

NOVEMBER 2024 HOME ACTIVITY CALENDAR

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

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 Make up a song about your child's favorite food	2 Ask your child what their favorite sound is and why
3 Tell your child a story about when someone was kind to you or helped you	4 Use a magnet to walk around the house and find things that are magnetic	5 Have your child draw a picture of the silliest sandwich they can think of	6 Spend 20 minutes reading together	7 Say a word and ask your child to say a word that rhymes, or sounds like the word	8 Build a fort using blankets then read inside	9 Visit the library together
10 Have your child trace their hand and make it into a turkey	11 Sing together as you make breakfast	12 Screen blackout day! Read books, go outside, or play games together	13 Sing the song "If You're Happy and You Know It"	14 Read a book about Thanksgiving	15 Screen blackout day! Read books, go outside, or play games together	16 Draw a picture of a cake and have your child decorate it
17 Build a puzzle together	18 Spend 20 minutes reading together	19 Talk about all the things you and your child are thankful for	20 Draw together	21 While driving in the car, talk about the different sounds you hear	22 Have your child tell you a story about an animal	23 Visit the library together
24 Play "restaurant" together and take each other's orders	25 Sing the alphabet song together	Math 26 Make a mini pizza together using an English muffin and count the ingredients you put on top	27 Tell your child a funny story about when they were younger	28 Sing a song together in a high voice, then sing the same song in a low voice	29 While at the grocery store, have your child help you read the shopping list	Math 30 Use some candy or cereal to practice counting

Each day features a fun activity that will help your child build pre-reading skills. Ask your librarian for more ideas on how to promote early literacy skills with daily activities at home!



= Writing



= Playing



= Singing



= Reading



= Talking