



March 2014

EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
						1 Read <i>Green Eggs & Ham</i> by Dr. Seuss
2 Talk About your favorite Dr. Seuss character.	3 Write Make a birthday card for Dr. Seuss.	4 Play Make Green Eggs & Ham by adding food coloring, spinach, or kale.	5 Sing <i>"Happy Birthday to You"</i>	6 Read <i>The Cat in the Hat</i> by Dr. Seuss	7 Talk About Daylight Saving Time.	8 Write Draw pictures of what it looks like outside during daytime & night time.
9 Play Pretend "Wake Up" and "Night, Night" games before bedtime.	10 Sing <i>"Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"</i>	11 Read <i>Good Night Philadelphia</i> by Adam Gamble & Kelly Cooper	12 Talk About how Spring and warmer weather are coming soon (March 20 th).	13 Write A list of fun activities you will do when Spring arrives.	14 Play Fill the tub with water, add kitchen containers & utensils, and pretend you are at the pool.	15 Sing <i>"Mr. Golden Sun"</i>
16 Read <i>St. Patrick's Day</i> by Anne Rockwell	17 Talk About four-leaf clovers & the colors of the rainbow.	18 Write Draw a rainbow using all your favorite colors	19 Play Find green objects, name them, & place them on the table.	20 Sing <i>"The Ants Go Marching One By One"</i>	21 Read <i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i> by Eric Carle	22 Talk About insects you will see in the Spring.
23 Write Cut egg carton in half, paint it, draw eyes, & add a pipe cleaner antenna for an insect.	24 Play Pretend to be a hungry caterpillar nibbling on lettuce.	25 Sing <i>"I'm Bringing Home My Baby Bumble Bee"</i>	26 Read <i>In Like a Lion, Out Like a Lamb</i> by Marion Dane Bauer	27 Talk About March coming in like a lion and going out like a lamb.	28 Write Cut a lamb shape out of paper, glue cotton balls on, & attach a stick to make a puppet.	29 Play Pretend to be a lion and then a lamb.
30 Sing <i>"Mary Had a Little Lamb"</i>	31 Read <i>Mary Had a Little Lamb</i> by Mary Anne Hoberman					



- Grab a book and join in on [Read Across America Day](#), March 3.
- Visit your [local neighborhood library](#) today!
- Check out these [Read Baby Read](#) book selections.
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- [Sundays on Stage](#) is fun for the whole family!