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10 make a reading buddy

The breathing room during school break is a great time to focus on charity and compassion. To help your kid give back in a way she can understand, check out the programs from Family-to-Family, such as One Book at a Time, which is similar to a pen-pal arrangement. Your kid donates one of her favorite books each month and writes a letter about it to a child whose family can't afford books. That child is encouraged to write back to your family, so everyone's reading and writing improves. Find out more at family-to-family.org.