**September 2022 Early Literacy Calendar**

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| Preparing your child for school is easy and fun!  
Children learn through play!  
Ask your librarian for more great suggestions!  
**TALK – SING – READ – WRITE – PLAY**  
[www.sonomalibrary.org](http://www.sonomalibrary.org) | 1. **READ**  
Attend a Storytime at any nearby library--or read a favorite story together. | 2. **SING**  
Sing: “¿Cómo estás amigo?  
How are you, my friend?” | 3. **PLAY**  
Go for a walk outside and collect leaves of different sizes, shapes & colors. |
| 4. **TALK**  
Talk about the leaves you collected.  
How are they different? How are they similar?  | 5. **WRITE**  
Help your child trace the outline of a leaf on paper using a crayon. | 6. **READ**  
Read a story together and then talk about what you liked or didn’t like in the story. | 7. **SCIENCE**  
Using blocks, build a tower as high as you can. Why does it fall down? |
| 8. **PLAY**  
If the weather is good, have a picnic outside. If not, have a picnic inside! | 9. **LIBRARY**  
Visit the library and check out books about trees, leaves and Fall. | | 10. **MATH**  
Count your fingers from 1-10. Then count your toes from 1-10. |
| 11. **SING**  
Sing: “Ten Little Fingers” together. | 12. **MATH**  
How many people are in your family? | 13. **TALK**  
What rhymes with fox? |
| 15. **WRITE**  
Help your child trace their hand on paper using a crayon. | 16. **READ**  
Read a book about Fall. | 17. **PLAY**  
Go outside and imagine you are leaves dancing in the wind. | 18. **PLAY**  
Build a fort out of blankets or cardboard boxes. Imagine that you are pirates. |
| 19. **TALK**  
Today is “Talk Like a Pirate Day.” Can you say: “ARRR” like a pirate? | 20. **WRITE**  
Try to draw a pirate ship. | 21. **READ**  
Read a favorite book together at bedtime. | 22. **SING**  
Sing: “The Days of the Week” song. What day is today? |
| 23. **SCIENCE**  
Cover your eyes and listen. What do you hear around you? | 24. **LIBRARY**  
Attend an event at any library nearby or check out music CDs for children. | | 25. **SING**  
Play a music CD or turn on the radio and sing along! |
| 26. **READ**  
Write your child's name and read it together, naming the letters. | 27. **PLAY**  
Act like your favorite animals and guess what they are. | 28. **MATH**  
How many eyes do you have?  
How many ears? How many noses? | 29. **WRITE**  
Draw your face on a sheet of paper. Add ears and hair. Wonderful! |
| 30. **TALK**  
Cook dinner together and talk about what you are doing. | | | |

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¿Cómo estás amigo?
How are you, my friend?

¿Cómo estás amigo? ¿Cómo estás?
¡Muy bien!
¿Cómo estás amigo? ¿Cómo estás?
¡Muy bien!
¡Mucho gusto! ¡Encantada!
It’s so very nice to meet you!
¿Cómo estás amigo? ¿Cómo estás?
¡Muy bien!

How are you, my friend? How are you?
I’m fine!
How are you, my friend? How are you?
I’m fine!
¡Mucho gusto! ¡Encantada!
It’s so very nice to meet you!
How are you, my friend? How are you?
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Ten Little Fingers
Diez Deditos

One little, Two little, Three little fingers,
Four little, Five little, Six little fingers,
Seven little, Eight little, Nine little fingers,
And one more makes Ten!

Dos manitos, diez deditos
Dos manitos, diez deditos,
Dos manitos, diez deditos,
Cuéntalo conmigo . . .
Uno, dos, tres deditos,
Cuatro, cinco, seis deditos,
Siete, ocho, nueve deditos,
¡Y uno más son diez!

Los Días de la Semana
The Days of the Week

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday, Friday, Saturday.
Domingo, lunes, martes, miércoles, jueves,
viernes, sábado.