

STOP THE SUMMER SLIDE!

NEED SOME IDEAS TO HELP PREVENT THE "SUMMER SLIDE" IN LITERACY AND MATH?
CHECK OUT THESE FREE AND FUN OPPORTUNITIES!

Madison Public Library

June 1, 9- 12 Read Around the Block Summer Reading Kickoff with Yarbrough's Reptile Show
June 15, 2pm Miss Kit's Bubble Show
June 25, 6pm Cirque du Todd: Juggling, Magic, and Reading Fun
July 20, 2pm Dr. Osborn Magic & Balloon Show
July 26, 4 - 7pm End of Summer Reading Party at Davidson Center

<https://hmcpl.org/branches/madison>

Abcya Educational Games

Abcya.com has fun educational games in all subject areas for grades K-6+.

[Abcya.com](https://www.abcya.com)

Math Facts in A Flash

Practice math fact fluency.

<https://hosted380.renlearn.com/1355888/homeconnect>

Storybird

Storybird curates artwork from illustrators and animators around the world and inspires writers of any age to turn those images into fresh stories. Students can read other's stories and write their own. Free and paid versions for all ages.

[Storybird.com](https://www.storybird.com)

Prodigy Math Game

Prodigy is a curriculum aligned math role-playing game using a Pokemon-style wizardry theme. Students complete math questions to become more powerful and ultimately defeat Crios, Prodigy's main antagonist.

Free. Grades 1-8

[Prodigygame.com](https://www.prodigygame.com)

Story Online

StoryOnline streams videos featuring celebrated actors reading children's books alongside creatively produced illustrations.

www.storylineonline.net

ALSDE Math Challenge

Free math skills program designed for students who have just completed 1st - 8th grades. Parents receive daily emails with fun activities and links to educational resources.

<https://tinyurl.com/summermathchallenge>

Classworks

Classworks is an online individualized learning program. Students can review standards and prepare for the upcoming grade level.

<https://manager.classworks.com/madisoncity.k12.al.us/>

What is the Summer Slide?

SUMMER LEARNING LOSS ISN'T A TEMPORARY PHENOMENON. LOSSES CAN ACCUMULATE OVER YEARS, EVENTUALLY RESULTING IN STUDENTS WHO PERFORM BELOW THEIR GRADE LEVEL. SUMMER LEARNING LOSS IS MUCH LESS PRONOUNCED, IF THERE AT ALL, IN FAMILIES THAT ENROLLED CHILDREN IN CLASSES, TOOK TRIPS TO LOCAL LIBRARIES, PARTICIPATED IN READING PROGRAMS, OR TOOK ADVANTAGE OF OTHER, OFTEN FREE, LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES.