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# September 2013

## EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
<p><b>1 Sing</b></p> <p>"Head Shoulders Knees and Toes".</p>	<p><b>2 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">I Love You, Nose!</a></u> <u><a href="#">I Love You, Toes!</a></u> by Linda Davick or <u><a href="#">My Five Senses</a></u> by Aiki</p>	<p><b>3 Talk</b></p> <p>about body parts and what they are for - what do your eyes do? Where is your nose?</p>	<p><b>4 Write</b></p> <p>Draw pictures of your face.</p>	<p><b>5 Play</b></p> <p>Peek-a-boo!</p>	<p><b>6 Sing</b></p> <p>"The Alphabet Song".</p>	<p><b>7 Talk</b></p> <p>about the days of the week. "Wednesday, the middle day! Two more days until the weekend."</p>
<p><b>8 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">One Gorilla</a></u> by Anthony Browne</p>	<p><b>9 Play</b></p> <p>make believe pizza: pick out your favorite toppings and pretend you're making dinner.</p>	<p><b>10 Write</b></p> <p>a back-to-school list. What supplies do you need?</p>	<p><b>11 Sing</b></p> <p>"The Itsy-Bitsy Spider" and "The Great Big Spider".</p>	<p><b>12 Talk</b></p> <p>Talk about what you want for breakfast tomorrow.</p>	<p><b>13 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">Tuesday</a></u> by David Wiesner</p>	<p><b>14 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">Pete's a Pizza</a></u> by William Steig</p>
<p><b>15 Sing</b></p> <p>"If You're Happy And You Know It".</p>	<p><b>16 Talk</b></p> <p>about what "happy" feels like. What does "sad" feel like?</p>	<p><b>17 Write</b></p> <p>Draw - What colors would you use to show different feelings?</p>	<p><b>18 Play</b></p> <p>Feelings Fingerplay: My Feelings.</p>	<p><b>19 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">The Pout-Pout Fish</a></u> by Deborah Diesen</p>	<p><b>20 Talk</b></p> <p>about the seasons. What season is coming?</p>	<p><b>21 Write</b></p> <p>Draw pictures of hats. What kind of hat do you wear?</p>
<p><b>22 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">Caps for Sale</a></u> by Esphyr Slobodkina - it's his birthday!</p>	<p><b>23 Sing</b></p> <p>"No More Monkeys Jumping on the Bed!"</p>	<p><b>24 Play</b></p> <p>zoo: which animal are you?</p>	<p><b>25 Talk</b></p> <p>about what ingredients you need to make dinner tonight.</p>	<p><b>26 Write</b></p> <p>Draw a picture of your favorite nursery rhyme.</p>	<p><b>27 Play</b></p> <p>with Play-Doh.</p>	<p><b>28 Sing</b></p> <p>"Fall Is Here" to the tune of "<u><a href="#">Frere Jacques</a></u>".</p>
<p><b>29 Read</b></p> <p><u><a href="#">Red Leaf, Yellow Leaf</a></u> by Lois Ehlert</p>	<p><b>30 Talk</b></p> <p>about the weather and temperature today.</p>					

### September Highlights

- Check out these [back to school](#) resources!
- Stop by for [storytime](#) at your local neighborhood library.
- Celebrate these [Children's Author Birthdays](#) in September.
- [Sundays on Stage](#) is fun for the whole family!
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