



Summer Sizzlers

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Your child has been using Post-it® Super Sticky Notes and Post-it® Word Strips along with Scotch® Magic™ Tape and Scotch® Clear Glue Sticks to review reading and writing skills through a hands-on educational program called Summer Sizzlers. The program was made possible by the 3M Company, which is committed to educating students.

You can help your child build on these skills now and over the summer by trying some of these simple activities using Post-it® Super Sticky Notes (in sizes 3x3 and 4x4), Post-it® Word Strips, Scotch® Magic™ Tape, and Scotch® Clear Glue Sticks.

- **Increase spelling and word recognition skills** by unscrambling letters to make a word. Write individual letters on 3x3 Post-it® Super Sticky Notes, stick them up anywhere around your home and car, and have your child unscramble them to make a word. For example, the letters p p l e a s when arranged spell "apples."
- **Have a scavenger hunt at home** by writing descriptions such as soft or a color word on Post-it® Word Strips. Then have family members draw a word and find an item that represents the word. The first one back with the item wins.
- **Build word families on the refrigerator** by writing common word endings such as at, ime, or old on 4x4 Post-it® Super Sticky Notes. Then have your child write the alphabet letters on other Post-it® Super Sticky Notes and experiment with placing them in front of the endings to make words.
- **Spread some summer cheer to friends and family** by creating decorative cards with a special summer message. Help your child decide who the card is for and what you would like to tell this person. Maybe you want to share a summer trip, wish someone a special day, or tell someone that you miss them. Help your child write their message on the card and then decorate it by attaching more paper or other decorations with Scotch® Magic™ Tape and Scotch® Clear Glue Sticks.
- **Play word games when traveling in the car** by giving your child a pad of 4x4 Post-it® Super Sticky Notes with a word on each. Your child must try to find that word on road signs, trucks, buildings, etc. To add to the challenge, give a number of sightings needed or a time limit. Once the objective is reached or time runs out, your child writes the number of times the word was found on the note and advances to the next one.
- **Capture your family's summer vacation adventure** by having your child create a vacation keepsake that they can hang in their room or place in their scrapbook. Have your child write a short story about their vacation. If your child is younger, ask them to tell you the story as you record it for them. Using Scotch® Magic™ Tape and Scotch® Clear Glue Sticks, decorate the story page with vacation pictures, glitter, construction paper, yarn, etc. Use Scotch® Magic™ Tape to mount the page to the wall or scrapbook.



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