



Build the Perfect Ice Cream Sundae

Summer is the perfect time for sweet treats!

Imagine yourself walking into your favorite ice cream shop. Today, you get to be the sundae maker. But there’s a twist: you only have \$5 to spend. That means you need to choose carefully and make smart money decisions.

Before you start building your ice cream sundae, there are a few important money words you need to know.



MENU

Ice cream (1 scoop)....	\$2.00
Chocolate syrup.....	\$0.50
Sprinkles	\$0.25
Whipped cream	\$0.50
Cherries	\$0.25
Cookie crumbs.....	\$1.00
Banana slices.....	\$0.75

- Your **budget** is the amount of money you can spend at the ice cream shop.
- The **cost** is the price of each scoop or topping.
- You’ll add up all the costs to get to the **total price** of your sundae.

Use the menu to help you decide how to spend your \$5 to build the perfect ice cream sundae.



The Story of the Piggy Bank

Have you ever wondered why you put your money into a little pig? The piggy bank began long before people had real banks or metal safes. Back then, families kept their extra coins in jars made from a special orange clay called “pygg.” These jars weren’t shaped like animals at all. They were just simple clay pots used for saving money.

As years passed, the word “pygg” started to sound just like “pig.” When people asked potters to make “pygg banks,” some misunderstood and began creating pig-shaped banks. Kids loved them, and soon the idea spread to many countries.

Pigs were also seen as symbols of good luck and plenty. A full pig meant a family had enough food—and a full piggy bank meant you were saving for something special.

Every time you drop a coin into your piggy bank, you join a tradition that started with a clay jar and a funny mistake.



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Summer Word Scramble

Unscramble the letters below to reveal summer-themed words.

1. nySnu

2. Htea

3. ahceB

4. sthSro

5. aFn

6. olPo

7. Cpma

Solution:
1. Sunny; 2. Heat; 3. Beach;
4. Shorts; 5. Fan; 6. Pool
7. Camp



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**Winners of the
Kids Club Spring
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We drew a random entry to choose a winner who would receive a \$10 deposit to their [Kids Savings](#) account. Congratulations to the winners!

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Age 4

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Age 4

Sophia O.
Age 5

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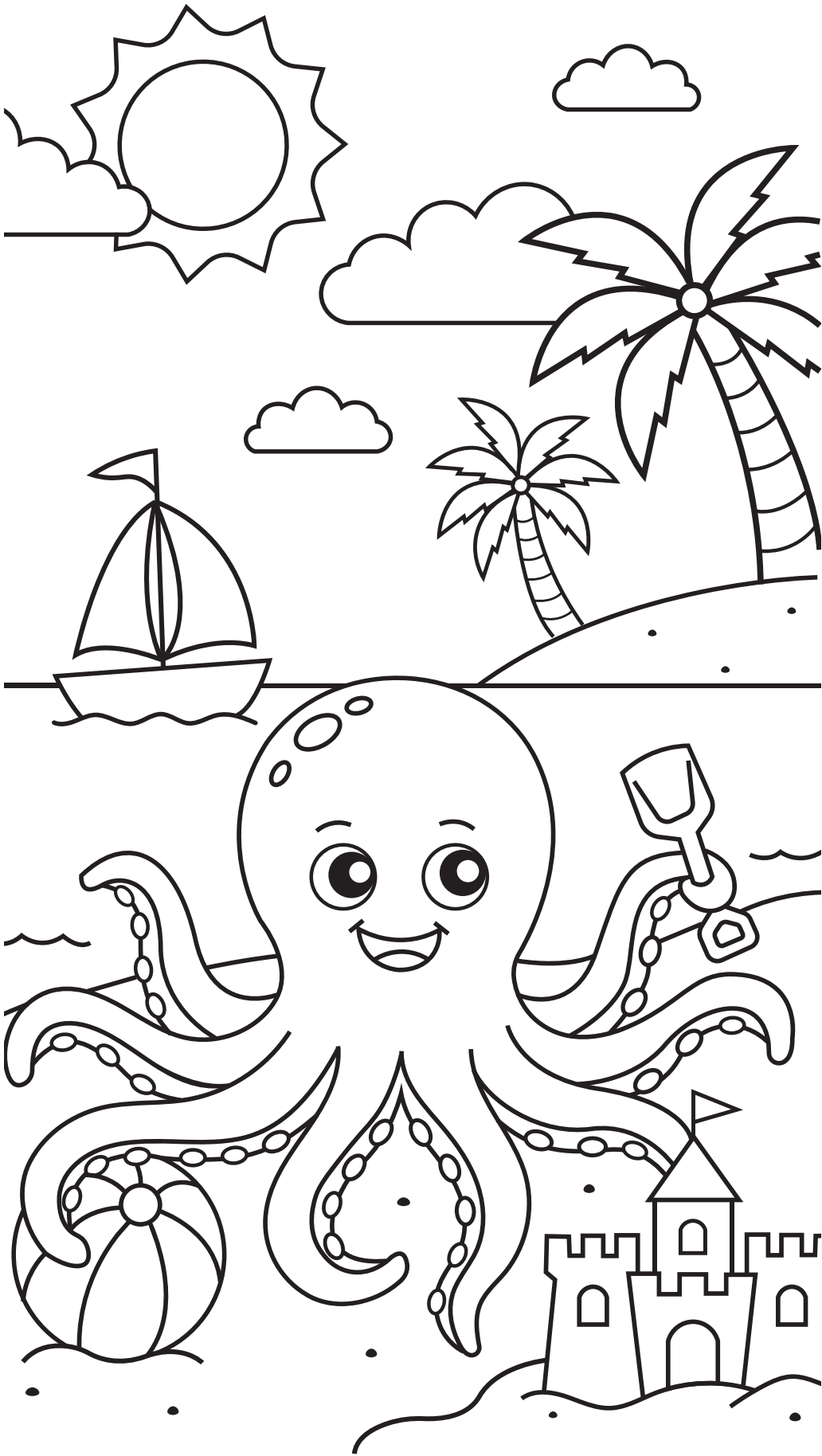
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Summer Coloring Contest

Color this image and send your artwork to us. You'll automatically be entered into a drawing for a \$10 deposit to your [Kids Savings](#) account and have your name appear in the next newsletter.



DEADLINE: August 31, 2026

Mail your entry to:
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