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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
			Math 1  Practice counting to 20 today (20 steps, claps, crayons, etc.)	 2 Sing a winter song	 3 Draw bookmarks with your child. Cut them out and show them how they're used	 4 Make a "book" together on paper about something that interests your child
 5 Read and chant some nursery rhymes together	 6 Read a book together about weather	 7 See how many words you can rhyme with the word "cool"	 8 Place all your child's shoes into a box and dump them on the floor. Have your child sort them into pairs	 9 Read over a recipe together and make it after	 10 Play Hide and Seek	 11 Visit the library together!
 12 Draw a letter on top of a piece of paper and have your child draw or paste pictures of things that begin with that letter	 13 Visit a farmer's market and talk about the visit together	 14 Go outside and toss a ball around	 15 Screen blackout day! Read books, go outside, or play games together	 16 Put on music and dance! If it's quiet time, draw or paint to music	 17 Blow bubbles with your child and describe what they look like and what happens to them	Math 18  Count how many circles you can find in your kitchen
 19 Spend 20 minutes of reading together	 20 Take a walk in the neighborhood or a ride on the bus and talk about what you see	 21 Make a bird treat to hang outside using a pine cone.	 22 Use some Play-doh or clay to make letter shapes.	 23 Show your child a radio. Talk about stations, music, and advertisements	 24 Draw together	 25 Visit the library together!
 26 Ask your child to tell you which was their favorite activity this month and why	 27 Write the name of each family member on strips of paper. Mix them up and practice showing and naming them with your child	 28 Tell your child 3 things you really love about them and what makes them special	 29 Spend 20 minutes of reading together	 30 Build a "fort" somewhere in your house	 31 Talk to your child about the different jobs that people you know do	