



## *The Dominican* COMMUNITY of SCHOOLS

### **Rising K-2 Summer Writing Recommendations (optional)**

Keeping a summer journal is a great way to develop writing skills while keeping your work organized. Write about topics below or choose your own topic when you are inspired!

- ❖ **Grades K-1:** Pick 5 and write two or more sentences for each
- ❖ **Grade 2:** Pick 5 and write three or more sentences for each

## Summer Writing Checklists

### *Editing:*

- capital letters
- punctuation
- word choice
- spelling
- makes sense

**\*See the writing prompts on the next page!**

## Writing Prompts

What is your favorite family tradition?	What animal makes the perfect pet?	Write three words that describe who you are, as a person then write about it.	What do good friends do?
Describe a perfect day spent with a friend or family member.	Should there be school on Saturdays?	Explain what you like most about Memphis.	If you could have dinner with a famous person, who would it be?
Pick any animal and describe it.	What is the best day of the week?	Explain why it is important to eat healthy foods.	Describe a time you were brave.
Imagine you are in a book or movie with your favorite character and describe what happens.	Think of next school year. What are you most excited about?	Describe your most valued possession. Explain why it is important to you.	If you had a super power, what would it be? What would you do?
Would you rather live in a secret forest or on a desert island?	Write about the best day you have had since the last day of school.	Explain what you like most about summer vacation.	Explain the steps for building the perfect sandcastle?
What is something you want to learn to do?	Write about a vacation or trip you took.	Explain something that you know how to do well.	Are you the oldest, middle, youngest, or only child in your family?
Choose your own topic and write about it!	Write a letter to someone.	Draw, color, or paint a picture and write to explain your creation.	Which are creepier, snakes or spiders?