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For more information about preparing your child for the love of reading check out the Birth to Five webpage at [www.hendersonlibraries.com/birth-to-five](http://www.hendersonlibraries.com/birth-to-five)

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				 <b>1</b> <b>Screen blackout day!</b> <b>Read books, go outside, or play games together</b>	 <b>2</b> Sing a song together in a high voice, then sing the same song in a low voice	 <b>3</b> Make lines on the floor with masking tape and walk along them trying to balance
 <b>4</b> Mix shaving cream with food coloring and have your child practice writing in it	 <b>5</b> Have your child tell you a story. Give them a theme to help them along. Ask questions!	 <b>6</b> Ask you child what their favorite song is. Then sing and dance to it	 <b>7</b> Tell your child a story from when you were little	 <b>8</b> Sing a new nursery rhyme you've never sang before	<b>Math</b> <b>9</b> Make some food together and count all the ingredients	 <b>10</b> <b>Visit the library together!</b>
 <b>11</b> Talk about all the foods that are red	 <b>12</b> Read a book about love	 <b>13</b> Make Valentine's cards for friends and family	 <b>14</b> Spend 20 minutes reading together	 <b>15</b> What floats and sinks? Put different items in a bowl or bath and see what happens.	 <b>16</b> Go outside and talk about nature (trees, bugs, clouds etc.)	 <b>17</b> Read a book about your child's favorite animal
 <b>18</b> Talk about your child's favorite story and have them draw a picture about it	 <b>19</b> <b>Screen blackout day!</b> <b>Read books, go outside, or play games together</b>	 <b>20</b> Use some pots and pans and make your own parade while singing	 <b>21</b> Make up a song about an animal and sing it to the tune of "Itsy Bitsy Spider"	 <b>22</b> Spend 20 minutes reading together	 <b>23</b> Blow up some balloons and see how long you can keep them from touching the floor	 <b>24</b> <b>Visit the library together!</b>
 <b>25</b> Use cinnamon sticks to color on paper and make a yummy smelling picture	<b>Math</b> <b>26</b> Show your child what a square looks like and try to find things around the house that are shaped like it	 <b>27</b> Blow some bubbles and play with them	 <b>28</b> Show your child pictures of different animals and ask them what sound they make	 <b>29</b> Read a wordless picture book together		