



June 2015

EARLY LITERACY CALENDAR

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1 Read <u>The Watermelon Seed</u> by Greg Pizzoli	2 Talk Name pairs (moon and star, table and chair, peanut butter and jelly, etc.)	3 Write A postcard to somebody who lives far away.	4 Play An imaginary instrument all day.	5 Sing <u>"Free to Be You and Me"</u>	6 Read <u>This Day in June</u> by Gayle Pitman
7 Talk About times you were most proud of yourself.	8 Write Read <u>A Long Way Away</u> by Frank Viva, tracing the line through the book.	9 Play Build a castle out of sand, boxes, or pillows.	10 Sing Make up a song about the weather.	11 Read <u>Bear in Sunshine</u> by Stella Blackstone	12 Talk Dream about a vacation you would like to take and describe it.	13 Write Trace letters in the sand at the beach.
14 Play Follow the Leader.	15 Sing <u>"Five Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed"</u>	16 Read <u>Juneteenth for Mazie</u> by Floyd Cooper	17 Talk Read the wordless book <u>Chalk</u> by Bill Thomson. Tell the story!	18 Write Draw with sidewalk chalk outside.	19 Play Pretend you are at the shore fishing with your dad.	20 Sing <u>"Songs About Dads"</u> by Chris Bihuniak
21 Read <u>The Daddy Book</u> by Todd Parr	22 Talk About things you would see at the beach.	23 Write A list of picnic foods.	24 Play Dress-up!	25 Sing <u>"I've Been Workin' on the Railroad"</u>	26 Read <u>One Hot Summer Day</u> by Nina Crews	27 Talk About your favorite ways to cool off on a hot day.
28 Write Draw a picture of a snake. What letter does it look like?	29 Play Pretend to "camp out" in the living room.	30 Sing Try to sing the alphabet song backwards.				



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