



# DON BOSCO SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL

Plot No. 8, Sector 42A, Nerul, Navi Mumbai 400706

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## Summer Projects for Students

Dear Parents,

We are all looking forward to the month-long summer break. Many of you would be travelling to new places or your hometowns, meeting relatives and making new friends. We would like to take a moment to emphasize the importance of both rest and continued learning during this special time. Vacations provide learners with the opportunity to recharge, explore their interests, and develop important life skills beyond the classroom. It is a time for them to relax, pursue hobbies, spend quality moments with family, and create lasting memories.

In order to maintain a balance between rest and educational growth, we have designed a set of engaging summer projects for all grade levels. These projects are thoughtfully curated to encourage creativity, critical thinking, and real-world application of Math and English skills **as the focus of the academic year 25-26 is 'Playing with Words' and 'The Magic of Numbers'**.

The projects aim to keep students' minds active while allowing them to enjoy the freedom and joy of summer.

We encourage you to support your child in completing these projects at a comfortable pace. Your involvement and encouragement will make a significant difference in making this a rewarding experience for them.

The projects can be submitted to the Class Teachers on 10<sup>th</sup> of June when learners return to school. There will be a presentation session in the class for them to share their experiences. Experiential learning is not confined to the classrooms so we believe that each experience will be a life lesson. These will also be displayed for parents at the next open day.

Should any student want to use the school laboratories for conducting experiments, they need to inform the reception and their Science teacher for approval from the Management.

Let's encourage curiosity and innovative thinking this summer and in the year ahead. Learners can use technology under the parents' supervision only. Students can choose any two projects out of the four.

Thank you for your continuous support and partnership in your child's educational journey.

Wishing you all a wonderful and refreshing summer!

Warm regards,

*Kalyani Chaudhuri*  
Principal



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- Submission Date – 10<sup>th</sup> June 2025
- Sharing Time – 10<sup>th</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> June 2025

- Write / type and print on A4 size paper or use a thin scrap book. Keep it brief – only one or two papers.
- Have a margin on all four sides
- Mention your name, class, division and roll number at the bottom
- Neat work and good handwriting is appreciated
- If using a presentation, four to five slides are enough. Give it to your teacher in a pen-drive. Use a new presentation tool other than power-point.

Class	Project 1	Project 2	Project 3	Project 4
1-3	<b>Nature Journal:</b> Walk in your neighbourhood. Collect flowers and leaves. Keep them under something heavy and let them dry. Paste in a notebook. Keep a daily journal by drawing or writing about plants, animals, and the weather you observe.	<b>Storybook Creation:</b> Write and illustrate your own short storybook. Create your own cartoon strip. Give it an interesting name.	<b>Math Hunt:</b> Find and photograph examples of shapes and numbers in everyday life.	<b>Poetry Fun:</b> Write simple rhyming poems about favourite things or summer activities.
4-6	<b>Math in Real Life:</b> Create a scrapbook showing how Math is used in shopping, cooking, sports, etc.	<b>Science Experiment Diary:</b> Do simple experiments (like growing a plant) and record observations.	<b>Math Puzzle Book:</b> Create a booklet with original Math puzzles or riddles and solutions.	<b>Book Review Collection:</b> Read two books and write a review for each, explaining why others should read them.
7-9	<b>Community Service Project:</b> Volunteer (or create awareness campaigns) in your neighbourhood addressing the issues being faced by people currently and write a reflection on the experience.	<b>Build a Mini Business:</b> Plan and "run" a mini business like a lemonade stand or craft shop, tracking expenses and profits.	<b>Statistics Project:</b> Collect real-world data (like favourite sports or foods) and create graphs to display findings.	<b>Short Story Challenge:</b> Write a short story each week based on a new theme or prompt. Start maintaining a Gratitude journal.
10-12	<b>Research and Presentation:</b> Research a topic of interest and create a video or slideshow presentation.	<b>Creative Writing Portfolio:</b> Write a collection of short stories, poems, or essays on different themes of daily life during your summer vacation.	<b>Financial Literacy Project:</b> Create a budget plan for a real or imaginary event, calculating all costs and savings.	<b>Essay Writing Mastery:</b> Write persuasive essays on current issues or debates, with clear arguments and counterarguments.

