

# Ideas for Leveraging *i-Ready* Resources in Your Summer Learning Plans

We know that everyone is in a different place, and there is no “one-size-fits-all” as districts navigate implementing summer learning. No matter the structure of your summer program, *i-Ready* has versatile resources to fit your instructional needs.

## Implementation Ideas

### Allow students to work independently on additional instruction and practice

- Students work on their *i-Ready* personalized lessons and Learning Games for 30–49 minutes per subject per week.
- Families and/or educators support students as they track their own progress.
- Educators monitor usage and track and recognize progress throughout the summer, culminating in a larger celebration.

### Provide students the critical instruction to get them ready for the next grade level

- Teachers provide direct instruction on select prioritized skills using Tools for Instruction, resources from the Teacher Toolbox, and/or their core math program.
- Students work on their *i-Ready* lessons, either as informed by their personalized pathway<sup>\*\*</sup> or manually and strategically assigned based on a prescribed scope and sequence.

### Boost foundational reading skills in striving learners

- Teachers or paraprofessionals provide explicit phonics instruction daily following the routine-based Phonics for Reading™ program.
- Students work on their *i-Ready* personalized lessons based on their unique needs informed by the Diagnostic.

## Supports for Teacher-Led Instruction (Grades K–8):

- **Curriculum and Pacing Guidance:** Lists of priority skills to cover for each grade and suggested scope and sequence to help plan instruction in the summer
- **Tools for Instruction and Tools for Scaffolding Comprehension:** Actionable, in-the-moment lesson plans that address challenging skills and standards
- **Teacher Toolbox,<sup>\*\*</sup> *i-Ready Classroom Mathematics*, and *Ready*:** Targeted multimedia resources for focused instruction in Reading, Mathematics, and Writing (Grades 2–5), available digitally and in print
- **Phonics for Reading<sup>\*\*</sup> (Grades 3–12):** A research-based reading intervention program that provides explicit phonics instruction to older students who haven’t yet mastered decoding

## Activities Students Can Do Independently (Grades K–8):

- ***i-Ready Online Lessons (including i-Ready Pro):*** Lessons that provide engaging, explicit instruction and practice that is just right for each student and proven to build their skills for grade-level success
- **Learning Games:** Interactive games that deliver fun, engaging math fluency practice
- **Practice Packets:** Self-directed exercises and practice to reinforce the key concepts of each grade
- **Develop Session Videos<sup>†</sup>:** Assignable videos to help students continue their learning of mathematics

**Note:** If the summer program runs through July 19, 2026 or later, educators and students will see the *i-Ready Diagnostic* renamed as *i-Ready Inform* when logging in to *i-Ready Connect*.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Available for purchase separately from *i-Ready Personalized Instruction*.

<sup>†</sup>*i-Ready Classroom Mathematics* users only.