

### Summer Assignments

To help prepare you for the upcoming year in 8<sup>th</sup> Grade English, I have assigned *Exercises in English* workbook pages and IXL exercises. These lessons will help reinforce what you have previously learned. They will also help prepare you for the High School Placement Test (HSPT).

**Due Date:** All assignments will be **due in August**.

**Materials:**

1. *Voyages in English Grade 7* workbook pages
2. IXL exercises available at IXL.com

**Required Assignments:**

1. **Voyages in English:** The workbook exercises are listed in the table, below. I have included the subject (column 1) and the workbook page you need to complete (column 2). If you need to refresh your knowledge on the subject, I have also included the page number where the definition is found (column 3) in the workbook's Handbook of Terms.

Subject	Workbook Page
Coordinating conjunctions	103
Subordinate conjunctions	106
Troublesome conjunctions	107
Periods	111
Comma	111
Quotation Marks/Italics	113
Capitalization	115
Review Participles, Transitive and Intransitive Verbs, Direct Objects, Indirect Objects, and Objects of Prepositions	Do IXL exercises with these subjects

2. **IXL Exercises** (IXL Language Arts – Grade 7): These exercises will help you build your vocabulary.  
Note: To complete the assignment, **you must achieve a SmartScore of 80 on each lesson**. The following IXL.com exercises are assigned:

P.5 - prefixes  
P.8 - suffixes  
Q.1 – Greek and Latin Roots  
Q.2 – Greek and Latin Roots  
Q.3 – Greek and Latin Roots  
Q.4 – Greek and Latin Roots  
U.1- Analogies  
U.2 –Analogies

Thank you for working hard.

Peace,

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