



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		<i>Substitute any titles you can't find or songs you don't know with books, rhymes, and songs that you already love.</i>		1 Write Make a picture of fluffy clouds in the sky by collaging with cotton wool.	2 Play Use play dough to make a pretend pizza. Divide the pizza into halves, quarters and eighths. How many pieces do you need for your family?	3 Read It's Story Saturday! Read rhyming books and play rhyming games together every day.
4 STEM STEM Sunday! I is for Ice! Freeze a few drops of food dye in an ice cube and paint with them.	3 Read Borrow a fairytale book from your library and read it together.	6 Talk How many words can you think of that rhyme with "spot"?	7 Sing Sing-along Wednesday! Sing If You're Wearing Red Today . Sing about the colours you are wearing.	8 Write Draw a picture with chalk on a blackboard or on a pavement. Talk about what you draw.	9 Play Build a cubby house with a table and a blanket.	10 Read It's Story Saturday! Wordless books encourage your child to help "read" the story. Try Hug by Jez Alborough.
11 STEM Happy Mother's Day! Let Mum choose their favourite book for Storytime today.	12 Read Point out the author and illustrator's name as you read picture books together.	13 Talk What colours are you wearing today? Talk about the colours of your clothes and shoes.	14 Sing Sing-along Wednesday! Pat your head, rub your tummy, touch your toes and hug your Mummy!	15 Write Use plastic tweezers to transfer small objects from one container to another.	16 Play Go on a colour walk at your house together, pointing out and naming anything blue.	17 Read J is for Jump! Read Jabari Jumps by Gaia Cornwell. Do you have any special tricks to make you feel brave like Jabari does?
18 STEM STEM Sunday! Play with a shape sorter. Name the shapes as they are matched to the holes.	19 Read K is for Kangaroo. Read a story with a kangaroo or another animal starting with the letter 'K'.	20 Talk Look at your teddy. Point to Teddy's eyes. Touch Teddy's ears. What other parts can you name?	21 Sing National Simultaneous Storytime! Celebrate by visiting your local library or watch the book being read on StoryBox.	22 Write Go on a letter hunt. Look for the first letter of your child's first name in books and on signs.	23 Play Play a guessing game. Eye spy, with my little eye, something that is...purple.	24 Read It's Story Saturday! Find a book in your collection that has font that changes shape and size across the pages.
25 STEM STEM Sunday! Design a house for your favourite toy and build it out of blocks, boxes, or pillows.	26 Read Read a book about shapes. Use the Better Beginning's Book Finder for lots of great options.	27 Talk Can you name three animals that start with the letter L? Are there more than three that you know?	28 Sing Sing-along Wednesday! Sing Zoom, Zoom, Zoom! and pretend you are going to the moon. What will you need for your trip?	29 Write Draw a picture of a rainbow. Can you name all the colours?	30 Play Make a telescope with a rolled up piece of paper and go and discover something in your garden.	31 Read It's Story Saturday! Read a book set in an interesting habitat like a rainforest, jungle, or desert.