

## Math Summer Learning

Summer learning programs (SLP) should support students in building and exploring positive math experiences while developing the essential knowledge and skills that will build readiness for grade-level content in the upcoming year. To achieve this, SLPs should make use of high-quality instructional materials designed to accelerate learning,

## LDOE Zearn Partnership

As part of Louisiana’s continued partnership with Zearn the LDOE will continue to provide every public K-8 school a [school account](#). The [Zearn Summer Intensive Series](#) is a high-quality resource that, when leveraged appropriately by a trained and skillful facilitator acting responsively to student progress throughout the series, can yield strong results for students. Zearn’s [Summer Intensive Series](#) includes lessons for 4-6 weeks of targeted math instruction for rising 1st- through 9th- graders, designed to set the foundation for a strong start for the next school year. Each series includes adaptive digital lessons that students complete independently and resources for teachers and tutors to reinforce and extend learning. The Summer Intensive Series can be used as part of a summer school program, a tutoring program, or outside of school with a parent or caregiver. Schools and systems can access these materials as well as additional features and support through their [school account](#).



- [Access the Series](#)

Educators and leaders can motivate summer math learning with the [Summer Brainy Challenge](#). Ready-to-use materials, including a lesson tracker, certificate, and printable Zearn icons for any grade level or summer program are designed to encourage and celebrate students’ learning with Zearn Math this summer.

- [Download the challenge](#).

Below are answers to common questions about the Summer Intensive Series:

- The content is designed to be used across different lengths and formats of summer school. All of the [content for the Summer Intensive Series](#) has been carefully selected so that students are building the essential mathematics knowledge and skills that will accelerate access to grade-level content in the upcoming school year. We encourage completing as much of the identified content as possible during the time available for SLPs.
- For grades K-8, Zearn’s materials leverage resources and problems from high-quality math curricula.
- Zearn Math is rated “Strong” (Tier 1) by Evidence for ESSA. Independent research by the Center for Research and Reform in Education (CRRE) at Johns Hopkins University found students in Louisiana districts using Zearn with dedicated implementation support significantly outperformed peers on the LEAP math assessment, with statistically significant gains across all student subgroups.

## Support for Families

Families can access these materials by signing up for a no-cost [Individual Account](#) and following the instructions in the [Families Summer Math Pack](#) – as well as Family Guides offered in [English](#) and [Spanish](#). Administrators and teachers can share these packs with parents/caregivers directly.