



---

# Summer Reading Words

## Learn these words over the summer...

Hello there! Summer is upon us and along with having a lot of fun, your child needs to keep strong academically, too! Please have your child memorize the following sight words during the summer. Just put them on unlined note cards and put a rubber band around them. Show your child one word the first day. The next day, review that one word and add just one more word. The third day, review the two previous words and add just one more. Continue to do this each day (review old words and add just one new word).

It is an easy way to do it. Once your child has learned all of the words, review the flash cards about twice a week by using them with a game. This way, when school starts, the sight words will be easy for him/her.

**The children will be tested on these words during the first full week of school.** Thanks!



The power of learning!

---

St. Agnes

- 
- ☺ They do not need to know how to spell these words. They just need to be able to read them quickly.

the	color	put	said	draw
there	are	some	was	come
who	do	want	where	any
what	does	you	why	from
of	is	oh	into	to
saw	it	because		

---

## FUTURE FIRST GRADERS

I am looking forward to having your child in my classroom in the fall! I am sure that next year we will see continued success! Below are skills your child should know before entering first grade:

- \* Sound out 3 letter words with short vowel sounds
- \* Count to 100
- \* Write numbers to 50
- \* Be able to tie his/her own shoelaces and be able to zip jacket and button sweaters
- \* Write the upper and lower case letters
- \* Be able to recognize the sounds of the letters of the alphabet
- \* Be able to write first and last name

### You will need to bring the following items to school on the first day (and nothing else):

- **regular** size backpack (**no wheels**)
- 6 pencils (no fat pencils)
- \* 1 bottle of white glue & 2 glue sticks
- 1 highlighter marker (yellow)
- 1 folder that has 2 pockets inside  
The inside pockets should be at the bottom of the folder — not the sides.
- 1 box of tissues for the classroom
- 1 adult size old t-shirt for Art
- 2 3-ring **white** binder  
The binders should be 1/2 inch thick
- \* Make sure that your lunch box, gym clothes, sweatshirts and art shirt have your name on them.
- \* No pencil sharpeners or big binder notebooks
- \* An umbrella with your name on it to leave at school
- \* 1 bottle of Purell for the room
- \* 2 boxes of crayons (16 colors in each box)
- \* 1 zippered pencil pouch (no pencil boxes)
- \* 1 box of 8 colored pencils (Crayola is best)