

# July 2022 Early Literacy Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Preparing your child for school is easy and fun! Children learn through play! <b>TALK – SING – READ – WRITE – PLAY</b> Ask your librarian for more great suggestions! <a href="http://www.sonomalibrary.org">www.sonomalibrary.org</a>				<b>1. SING</b> Sing: <b>“You are my Sunshine”</b> to start the day.	<b>2. TALK</b> If you were going to the beach, what would you need to take with you?
<b>3. WRITE</b> Draw a circle and make the sun. Add rays of light. What else can you draw using circles?	<b>4. PLAY</b> Play “I Spy” and look for things that are red, white and blue.	<b>5. MATH</b> Write your child's name on paper and let your child count how many letters there are.	<b>6. LIBRARY</b> Pick up books and a Summer Reading Log: 	<b>7. READ</b> Read a book together and mark the minutes read on your Reading Log.	<b>8. SCIENCE</b> Put some ice in a glass of water and watch it melt. Drink it! Is it cold?	<b>9. PLAY</b> Go on a <b>Scavenger Hunt!</b> (Look for the things on the back of this calendar.)
<b>10. SCIENCE</b> Fill an ice tray with juice, add popsicle sticks, and freeze. Enjoy!	<b>11. TALK</b> Talk about different kinds of animals. Which fly? Which swim?	<b>12. READ</b> Read a book together and talk about the illustrations.	<b>13. SING</b> Sing: <b>“A Sailor Went to Sea, sea, sea”</b> 	<b>14. PLAY</b> Pretend you are a turtle swimming in the sea. What other animals do you see?	<b>15. MATH</b> Go for a walk together and count trees. How high can you count?	<b>16. WRITE</b> Draw a picture of something you see at the beach.
<b>17. READ</b> Read a favorite book together.	<b>18. WRITE</b> Draw a picture of a beach and color it.	<b>19. PLAY</b> Put on some music and dance together!	<b>20. MATH</b> Count your fingers from 1 to 10.	<b>21. SING</b> Sing along with the radio or a CD.	<b>22. TALK</b> What is your favorite fruit? Vegetable?	<b>23. LIBRARY</b> Attend a free library event or pick up books.
<b>24. RHYME</b> What rhymes with “sea”?	<b>25. SING</b> Sing: <b>“Row, row, row your boat.”</b> What do you see from your imaginary boat?	<b>26. READ</b> Read a book together and talk about the characters.	<b>27. LIBRARY</b> Get a Free Book if you completed 8 hours of reading together this summer! (ends August 13)	<b>28. TALK</b> Talk about what you are making for dinner tonight. How is it prepared? How can you help?	<b>29. WRITE</b> Draw a picture of something you read in a book. Color it. Talk about what you drew.	<b>30. SCIENCE</b> Fill a pot with water and get some small toys. Which ones float?  
<b>31. PLAY</b> Find some shade and have a picnic outside.						

# Songs and Rhymes to Share with your Little One

## You Are My Sunshine

You are my sunshine, my only sunshine.  
You make me happy when skies are gray  
You'll never know dear, how much I love you  
Please don't take my sunshine away.

## A Sailor Went to Sea, Sea, Sea

A sailor went to sea, sea, sea,  
To see what he could see, see, see.  
But all that he could see, see, see  
Was the bottom of the deep blue sea, sea, sea.

## Row, Row, Row Your Boat

Row, row, row your boat  
Gently down the stream.  
Merrily, merrily, merrily, merrily  
Life is but a dream.

## Búsqueda del Tesoro

<b>a rock</b> 	<b>A bird</b> 	<b>A leaf</b> 
<b>A flower</b> 	<b>an insect</b> 	<b>A stick</b> 

