

JULY 2020 • Early Literacy Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			READ	TALK	SING	WRITE
			1	2	3	4
			<p>Watch Miller & Mike Circus Comedy on our Facebook page! (available through July 8th)</p>	<p>It's the 2nd half of the year! Practice dividing your lunch in 1/2: sandwich, banana, etc. Talk about how 2 halves make a whole.</p>	<p>Listen to the birds throughout the day. Can you sing like they do?</p>	<p>It's Independence Day! Do your best to draw a picture of our country's flag!</p>
PLAY	READ	TALK	SING	WRITE	PLAY	READ
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
<p>Play outside a bit today but make sure to wear sunscreen.</p>	<p>Watch one of our Tell Me a Storytime videos on Facebook!</p>	<p>Talk about what fruits or vegetables are your favorite to eat.</p>	<p>Sing "The Ants Go Marching." Hopefully they don't march to you if you're having a picnic!</p>	<p>Write with sidewalk chalk today.</p>	<p>It's National Parks and Recreation Month. Get outside and explore!</p>	<p>Read a simple rhyming poem and try to memorize it to share with someone else!</p>
TALK	SING	WRITE	PLAY	READ	TALK	SING
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
<p>Enjoy a nice scoop (or two!) of ice cream today! What is your favorite flavor?</p>	<p>Practice washing your hands for 20 seconds by singing the "Happy Birthday" song twice.</p>	<p>Write your name in the sand while playing in a sandbox.</p>	<p>Have you participated in our weekly Alphabet Scavenger Hunt on Instagram?</p>	<p>How is your summer reading coming along? Have you enjoyed one of our Grab-and-Go Projects?</p>	<p>Make up a silly story about ants that steal food from a picnic! What do they take first?</p>	<p>Pop, pop, popsicle, A yummy frozen treat! Cherry, lemon, orange and grape, Cool and fun to eat!</p>
WRITE	PLAY	READ	TALK	SING	WRITE	PLAY
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
<p>What is the weather like today? Can you draw a picture of what it looks like outside?</p>	<p>Go outside and dig up some worms to gently observe.</p>	<p>Choose a letter of the alphabet and hunt for that letter on the back of the cereal box at breakfast.</p>	<p>Can you find someone to say something nice to today? How did it make you both feel?</p>	<p>Enjoy Storytelling with Sadarri & Company today on Facebook!</p>	<p>Draw a picture of a juicy watermelon slice and practice writing the letter "W."</p>	<p>Play grocery store with pantry items you have. Take turns "shopping" and "buying" the food.</p>
READ	TALK	SING	WRITE	PLAY	READ	
26	27	28	29	30	31	
<p>Call our Storyline at (608) 328-7024 to hear a story!</p>	<p>Roast marshmallows with an adult and talk about what happens to the marshmallows when you heat them up.</p>	<p>Follow Monroe Public Library on Spotify if you're missing Music + Movement!</p>	<p>Write down the name of your favorite color and draw a picture using only that color.</p>	<p>Play in the water today – go swimming, run through a sprinkler, etc.</p>	<p>As you read a book, look for the first letter of your name on each page.</p>	