



**Somerville Early Education
Summer Curriculum**



Unit 1 Big Idea: Summer Means Outdoor Fun! Be sure to spend as much time as possible outdoors

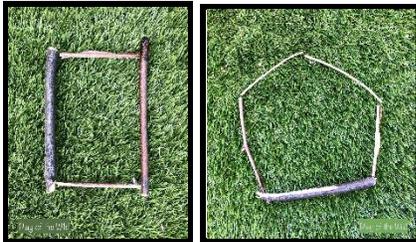
Anchor Text: Read or revisit this unit's book daily Jabari Jumps By: Gaia Cornwall or Jabari Salta Por: Gaia Cornwall

Math	Literacy	Play
<p>Practice counting carefully and saying the total amount by...</p> <p>Put your number bottle cap collection in a bag. If you don't have a collection write the numbers 1-10 on another loose part. Shake the bag, take one bottlecap out, say the number and jump that many times.</p> 	<p>Practice building connections between books and your own experiences by...</p> <p>Read the book: Jabari Jumps Or Jabari Salta</p> <p>When did you try to do something new?</p> <p>What helped you feel ready?</p> <p>Tell someone the story or draw it!</p>	<p>Practice curiosity by exploring the world around you by...</p> <p>Jabari went to a pool to jump into the water. How can you explore water where you are?</p> <p>Outdoor Ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • After a rain shower explore puddles. • Paint the sidewalk, a wall or fence with water. Use a brush, a broom, or a piece of fabric. <p>Indoor Ideas</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make bubbles using a straw, a whisk and other household items. • Race water drops using an eye dropper or spoon, a straw and wax paper.
<p>Practice naming, matching, and writing numbers by....</p> <p>Number Maze. Ask an older sibling, or adult for help. Use chalk to draw a grid. In the grid write the numbers 1-10 or 1-20. You can write a number more than once.</p> <p>Start at 1, then jump to 2, then 3 until you get to the final number. Say each number out loud.</p>	<p>Practice playing with patterns of sound by....</p> <p><i>working on initial phonemes (sounds)</i></p> <p>Jabari and Jump both start with J. Make a collection of items that start with the /j/ sound from the letter J.</p>	<p>Practice playing independently by...</p> <p>Fill up a basin or storage container with water and some soap and wash your toys.</p> <p>Work on your own for as long as you can.</p>



Practice finding, building and naming shapes by.....

Collect items in nature and build shapes with them (sticks, leaves, pinecones, rocks).
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCfoHDGn2PUjnwXb8rvN_Z7w



Can you make a circle? Square? Triangle? Rectangle? Trapezoid? Hexagon?

Shapes are everywhere. Find and name shapes when you are out and about in your neighborhood.

Practice finding and making words by.....

What letter does your name start with? What motion also starts with the same letter? Write your name and the motion word, then draw a picture.

Example: Carlos crawls.

Practice being helpful and helping others by....

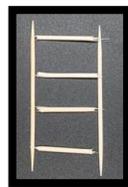
Help around the house.
 Help to pick up your toys, set the table, and wash the dishes.



Practice collecting and sorting objects into sets. Compare and describe collections by....

Collect straight line items (toothpicks, q-tips, pens, etc.) Make a tall, tall ladder. Describe what you made.

How many rungs (steps) are on your



ladder?

Practice drawing stories and writing about yourself by....

Jabari was learning how to jump off a diving board. Draw a picture of something you are learning to do this summer.

Write your name and some words you know.

Tell your story to an older sibling or adult and ask them to write it down.

Practice recognizing and naming feelings by.....

Jabari felt a little scared and took a deep breath to be calm and ready. What do you do when you are scared?

At the end of the story, Jabari felt proud. What can you do that makes you feel proud?

Recommended Apps:		
For letter formation and letter sound practice: ABC kids		
For kindle: https://www.amazon.com/RV-AppStudios-ABC-Kids-Tracing/dp/B01KJWUOKE		
For IPAD: https://apps.apple.com/us/app/abc-kids-tracing-phonics/id1112482869		
Recommended Websites:		
For outdoor chalk fun and games: https://whatmomslove.com/kids/sidewalk-chalk-ideas/		