



KEEP KIDS WRITING ALL SUMMER

- 1. Make the investment in an Instant Print camera. Polaroid and Fuji both offer cool colors and small, lightweight options.**
- 2. Shop together for an assortment of gel pens, stickers, bright colored journal and a lightweight tote to transport all the goodies.**
- 3. Encourage your child to chronicle this post-pandemic summer with text and photos. Not only will it be a celebratory keepsake, but also it is a great “show and tell” for September (and a sure way to impress the teacher!).**
- 4. Use the photos as motivation to journal weekly summer events -- vacations, camps, sleepovers, visitors, outings or any special happening.**

This will keep that writing muscle memory active and avoid the dreaded “summer backslide”. Besides, isn’t this truly a summer to celebrate?