



June 2014

EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
1 Read <u><i>Mama, Is It Summer Yet?</i></u> By Nikki McClure	2 Talk About your summer plans.	3 Write Make a list of fun outdoor activities.	4 Play Hopscotch	5 Sing <u><i>"Five Green and Speckled Frogs"</i></u>	6 Read <u><i>A Closer Look</i></u> by Mary McCarthy	7 Talk About things that are close and things that are far away.
8 Write Look at an alphabet book together and trace the letters with your finger.	9 Play Fill empty bottles with rice or beans and shake, shake, shake!	10 Sing <u><i>"Mary, Mary Quite Contrary"</i></u>	11 Read <u><i>Blue Sky</i></u> by Audrey Wood	12 Talk Go outside, look up, and describe what you see.	13 Write Draw a picture of clouds in a sunny sky.	14 Play Dump out the recycling bin and make a sculpture.
15 Sing <u><i>"The More We Get Together"</i></u>	16 Read Visit your <u>neighborhood library</u> and sign up for <u>Summer Reading!</u>	17 Talk Share a summer memory from your childhood.	18 Write Make a summer reading list.	19 Play Follow the Leader.	20 Sing <u><i>"The Alphabet Song"</i></u>	21 Read <u><i>Green Is a Chile Pepper</i></u> by Roseanne Thong
22 Talk About the color and aroma of food while cooking.	23 Write Design a menu that includes summer fruit and vegetables.	24 Play Make <u>Play Doh</u>	25 Sing Along to the radio.	26 Read <u><i>Hot City</i></u> by Barbara Joose	27 Talk Say words that rhyme with June.	28 Write Ask your child to tell you a story. Write it down and have them illustrate it.
29 Play Make paper bag puppets and play with them.	30 Sing <u><i>"The Green Grass Grew All Around"</i></u>					



- Help us read 30-Million-Minutes in this year's Summer Reading challenge!
- Visit your local neighborhood library today!
- Stop by one of our many daily storytimes for children!
- View upcoming Children's Events and Activities at Free Library!
- Sundays on Stage is fun for the whole family!