

# BRIDGING TO 3K-*Summer Skills Practice*

Welcome to 3K at FPD!



## Summer Reading:



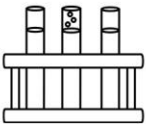
- Reading each day will allow your child to make reading gains over the summer and enter 3K ready to learn!
- Please be sure to check out the 3K summer reading information found on our FPD website.

## Tips for Reading:



- Read different kinds of books.
- Let your child choose their own books. What topics interest them?
- Share with your child books and stories that were some of your own childhood favorites!
- Look for environmental print to read: signs, menus, advertisements, and more!

## Additional Skills to Practice at Home Together:



- Let your child help with simple chores around the house to encourage independence and responsibility.
- Encourage play opportunities with other children. This helps little ones learn the value of sharing and friendship.
- Be clear and consistent. Explaining and demonstrating expected behaviors will help them to be classroom ready.
- Help your child develop good language skills by speaking to him or her in complete sentences and correct words and phrases.
- Help your child work calmly through steps for solving problems when he or she is upset.
- Give your child a limited number of simple choices (for example, deciding what to wear, what to play, what to eat for snack). This is great decision-making practice!

## Summer Reminder:

Please continue to work on potty training! All 3K students must be fully potty trained in order to attend our Wee Viking program.

