



# February 2014

## EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
						1 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">My Heart Is Like A Zoo</a></i> by Michael Hall
2 <b>Talk</b> About the people you love and why you love them.	3 <b>Write</b> Draw hearts on scrap paper and cut them out.	4 <b>Play</b> "I Spy" and look for different shapes.	5 <b>Sing</b> <i><a href="#">"I Love You, You Love Me"</a></i>	6 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">Honey, I Love</a></i> by Eloise Greenfield	7 <b>Talk</b> About things you love to do with your friends and family.	8 <b>Write</b> Ask your child to draw a picture of their best friend.
9 <b>Play</b> Hide and Seek with a favorite stuffed animal or doll.	10 <b>Sing</b> To your child during diaper changes.	11 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">A Kiss Means I Love You</a></i> by Kathryn Madeline Allen	12 <b>Talk</b> About ways to show love and kindness to others.	13 <b>Write</b> Make a Valentine's Day card.	14 <b>Play</b> Follow the Leader	15 <b>Sing</b> <i><a href="#">"The More We Get Together"</a></i>
16 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">Huggy Kissy</a></i> by Leslie Patricelli	17 <b>Talk</b> Have your child babble or talk on the phone with their grandparents.	18 <b>Write</b> Make a finger painting.	19 <b>Play</b> Simon Says	20 <b>Sing</b> <i><a href="#">"If You're Happy and You Know It"</a></i>	21 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">Little Blue and Little Yellow</a></i> by Leo Lionni	22 <b>Talk</b> Point to different objects and name their colors.
23 <b>Write</b> Use pipe cleaners to make shapes and letters.	24 <b>Play</b> Have a dance party.	25 <b>Sing</b> <i><a href="#">"Skinny Marinky Dinky Dink"</a></i>	26 <b>Read</b> <i><a href="#">Little You</a></i> by Richard Van Camp	27 <b>Talk</b> Look out the window and describe what you see.	28 <b>Write</b> Tear up junk mail and make a collage.	

### February Highlights

- Visit your [local neighborhood library](#) today!
- Check out this year's [Youth Media Award winners](#).
- View upcoming [Children's Events and Activities](#) at Free Library.
- Read some great [Valentine's Day children's books](#).
- [Sundays on Stage](#) is fun for the whole family!