

## Summer Arrives

The month of June, means the end of school,  
Children anxiously awaiting,  
The beginning of the summer vacation.  
Not only a break from school,  
But time to have some fun, too.

Go to the beach, play wiffle ball,  
Play board games or cards  
With friends, it's your call.  
Over sixteen, looking for a summer job,  
To help earn some spending cash,

Eat corn on the cob.  
Take a hike to the top of the nob\*,  
Tennis? maybe practice your lob.  
Lets go off to summer camp,  
Ride a canoe, swim, fish, learn to read a map.

But, for some reason, people may like to golf.  
The birds should be out of the nest,  
Mommy and Daddy bird can take a rest.  
Jr. must now do his best.  
In the city they'll be dancing in the street.

Jumping rope with clever movements with their feet.  
Shoot the hoop to reek the twines,  
In the good old summertime.  
The bees should be making honey,  
The bee keeper collecting honey and money.

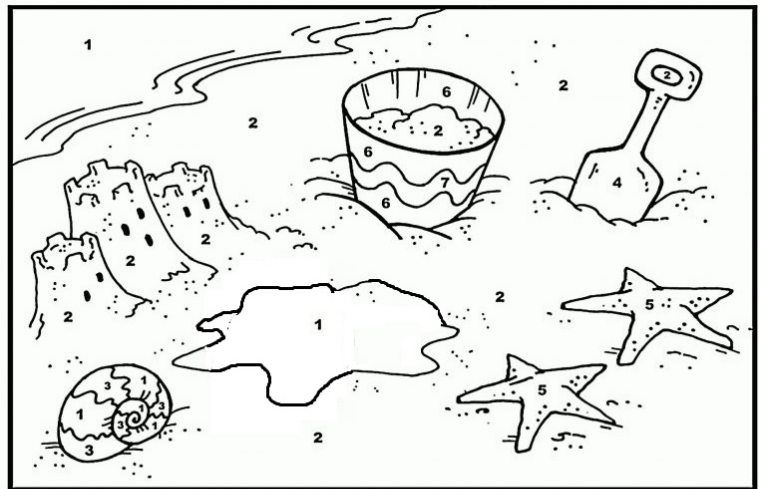
Other crops may have been harvested,  
Or ripening such as different kinds of, berries.

In the Eastern USA we have Appalachian range,  
To experience lots of these things.

The White Mountains, Green Mountains,  
Berkshires,  
Adirondack Mountains, or Catskills, Pocano's,  
Allegheny Range,  
Blue Ridge Mountains, and Green Smokey's.  
Go to the beach, Activities in the streets,  
Or in the great outdoors, It's all there to explore.

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\* *Bald Knob Hiking Trail, A winding trail along a ledge with excellent views of the valley. Near Moultonborough, New Hampshire.*



1 - Light Blue 2 - Tan 3 - Pink  
4 - Green 5 - Orange 6 - Red 7 - Yellow



**Bald Knob - A 5 mile NH hiking trail.**

Bald Knob is a ledge on the side of Turtleback Mountain, in the Ossipee Range. Sweeping one-directional views of Lake Winnepesaukee are found from this rocky outcrop, located within LRCT† conservation lands. The trail begins at a parking area for the Shannon Brook Trail. Cross the road to the trailhead and follow this trail, a wide dirt trail that follows Shannon Brook. The brook is in a ravine far below the trail, but you can walk down a short spur path to access some small cascades. After just 0.7 miles of following the river, turn right to head uphill on Bald Knob Cutoff. This trail is moderately steep and winding. About halfway up, the trail passes a small clearing with a limited view.

When the trail ends in one mile, turn right onto Bald Knob Trail and walk a short distance along a former carriage road to the ledge. From the broad ledge is found a wide vista to the southwest encompassing the area surrounding Lake Winnepesaukee. There is a wooden viewing platform on top, but it is not needed to obtain the gorgeous view. Lake Winnepesaukee across a large portion of the landscape, with the Belknap Range in the background. To the right, on a small hill nearby, you can see Castle in the Clouds. Red Hill is also seen to the right, in the distance.

Find this at: [www.nhfamilyhikes.com](http://www.nhfamilyhikes.com).

†Lakes Region Conservation Trust <https://lrct.org/>

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