

Father Andrew White School 2024 Summer Assignment Instructions

June 4, 2024

Dear FAW Students and Families of Rising Grades 6-8,

Welcome to summer! Again this year, our students have **required** summer assignments. This work is important to support and encourage middle school students' continued engagement in key academic areas and to prevent "summer slide". Current FAW students have already joined their Summer Google Classrooms and the assignments have been posted and explained to them. If you are new to FAW, please contact Mrs. Hinkle (hinkle@fatherandrewwhite.org), to join your Google Classroom and ask any questions about the summer assignments.

Math:

IXL Math assignments are required for Middle School students. Please complete the IXLs assigned to your math level (grade-level or advanced) according to the google classroom assignments. These should be completed to an 85% Smart Score and recorded on the IXL Recording Sheet in the Summer Work Google Classroom.

Literature:

All middle school students are required to read TWO books (one fiction and one nonfiction) and to complete a Google Slide presentation on their FICTION choice. The Google Slide format is in the Summer Google Classroom and directions should be explicitly followed in order to receive the best grade possible for the assignment. Please use the NONFICTION assignment link to record the title and author of your NONFICTION selection so that your teacher will see what you read for this genre. In the Google Classroom, students can find a curated list of recommended books put together by the Archdiocese of Washington. It is a great starting point!

<u>Spanish:</u>

Rising 8th grade students only will have **Spanish** summer work this year. **Please refer to the instructions in the "Spanish" section of the Google Classroom to access the Spanish textbook and complete the review.** This review includes topics that have been covered in 6th and 7th grade to ensure that students are ready for 8th grade Spanish.

Students should submit the assignments to the **Summer Work Google Classroom** and be prepared to share with their class when we return to school in August. All work is due by the first day of school. This will be a graded assignment, so do your best, **read all directions, and use complete sentences and proper grammar.**

If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Hinkle at <u>hinkle@fatherandrewwhite.org</u> at any time.

Thank you and have a great summer,

Mrs. Hinkle