



How to Work Independently on Extension Activities

- ✓ Listen to the teacher's lesson if you are required to do so.
- ✓ Ask any questions you have about the lesson while it is being taught.
- ✓ Do the problems or activities you are asked to do.
- ✓ When you are allowed to, select an extension activity.
- ✓ Work on the extension activity for the rest of this period.
- ✓ Working with a partner is okay; if you need help, ask your partner for help first.
- ✓ Follow the Essential Rules for Independent Work at all times.
- ✓ Check the answers if they are available.
- ✓ If you need to talk to the teacher, let her or him know in an agreed upon way so that you do not interrupt instruction.
- ✓ If you finish early, either select another activity or make a more difficult version of the one on which you have been working.
- ✓ If you are working in math, make up some more difficult problems just like the ones the class is working on, or create some word problems for others to solve.
- ✓ Complete the necessary record keeping.
- ✓ File your extension work in the required location.