

September | Early Literacy

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	 <div>LOVE MAXIMIZE LOVE MANAGE STRESS</div>	 <div>TALK SING AND POINT</div>	 <div>COUNT GROUP AND COMPARE</div>	 <div>PLAY EXPLORE THROUGH MOVEMENT AND PLAY</div>	 <div>READ AND DISCUSS STORIES</div>	
				1 Find some sticks, pine cones and outdoor materials to make a house. Who lives there?	2 Read under a blanket with a flashlight.	3 Use play dough to create the perfect pretend meal.
4 Have a picnic inside or outside.	5 At bedtime, sing a song together and talk about what you did today.	6 While you listen to music, use an empty container and spoon to drum out the beat.	7 Look at pictures of farm animals and talk about what sounds they make.	8 While dinner is being made, close your eyes and describe what you hear and smell.	9 Staple some pieces of paper together and make a book about your favorite things.	10 Visit the library!
11 Fill a bag with various items and have someone else reach in and guess what they are.	12 Go to the park and talk about locations like up, down, around, under, in, out, etc.	13 Say a rhyme like "Hickory Dickory Dock." Say it in a high voice and a low voice.	14 Go on a letter hunt and see what letter shapes you can find in the world around you.	15 Dress up and pretend you are a veterinarian. Do check-ups on your stuffed animals.	16 When reading a rhyming book, pause and see if your child can guess the word.	17 Go on a nature walk outside. What can you find that's green?
18 Read a book by looking at the pictures. What is happening in the story?	19 Use yarn and tape to make an obstacle course in the hallway.	20 Sing the alphabet song.	21 Look outside and point and count the number of trucks you see.	22 Pretend you are going to the zoo. What animal noises can you make?	23 Read a favorite book and pretend to be a character from the book.	24 Visit the library!
25 Blow bubbles outside. Pop them with different parts of your body.	26 Create a picture together using things you see outside.	27 Sing "Old McDonald."	28 Play with a balloon. Count how many times you can hit it before it hits the ground.	29 Use a cardboard box to make a rocket ship.	30 Read a book and then watch the movie. Talk about what is different.	