



May 2017

EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1 Write Make a picture using only green and blue crayons.	2 Sing Make up a song about rainbows.	3 Talk Go on a Color Scavenger Hunt. What do you see that is red?	4 Play Make a tower out of popsicle sticks, cardboard tubes, or other things around the house.	5 Read <u><i>I Am Latino: The Beauty in Me</i></u> by Sandra L. Pinkney	6 Write Practice writing the alphabet.
7 Sing <u>"The Alphabet Song"</u>	8 Talk About what you want to be when you grow up.	9 Play Pretend you are a teacher.	10 Read <u><i>Cars: Rushing! Honking! Zooming!</i></u> By Patricia Hubbell	11 Write Design your own car.	12 Sing <u>"The Wheels on the Racecar"</u>	13 Talk About where you would like to take a road trip.
14 Play Pretend you are taking care of a baby.	15 Read <u><i>Mommy Hugs</i></u> by Ann Gutman	16 Write Practice drawing triangles.	17 Sing Along to your favorite CD or playlist.	18 Talk About your favorite shapes and colors.	19 Play Go outside and blow bubbles.	20 Read <u><i>Clothesline Clues to Jobs People Do</i></u> by Kathryn Heling
21 Write Write a letter to a librarian.	22 Sing <u>"Who Are the People in Your Neighborhood?"</u>	23 Talk To an adult you know in your neighborhood.	24 Play Have a parade!	25 Read <u><i>Rap a Tap Tap: Here's Bojangles – Think of That</i></u> by Leo & Diane Dillon	26 Write Draw a picture of your favorite planet.	27 Sing <u>"Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"</u> before bedtime.
28 Talk About what you had for dinner last night.	29 Play Pretend you are making a cake.	30 Read <u><i>Goodnight Moon</i></u> by Margaret Wise Brown	31 Write Make a list of fun things to do this summer.			



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