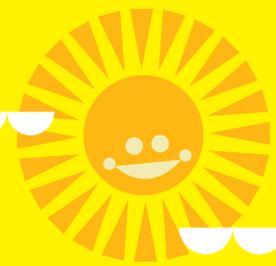




November 2016

Reading Activity Calendar (ages 0-5)



Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

		<p>1 Family Literacy Day Celebrate by having each family member share a favorite story.</p>	<p>2 It's Native American Heritage month. Read a book about American Indians.</p>	<p>3 RIF's 50th Birthday Celebrate RIF's birthday by having your child pick their favorite book to read today.</p>	<p>4 Read a poem about fall to your child today or make up a poem together.</p>	<p>5 Talk about the pictures in your child's favorite book. Draw some of your own!</p>
<p>6 Make bird feeders. Cover paper tubes with peanut butter and roll in bird seed. Place on branches.</p>	<p>7 Learn about W today. Go for a walk and talk about wind, woods and wildlife.</p>	<p>8 Election Day Tell your child about election day and the importance of voting.</p>	<p>9 In honor of Lois Ehlert's birthday, read <i>Leaf Man</i> and then collect leaves and construct a leaf person.</p>	<p>10 Talk about the number 11. Find 11 acorns outside. How many have caps? No caps?</p>	<p>11 Veterans Day Do you know anyone in the military? Have your child draw a picture to thank them for their service.</p>	<p>12 Teach your child to make a favorite meal from your childhood. Talk about why it is your favorite.</p>
<p>13 Read a book by Mo Willems or another author today.</p>	<p>14 Play letter spy. Help your child find something that starts with each letter in his or her name?</p>	<p>15 Look for things that are yellow today. Are all the yellow items the same shade? Compare them.</p>	<p>16 Play pick up sticks. See how many sticks your child can pick up in 30 seconds. Count, and then try again.</p>	<p>17 Have a snack that your child can count today like apple wedges, orange slices or pretzels.</p>	<p>18 Look for the letter W today at the grocery store.</p>	<p>19 Visit the library and ask the librarian to help find books about Thanksgiving.</p>
<p>20 Read <i>Giving Thanks</i> by Chief Jake Swamp. Talk about why the earth is so important.</p>	<p>21 Introduce your child to the word <i>cornucopia</i>. Talk about how it is a symbol for Thanksgiving.</p>	<p>22 Find a cozy spot to cuddle up with a good book and read with your child.</p>	<p>23 Make pies out of play dough. What type of filling is inside the pie?</p>	<p>24 Thanksgiving Help your child list all the things he or she is thankful for. Share the list with the family at dinner.</p>	<p>25 Look at family photos with your child. Tell your child a special story about someone.</p>	<p>26 X marks the spot. Place the letter x in different places around the room. How many can your child find?</p>
<p>27 It's Kevin Henkes birthday. Read any book by this author today.</p>	<p>28 Talk to your child about animals that live underwater.</p>	<p>29 Snuggle up at bedtime and read your child two books tonight.</p>	<p>30 Talk to your child about different jobs. Do they know what they want to be?</p>			

