Scroll down to find fabulous ideas from our specialist teachers too!

### **Celebrating Our Faith**

- Perform a random act of kindness for a neighbor (5 pts)
- Attend virtual mass with Fr. Gary (5 pts)
- Pray before meals (5 pts)
- Pray before bed (5 pts)
- Visit the Grotto in Portland when open (10 pts)
- Write a letter to a student at St. Bernadette's (our Sister Parish) in Kenya - bring it to school the first week or mail it to school (10 pts)
- Pray the rosary once per week during the summer (10 pts)
- **Grades 4-8**: Find one article on the internet about how the Catholic Church is helping poor people during the Covid-19 crisis. (10 pts)
- Do a virtual tour of one of the great churches in the world (e.g.): (10 pts)
  - St. James Cathedral, Seattle: <https://www.stjames-cathedral.org/Tour/sanctuary.htm>
  - The Basilica of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC: <https://www.nationalshrine.org/virtual-tour/>
  - St. Peter's in Rome: <http://stpetersbasilica.info/index.htm>
- Read one article on the Vatican Website: <https://www.vaticannews.va/en.html> (10 pts)
- Pray an Our Father & a Hail Mary each night in thanksgiving for all the blessings you have. (3 pts per day).
- Coordinate with classmates to write letters to people in nursing homes. Collect and deliver letters to local nursing homes. (10 pts) Letters can also be brought to school the first week for distribution.

### **Ideas for grades K-2**

- Practice kindergarten sight words (10 pts)  
[https://www.kipapaelementary.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC\\_ID=424011&type=d&pREC\\_ID=1220316](https://www.kipapaelementary.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=424011&type=d&pREC_ID=1220316)
- Reread the little Take Home practice books (5 pts each)
- Read books to your parents, siblings, or stuffed animals (5 pts each)
- Set the table and lead prayer for your family (5 pts)
- Create a healthy meal and tell why it is healthy (10 pts)
- Help your adult bake using measuring tools (5 pts)
- Go on a scavenger hunt for living things (5 pts)
- Create sentences using sight words written on note cards (10 pts)

- Go for a walk and hop, skip, and jump on each leg (5 pts)
- Use snacks to create math story problems (10 pts)
- Send a card to a friend or family member (5 pts each)
- Draw a number line with chalk outside and hop from number to number making math problems (5 pts.)
- Make a list of 10 things to be thankful for and pray about them (10 pts)
- Make a list of 5 things you want to pray about that are prayers for something/someone else (10 pts)
- Look through your Bible Binder and retell the stories (5 pts for each story)
- Use the pages in your journal to write about summer activities and trips (20 pts)
- **1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>** Play addition/subtraction games (can use playing cards) (5 pts)
- Practice basic math skills on <https://gregtangmath.com>
- 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> Finish Simple Solutions lessons (one a day or one every other day) (25 pts)
- Online games, puzzles, stories, and activities from Highlights Magazine (10 pts)  
<https://blog.highlights.com/highlights-at-home>
- Keep a journal of fun activities to practice writing complete sentences with capitals and punctuation (25 pts)
- Participate in summer reading program through the library (20 points)  
<http://www.fvrl.org/summer-reading>
- Practice tying your shoes. Use this fun song/trick to help:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BeSkBOYUlaq> (5 points each try)
- Develop fine motor skills - play with play dough, use pom poms/cotton balls/buttons with tweezers (5 points)
- Make your own play dough. Allow children to mix and measure all the ingredients. Talk about safety as an adult does the stove top part! <https://domesticssuperhero.com/best-homemade-playdough-recipe/> (20 points)
- Play board games to practice turn taking and confidence in not always winning. (25 points per completed game).
- Read aloud to your child. Listen to audiobooks. Check out the library website for audiobook resources as well as Epic <http://www.fvrl.org/resources/ebooks> (10 points per story book, 25 points for chapter books)
- Save some of your cardboard recycling items. Give your children some markers, tape and scissors and allow them to build (10 points per creation).
- Grade 1: complete your handwriting book (5 points per letter - each letter has 2 pages).

### **Ideas for grades 3-5**

- Participate in the summer reading program at the library or Scholastic (10 pts)
- Visit a virtual science or history museum (NASA or google Scholastic Virtual tours) (5 pts)
- 3rd/4th Grade, play multiplication games online or use flash cards (5 pts per 15 min.)
- After you read a novel, create a game about your book and then have your family play it. (40 pts.)
- Play Multiplication War with your family (10 pts) You will need a deck of cards  
<https://www.multiplication.com/our-blog/jen-wieber/multiplication-war-card-game-0>
- Create a comic strip about a fictional character or yourself. See how long you can keep the strip going. Read classic comics for inspiration. (10 pts)
- With parental permission, use the Internet, travel guidebooks, brochures, and maps to plan a dream day, weekend, or week. (10 pts)
- **Create a summer scrapbook.** Save postcards and movie tickets, record family stories or interesting events from each day, whether you're going on vacation or just going to your neighborhood park. (15 pts)

- In a pool or the bathtub, hypothesize which items (soap, dry sock, bottle of shampoo, rock, etc.) will float or sink. Test your hypotheses. (5 pts.)
- Design an invention that you can use during the summer. For example, design a new kind of water slide for your backyard. (10 pts)
- Invent a recipe for a summer drink and share it with your family. (10 pts.) Use Sprite in your drink.
- Keep a summer journal to write about activities that you have done over the summer (5 pts. per entry.)
- Explore various STEM questions and concepts by watching Mystery Doug videos (5 pts. per video): [https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPRCRM3JKm3sw551B\\_427qg/videos](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCPRCRM3JKm3sw551B_427qg/videos)
- Become a penpal. Find a friend, classmate, or family member to write and exchange letters with over the summer (5 pts. per letter.)
- Create a list of literary classics you would like to read this summer. Visit Goodreads, ReadBrightly or the New York Public Library website for a list of Children's Classic Literature for recommendations. Try to read or listen to some on audio this summer. (15 pts. per book.)
- Watch Brain POP Jr video: Scientific Method on [https://youtu.be/\\_3wzx2C6Bt8](https://youtu.be/_3wzx2C6Bt8) (10 pts).
- Download & print multiplication & division by one digit worksheets for practice. Time yourself and see how you improve with practice (5 pts per sheet.)
- Watch All about Cells and Cell Structure video from FreeSchool <https://youtu.be/3nBtY6LR030> (10 pts)
- "If I could go anywhere..." Pick a place on the map and say why you want to go there! Include a picture or fun fact! (10 pts per post) <https://padlet.com/morganm32/vehemc69rcq4num8>

### **Ideas for the Middle School**

#### Language Arts:

- Read a novel! Minimum 300 pages. (10 pts) This is repeatable as many times as you wish.
- Find a book which has been adapted into a movie. Read the book and watch the movie (15pts)
- Create a comic book featuring your friend or even your favorite teacher (15pts)
- Write a play. Minimum 3 acts. Run time est~15 minutes (20 pts)
- Keep a happiness journal where you document something from each day that made you smile (20 pts)
- Read the news! Keep up on what is happening in the world (5pts)
- Write a review. It could be for a movie or video game. You could even write reviews of your favorite sports to eat and play over the summer (10 pts) This is repeatable as many times as you wish.
- Take a hike and write some poetry inspired by your surroundings (10 pts).
- Build a Pillow Fort in your bedroom/living room. (0 pts but very fun)
- Clip your favorite comic series out of the newspaper each day. (1 pt for every clipping)
- Write a letter to a famous person! (10 pts)
- Create a photo collage of all the places you go over the summer. (15 pts)
- Get a job! (20 pts)

#### Math:

- Make a grocery list, purchase a meal for a family of 4 with a budget of \$20 (10pts)
- Go to the grocery store and find unit prices of items (10pts)
- Calculate the tip at a restaurant (5pts)
- Double a recipe (5pts)
- Cut a recipe in half (5pts)

- Practice writing a check (5pts)
- Calculate interest paid on credit card (5pts)
- Divide a bill from a restaurant 3 ways, 4 ways, etc (5pts)
- Make a scaled version of yourself. Measure from head to floor, shoulder to shoulder, eye to eye, then reduce the measurements by  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,  $\frac{1}{2}$ , or whatever fraction you choose. Discuss what happens when you reduce their size by different fractions (20pts)
- Calculate stats for number of free throws made, times hitting the baseball, how fast you can run different distances, etc (10pts)
- Practice multiplication facts. This could be a race against the clock, a sibling, parent or other adult -try 15 facts in a minute (5pts)
- <https://www.ipracticemath.com/> This is a free website to practice grade specific math skills (10pts)

#### Science:

- Google middle school science experiments and have fun! (10pts each)
- Build a bird feeder and see what types of birds are attracted to it (10pts)
- Visit the information/visitor center at Mt. St. Helens and learn about its eruption (20pts)
- On a clear night, identify the constellations (5pts)
- Visit the beach and explore tide pools (10pts)
- On a hike, identify the plants along the path (5pts)
- Bake cookies or bread with and then without baking soda to see why that ingredient is included (10pts)
- Get outside and explore the natural world around you every day!! (5pts)

#### Social Studies

- Research and explore the monuments in WA DC (10pts)
- Research the 7 wonders of the world (10pts)
- Draw a map of a state you would like to visit and mark the historical sites you would like to see (20pts)
- Read a book about a historical figure you wish to learn more about (20pts)
- Be a tourist in Vancouver/Portland - look up and explore historical sites (25pts)
- Plan an expedition around the world; where would you go, what would you see (25pts)

#### Religion:

- Go to the United States Conference on Catholic Bishops (USCCB) website and investigate the reasons capital punishment is not supported by the Catholic Church (25pts)
- Go to the USCCB website and read the Daily Readings each day for a week (15pts)
- Go to the USCCB website and read the section on Understanding the Bible and read about the ten points for Fruitful Scripture Reading (10pts)
- Read Exodus Chapters 7-12 (Ex. 7-12) in the Bible and list out the ten plagues that affected the Egyptians (10pts)
- Research and visit our local Catholic Cemetery (Mother Joseph Cemetery) and say a prayer for all the people buried there, especially the Sisters of Providence (15pts)
- Research Mother Joseph and the profound affect she and the Sisters of Providence had on Southwest Washington (15pts)
- Research and then visit (if open) the history of Catholics at Fort Vancouver National Historic Site (20pts)
- Write a letter to a classmate telling them why they are important in your life (10pts)
- Write a letter to a teacher you have had and tell them why you enjoyed their class so much and the important lesson(s) you learned from them (15pts)
- Make the effort to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation (15pts)

### **Ideas to Stay Active and Healthy (PE)**

- Go for a bike ride in your neighborhood (5 pts). Or explore one of the bike paths here in Vancouver - <https://www.cityofvancouver.us/ced/page/cycling-vancouver> (10 pts).
- Go for a family hike (5 pts)
- Dice Exercise game: <https://youtu.be/zefIqNky2MY> - do a short 2-5 minute warm up before starting. (5 pts)
- Balloon Activities - Click on this link - <https://youtu.be/eiSOTQM1cu0> - to get some ideas for fun balloon activities. Spend 15 minutes or more trying them out! (5 pts)
- Play the Anatomy Relay game or Animal Alphabet Relay game - find directions here [https://docs.google.com/document/d/1I8FeVzU1B2mJ-jXn4LXqLT03Bykg\\_dz9yhScGVuvCMQ/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1I8FeVzU1B2mJ-jXn4LXqLT03Bykg_dz9yhScGVuvCMQ/edit?usp=sharing). (10 pts)
- Go to **family.gonoodle.com** and choose any combination of videos that total 20 minutes or more. You can choose from Maximo, Zumba kids, Flow, Fresh Start or Empower Tools. (10 pts)
- Explore dance and your heritage - explore the native dance(s) from a country that is a part of your heritage. Try a google search to find instructions or a video that will teach the dance to you. (10 pts).
- Play Movement Charades - here are directions, but feel free to take the idea and make it your own!  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Z43cJqbPJCivT1qIPZdmD4pWIKJVjs5Xoeimh3KLMes/edit?usp=sharing>. (10 pts)
- Create your own home obstacle course - outside or inside (safely) and include as many locomotor movements as you can. You can make it a self-challenge and see what your best time is, or have a family competition to see who can get through it the fastest! (10 pts)
- Go to ChooseMyPlate.gov, under the "Browse by Audience" link go to the section for children and explore the games, activity sheets and movement activities. (10 pts)
- Go to <https://nutritiondata.self.com/> and explore the "recipe finder" section. Choose a new recipe to make. Take a picture of your culinary creation and share on the St. Joseph Facebook page! (15 pts)
- Play Frisbee Golf - Leverich Park in Vancouver has a course, or create your own in your yard or neighborhood. Check out this video showing easy DIY targets - <https://chascrazycreations.com/easy-frisbee-golf-for-your-backyard/>. If you need information on how to play, check out this video - <https://youtu.be/Fvv1OR89AvM>. (15 pts)
- Compare the nutrient value of some of your favorite restaurant food items on <https://fastfoodnutrition.org/>. (15 pts)
- Adventure Walk - Where in the world do you want to go? Choose a destination, find out how far it is from where you live. Plot out a route and each day you walk or ride your bike, track your mileage and progress to your destination. Look at a map and google search some of the interesting places you might pass through along the way. (20 pts)
- Go berry or fruit picking. Find a local U-Pick farm and pick your own blueberries, cherries, raspberries and peaches this summer! Be sure to call ahead and make sure the fruit is ripe and ready for picking! (20 pts)
- Make your own juggling balls and teach yourself to juggle! Come back to school next fall and share your new talent! (25 pts) **Juggling 1: Make your own juggling balls - <https://youtu.be/HuhLIWljItY>**  
**Juggling 2: Practicing the toss - <https://youtu.be/M78eDjVSBcW>**  
**Juggling 3: Two balls - <https://youtu.be/cd5MHw8YRvI>**

- Choose a foreign sport that you are unfamiliar with - Cricket, Sumo Wrestling, Kabaddi are some examples - research the rules and write a short report. Post a video of your presentation on the St. Joseph Facebook page and share it with all of us! (25 pts)
- Invent a new game to play at recess. Include the rules, how many people can play, what equipment is needed and how to win. (25 pts)
- Keep a food diary for a day, write down everything you eat/drink and the quantity. Analyze your nutritional intake. There are several websites that will allow you to input your food intake and will analyze it for you. <https://nutritiondata.self.com/> has one of these. (25 pts)

### **Use Technology in Different Ways**

<https://stjosephtechnology.weebly.com/>

- 10 Minutes of Typing Practice in [www.Typing.com](http://www.Typing.com) (5 pts)
  - Wipe down the technology in your house (keyboards, computer mice, remotes). (5 pts)
  - Check out the weather for the next 10 days and tell your family what it is going to be! (5 pts)  
<https://weather.com/weather/tenday//8570c866ec50c112915094fa6c2585cd93da7339d9bb34a785437836ebf9fb1d>
  - Draw a fun online picture [https://www.abcya.com/games/abcya\\_paint](https://www.abcya.com/games/abcya_paint) (5 pts)
  - Try this coding challenge (Grades K-1) <https://studio.code.org/s/pre-express-2019/stage/2/puzzle/1> (5 pts)
  - 20 Minutes of Typing Practice on [www.Typing.com](http://www.Typing.com) (10 pts)
  - Watching this video [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OAx\\_6-wdsIM&feature=emb\\_logo](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OAx_6-wdsIM&feature=emb_logo) (10 pts)
  - Try this coding challenge (Grade 2-4) <https://studio.code.org/s/express-2019/stage/1/puzzle/1> (10 pts)
  - Make a disney emoji! <https://lol.disney.com/games/disney-emoji-maker> (10 pts)
  - Find what the moon phase was on the day you were born <https://www.timeanddate.com/moon/phases/> (10 pts)
  - Check out this virtual tour of the Smithsonian <https://naturalhistory.si.edu/visit/virtual-tour> (15 pts)
  - Use <https://logomakr.com/> to make some fun logos! Make something summer themed. (15 pts)
  - Watch this video <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mCq8-xTH7jA> (15 pts)
  - Play quick draw! <https://quickdraw.withgoogle.com/> (15 pts)
  - Take a typing test <https://www.typingtest.com/> (15 pts)
  - Create a St. Joe's Summer Shirt or other piece of clothing <https://www.customink.com/ndx/#/> (20 pts)
  - Consider changing your passwords on your devices if you haven't in the last 6 months. You can use <https://howsecureismypassword.net/> to help you. (20 pts)
  - Read about the Patron saint of the Internet! <https://www.franciscanmedia.org/saint-isidore-of-seville/> (20 pts)
  - Write in secret code! Type anything in and it will become code!! <https://www.convertbinary.com/text-to-binary/> (20 pts)
  - 30 Minutes of Typing Practice on [www.Typing.com](http://www.Typing.com) (20 pts)
- Email: [benitot@stjoevanschool.org](mailto:benitot@stjoevanschool.org)

### **Get Creative with Art**

- Create a chalk drawing outside (5 pts)
- Paint some rocks to brighten up your yard (5 pts)
- Design the ultimate ice cream sundae (5 pts)

- Make a greeting card for a friend. Here's a great example: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ya\\_rEWKy1e8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ya_rEWKy1e8) (5 pts)
- Fold and fly paper airplanes outdoors (5 pts)
- Draw a portrait of a friend or family member (10 pts)
- Make your own salt dough and sculpt with it (recipe here: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ya\\_rEWKy1e8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ya_rEWKy1e8) (10 pts)
- Draw or paint a landscape picture of your favorite vacation spot (10 pts)
- Follow a how to draw tutorial on youtube. Draw so Cute and Art For Kids Hub have lots of good ones (10 pts)
- Draw the best waterpark you can imagine (10 pts)
- Draw 10 black and white pictures to make your own coloring book (15 pts)
- Read a book about an artist's life (15 pts)
- Visit a gallery or museum (online or in person) (15 pts)
- Make a flipbook (here is an example, but you may come up with your own idea (15 pts) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Un-BdBSOGKY> )
- Make something you can wear (jewelry, t-shirt\*, ect). \*I love to tie dye t-shirts (15 pts)
- Make a personal sketch book to fill up with all your paintings and doodles (20 pts)
- Make a robot from recycled material (20 pts)
- Use a phone app to make a stop motion short film. Here's a good how to: (20 pts) [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=\\_ppedXZHhE0](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_ppedXZHhE0)
- Make a comic book of your summer adventures (20 pts)
- Follow a simple tutorial on acrylic painting you find on youtube. Something like this is good: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qn7ustvcy\\_Y](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qn7ustvcy_Y), but feel free to choose one you like. (20 pts)

### **Make Magnificent Music**

- Read a book about music. What book did you read? NOTE: Magazines don't count. :) (5 pts)
- Watch "Carnival of the Animals" from Fantasia 2000. You can find this on Hulu, Disney, or YouTube. (5 pts)
- Play "Name That Tune" with a family member or friend. Hum a song and have them guess what it is; take turns. Play three rounds. What songs did you hum? (5 pts)
- Visit [www.brainpop.com](http://www.brainpop.com)
  - Username: **waynems**
  - Password: **eagles**
  - Watch any of the music videos and take the online review quiz. (5 pts)
- Visit [www.musictheory.net](http://www.musictheory.net) and do any of the lessons there on note reading, rhythms, etc. (5 pts)
- Compose your melodic piece and play it on any instrument; piano, guitar, whatever! (10 pts)
- Pick up a new instrument that you've never learned before; piano, guitar, ukulele, recorder, drums, wind/brass...anything! (10 pts)
- Create an instrument using household items; play along to your favorite song! (10 pts)
- Create a song in incredibox! Go to: [www.incredibox.com](http://www.incredibox.com) - (10 pts)
- Download a music app such as GarageBand, GroovePad, BeatSnaps, etc and create your own music! (10 pts)

### **Engage in Español**

- Practice words for clothing with this song "Ponte los zapatos" (put on your shoes): <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xFWAmmwe2r4&feature=youtu.be> (5 pts)

- Learn how to play rock, paper, scissors in Spanish with this link and then play best out of 5 with someone at home! Remember in Spanish the order is different: **piedra, tijera, papel** is **rock, scissors, paper** :) <https://youtu.be/hpLBepkfCE8> (5 pts)
- Practice your colors and numbers with this sheet, following the instructions and coloring in the dogs with a rainbow of colors! (5 pts) <https://www.spanishplayground.net/wp-content/uploads/2018/02/color-all-the-dogs.pdf>
- Color in this map as you listen to the song about the 21 countries where Spanish is an official language! <https://rockalingua.com/songs/spanish-speaking-countries> (5 pts)
- Sing about emotions and act them out :) (5 pts)  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IU8zZjBV53M&feature=youtu.be>
- Play this click and match game to review colors! (5 pts):  
<https://onlinefreespanish.com/aplica/lessons/colors/colors9.htm#.Xs8SGmhKhPZ>
- Sing a song about your house! Print and color the lyrics as you sing along. (5 pts)  
<https://rockalingua.com/songs/my-house-easy-version>
- Play the game "I spy" using the phrase that means "I see, I see a little something \_\_\_\_": "veo, veo una cosita \_\_\_\_" (Spanish color word goes in the blank) and the other person guesses "Es \_\_\_\_?" (Is it \_\_\_\_?) (5 pts)
- Learn this fun traditional song about the sun! Here are the lyrics (and what they mean): Sol solecito, sol redondito, / Sun little sun, little round sun,
  - Rueda que rueda, ronda que va. / Wheel that rolls, circle that goes.
  - Sol solecito, sol calentito, / Sun little sun, little warm sun,
  - Sales de día, y de noche te vas. / You come out in the day, and at night you leave. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AoBRr4yIwXY&feature=youtu.be> (5 pts)
- Practice the parts of the body in Spanish with this song as you color in the lyrics: (5 pts) <https://rockalingua.com/songs/parts-body>
- Try out reading one of these free books in Spanish! (10 pts)  
<https://www.wilbooks.com/free-online-books-spanish-kindergarten>
- Read this book about what's in a tree! (10 pts)  
<https://www.spanishplayground.net/wp-content/uploads/2017/06/que-hay-en-un-arbol.pdf>
- Print out this list (or copy onto a new piece of paper) and go on a nature scavenger hunt, marking off the things you see while you practice those words in Spanish:  
<https://www.spanishplayground.net/wp-content/uploads/2013/08/nature-walk-check-list.pdf> (10 pts)
- Print out and color these lyrics while you listen to this song about asking and answering the questions: "What's your name?" "How old are you" "Where are you from", and "Where do you live?" <https://rockalingua.com/songs/whats-your-name> (10 pts)
- Fill out and decorate this worksheet all about you! (10 pts)  
<https://docs.google.com/file/d/0B7ixGuMpY2JMTDNsejNOVmfDdlU/preview>
- For Fourth of July, try out this printable word search: (10 pts)  
<https://www.spanishplayground.net/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/word-search-july-4.pdf>
- Using info from the previous activity, print out and color these blank faces and label the different parts of the face in Spanish (or draw your own!) (10 pts)  
<https://dabblesandbabbles.com/wp-content/uploads/2013/09/Blank-Faces2.pdf>
- For 4-8 grades: try listening to one of these podcasts for learning Spanish (each is 10-15 minutes long and good for beginners) (10 pts). You may do this activity as many times as you like as long as you choose a new podcast each time.  
<http://languagetreks.com/individual/podcasts>
- For 4-8 grades: start or continue your Duolingo journey at <https://www.duolingo.com/> (or on the free Duolingo app) 10 minutes is good for 5 pts, 20 minutes is good for 10

pts! Just like the podcast, you can do this activity as many times as you like. The more the better!

- For 4-8 grades: For a cultural field trip, take this virtual tour of Cancun and the Mayan pyramids in the Yucatan peninsula of Mexico. (5 pts)  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B6nb-ihOBk>

### **Other Fun Summer Ideas**

- Get a free slurpy from 7-11 on July 11(5 pts)
- Go to Baskin Robbins for \$1.50 ice cream scoops on July 31st! (5 pts)
- Make a s'more over a campfire (5 pts)
- Have an epic water fight (5 pts)
- Play a board game (5 pts)
- Make a puzzle (5 pts)
- Pick blackberries or strawberries (10 pts)
- Help make dinner (10 pts)
- Go three days without any TV or electronics (25 pts)
- Have a family campout in the backyard (25)
- Make a menu for all three meals of the day and help your parents make the meals (25 pts)