



#### **TEACHER NOTES:**

This cut-and-paste exercise prioritizes student choice, can be differentiated for various ages, and is flexible enough to assign however and whenever you want! Students will reflect and build on their reading habits and interests as they create their own paper sundaes with ice cream scoops for topics/genres and three different toppings for types of reading activities.

After assembling their sundaes on the last page of this packet, students can discard the scraps and submit their one-page project. Each sundae will be unique, especially if you encourage students to color and decorate the final product!

This is a great project to close out the school year and assign over summer break to motivate students to keep reading. If you are in contact with the next grade-level teacher team, see if they would be interested in having students bring their ice cream sundaes to the first day of school to introduce themselves and start building a classroom community!

Looking for an objective to write on the board? Here is what we recommend:

**Objective:** We will be able to explore various texts and reading activities to discover our favorite genres and topics.

(Detach this page before making copies for students.)



# Complete the questions with information about yourself! Then cut and paste the banana and plate onto the last page within the dotted lines. What do you like to do for fun?

#### What do you like to learn about?

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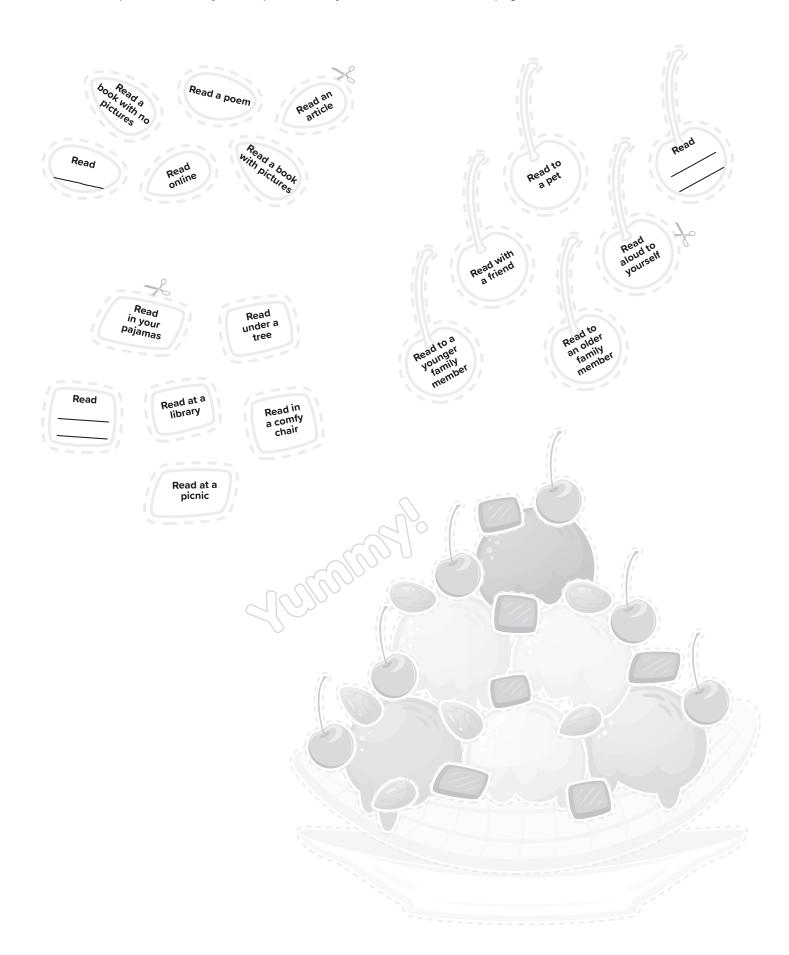
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### My Reading Flavors!

Paste your sundae bowl and banana in the outlined space below and build your ice cream creation!

