

Daily Fun with Your Little One!

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



Help your child get ready to learn to read!

Each day features a fun activity that will help your child build pre-reading skills. Activities are color-coded by skill. Ask your children's librarian for more ideas on how to promote early literacy skills with daily activities at home.

1 Reading

It's Author's Day. Head to your local library and help your child pick out a book by his favorite author.

2 Play

It's Play Outside Day. Visit a local park and play outside.

3 Writing

It's Sandwich Day. Encourage your child to draw a delicious sandwich with all his favorite toppings.

4 Math

Take a walk around your neighborhood and encourage your child to count the number of pumpkins still on porches. How many are there?

5 Stories

It's Election Day. Ask your child what she would do if she were elected President of the United States.

6 Play

Rake a pile of leaves together for your child to jump in!

7 Songs

Create a song with your child about her favorite things to do in November.

8 Science

It's STEAM Day. Find a simple, age-appropriate STEAM project to complete with your child.

9 Stories

It's Adoption Day. Ask your child to tell you a story about a family adopting a pet for the first time.

10 Reading

It's Picture Book Month. Take a trip to your local library with your child and ask him to pick out three picture books to read.

11 Rhymes

Ask your child to name as many words as she can think of that rhyme with "food."

12 Sounds

Walk around your neighborhood with your child and listen to the crunching leaves.

13 Writing

It's World Kindness Day. Ask your child to share examples of being kind to others.

14 Play

Head outside and play a game of hide-and-seek. Who can find the best hiding spot?

15 Sounds

Ask your child what sounds a turkey makes. Encourage him to do his best turkey impression with you.

16 Math

It's Button Day. Take a cup of different-sized buttons and have your child count the number of total buttons in the cup.

17 Science

It's Homemade Bread Day. Together, bake a loaf of bread and watch it rise. Then, explain why bread rises in the oven.

18 Writing

It's Aviation History Month. Work with your child to draw a picture of her own private airplane or helicopter.

19 Science

Head outside and collect leaves. Ask your child why he thinks some leaves fall off the trees and change color before winter.

20 Stories

Encourage your child to tell you a story about an animal getting ready for hibernation. What do they need to do to prepare?

21 Sounds

It's World Hello Day. Listen to "Hello" in a few different languages with your child and practice saying these words together.

22 Reading

Celebrate the changing season by reading *In November* by Cynthia Rylant, illustrated by Jill Kastner.

23 Math

It's Fibonacci Day. Explore this sequence in nature by looking at seashells, flowers, and other objects.

24 Writing

Help your child to draw a picture of a turkey using her fingers as feathers.

25 Math

Hide pictures of turkeys around your home and send your child on a scavenger hunt. Ask him to count how many he finds.

26 Math

It's Cake Day. Bake a cake with your child and let her help you measure out the different ingredients.

27 Stories

Tomorrow is Red Planet Day. Ask your child to tell you a story about visiting Mars. What would he discover?

28 Writing

It's Thanksgiving! Encourage your child to draw his favorite foods of the holiday.

29 Writing

Help your child list what she is thankful for and what makes her happy.

30 Reading

Pick out a few of your child's favorite books and find a cozy spot for story time together.

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