



The Simply Summer Bucket List

A Parent's Guide

You don't need lavish vacations to have a memorable summer! Simple activities can turn into exciting adventures when your child helps plan them. This resource is designed to help you and your child create a personalized summer bucket list—a fun and meaningful way to spark creativity, set summer goals, and encourage independence!





Why should I Create a Bucket List with my Family?

- **Empowerment & Ownership:** Kids feel a sense of pride and excitement when they help plan their own adventures.
- **Meaningful Connection:** Gain insight into what your child values and looks forward to.
- **Built-in Boredom Buster:** When the "I'm bored!" moments hit, simply revisit your list.
- **Reflection & Growth:** Reflect on the fun you've had and celebrate small wins together.

How to use this Resource:

- Sit down with your child and brainstorm fun, realistic summer activities. Think big and small—everything counts!
 - Example ideas: have a picnic, go on a nature walk, make homemade popsicles, visit a splash pad, build a blanket fort.
- Write your ideas on the "My Summer Bucket List" page.
- Decorate it! Make this a fun craft by turning it into a poster with stickers, drawings, or magazine clippings.
- Display it somewhere visible (fridge, bedroom wall, family message board).
- Check things off as you go—and celebrate the memories made!
- Optional: Revisit the list weekly to reflect on what you've done and talk about what's coming next.

Have a summer full of joy, discovery, and family fun!

My Summer Bucket List



	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	
	

