HOLIDAY HOMEFUN

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The sky is so blue,

not a cloud to be seen.

The Earth is a painting, with every shade of green. The chirping of birds, as they gracefully fly by, Amidst the golden hue of the lustrous sky. The flowers are so fragrant, the trees are their shield, for under the scorching heat, a breeze they should feel. It's summer time again,

School vacations have just begun. Time for children to play and have some fun. Time to pursue hobbies and interests,

To do things in other behests. But when summer vacation is finally through, It's time to hit the books and return to school.



Dear Children,

Summer time is here again. And every summer has its own story. In summer hair gets lighter, skin gets darker, water gets warmer, the cool drinks get colder, music gets louder and life gets better. Summer always ends with good memories, but for that, we need to plan ahead. Summer Vacation is synonymous with fun, frolic, playing for longer hours with friends, going for picnics, exploring new places and watching fun filled shows on television. But dear children, there is a lot more you can do to make your vacations more interesting, meaningful and full of fun.

DEAR CHILDREN, THIS IS FOR YOU

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- PURSUE YOUR HOBBY---Spend some time on a hobby, learn to play a musical instrument.
- If there is something you are weak in, try and work on weakening that weakness. You will be more confident when you get back to school.
- FUN GAMES---Do not spend time playing video games or using the smart phone, they tend to numb your senses and are a pure mechanical activity. Try playing fun games with your parents/grandparents/siblings like ludo, snakes and ladders etc.
- NURTURE THE NATURE---Spend a little time all by yourself admiring nature. Celebrate World Environment Day on June 5 by planting a sapling and see your bountiful green bloom!
- SPARKLE LIKE A SOCIAL STAR---Do a little social service. Visit an old age home/orphanage and spend time with the senior citizens/orphans. Try to get some sweets for them.
- Set A CHARITY HERO---Sort out your wardrobe. Discard old and unused clothes. Donate them.

Here's a variety of fun-filled activities which you can do during your holidays which will surely prepare you for a better and more fruitful year ahead.

Do them neatly according to the instructions given and submit it to your Teacher after the vacation in a beautiful handmade folder.

(Make a beautiful folder with *handmade sheet* and decorate it using waste material eg. pencil shaving, buttons, beads etc. Superb! Your folder is ready to keep your Holiday Homework activities. Label it and bring it to school).







DEAR PARENTS, THIS IS FOR YOU

- If you have the time and resources, take them on a short holiday,
- * Help them rediscover the simple joys of life. If you are busy at work and cannot spend much time with them, send them off to your native place (assuming there is still someone there) to discover their roots. They will learn to occupy themselves without Wi-Fi or computers.
- Teach your child to be independent while eating his/her food and while using washroom.
- Reserve at least 45 minutes a day just talking to them. Share stories from your childhood (they could be real), listen to their fears and just bond.
- Take them to your office if you can. Let them observe you at work and see how hard you work for the family.
- Let them spend time with their friends doing the usual childhood things.
- Sensure that they read books and not just school books. Get them the story books of their level.
- Let your child bond with the grandparents.

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- Ensure that the family has at least one meal together, and not in front of the television.
- Preschoolers love challenge, and you can use that to your advantage at bedtime. Set a small timer for 15 minutes as a signal for your child to run for the bedroom, change clothes, brush his/her teeth and hop into bed. Your child wins if the timer has not gone off. This will help them understand the importance and value of time and to learn to do their work within the specified time.



Wishing all of you a very enjoyable <u>& fun-packed summer break !</u>

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ACTIVITY-I

KNOW ME

Talk to your parents and ask them to share some special moments or memories they have about you. Based on your sharing, paste your photographs.

Let's get into a <u>TIME-MACHINE</u> and trace your past:

Year 20	Year 20
My <mark>first meeting</mark> with my family	
Year 20	Year 20
My <mark>first t</mark> rip	My first day at
	playschool
	My first meeting with my family Year 20

ACTIVITY - II

LIFE SKILLS

LIFE SKILLS are skills needed to handle daily tasks independently by you, which will smoothen your day to day functioning. Try and get your hands on the following skills during the summer break and let's see where you reach on the last day of the summer vacations by putting a () on the correct place.

Life Skills	I was able to	I was not able to	
Take bath independently.			
Button up your shirt/ dress			
on your own. Tie the shoe laces.			
Finish the meals without any reminders.			
Keep used utensils in the kitchen after eating.			
<i>Fill up the water bottles to keep in the fridge.</i>			
Serve water to others.			
Clean your cupboard. Keep your things at correct			
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ACTIVITY -III Hungry Bells



Plants are the biggest source of food Plants give us fruits, vegetables, pulses, cereals, spices etc. Search on various types of food we get from plants and display your learning through **Foodie-Woodie Mat**

Take one A3 size coloured sheet.

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Draw or paste pictures of different food items we get from plants on one side of the sheet Roll No. 1-9--- fruits and vegetables Roll No. 10-18--- spices Roll No. 19-27—cereals Roll No. 28-36-- pulses Roll no. 37 onwards—dry fruits (Roll no. of your child is mentioned in the Almanac) Write one quote related to healthy food habit on the

other side.

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- 2. Label it and get it laminated.
- 3. Your **Foodie-Woodie Mat** is ready to use during mealtime in school.

ACTIVITY –IV

FATHER'S DAY SURPRISE

INGREDIENTS

- Ice cream (any flavour of your choice)
- Bananas (two)
- Chocolate syrup
- Nuts (cashew nut, almonds)

Methods

- Peel the bananas.
- Slice the bananas (With cutlery knife)
- Take a bowl of your favourite ice-cream.
- Add the sliced bananas in the ice cream bowl and mix gently.



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 Add a spoon of chocolate syrup and garnish with nuts. And your Chocolate Banana Sundae is ready!

Surprise your Mom & Dad on Father's Day with this yummy recipe.

It must have been a moment of joy and pride for you and your parents.

Click a photograph along with your Mom & Dad while enjoying the *Chocolate Banana Sundae* and paste them in your scrap file.

ACTIVITY -V

Grandparents are the blessings

to the future generation

During the summer vacations a warm hug and pampering from your grandparents is something you all are eagerly waiting for. This summer, during your visit to your grandparents' house, try to find out how they had spent their childhood.



Which was your favourite game?

Name of the game	
Number of players	
Outdoor or indoor	
Rules of the game	

Ask your grandparents what all games they used to play in their childhood. Play those games with them and click photos.

Paste these photographs with your grandparents during your visit in the scrap file.

ACTIVITY-VI READING FUN

Books give a soul to the universe, wings to the mind, flight to the imagination, and life to everything.

READ AT LEAST TWO STORY BOOKS AND MAKE 5-6 FLASH CARDS OF THE IMAGES OF THE STORY YOU LIKED THE MOST. AFTER VACATION NARRATE THE STORY IN THE CLASS USING THOSE STORY FLASH CARDS.

EVERY SUMMER HAS ITS OWN STORY

- In the scrap file, paste your photographs to share your special moments during the summer vacation.
- Prepare a "Show and Tell" on it. Learn 5-6 lines describing how and where you spent your vacation and with whom. Let your classmates and your teacher know by speaking about it in the class by showing your scrap file.
- Go through all the work done till now in the class and revise all English and Hindi rhymes, GK and EVS Questionnaire for cycle – 1 Oral Exams in 4th week of July.