

Fun Calendar December 2018

Sunday

Monday





























Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

						 <p>Screen blackout day! Read books, go on an outing, or play games together.</p>	1
 <p>2</p> <p>Using plain rolled paper or butcher paper, let your child make designs on it to use as wrapping paper.</p>	<p>Math</p> <p>3</p> <p>Search for the triangle shape around your house. Count how many you found.</p>	 <p>4</p> <p>Let your child paint on one side of a piece of paper. While the paint is still wet, fold the paper in half and press. Talk about the mirror image created.</p>	 <p>5</p> <p>Look up and share with your child some information on December's world holidays.</p>	 <p>6</p> <p>Bring in some rocks from outside. Wash them together and give them to your child for free play!</p>	 <p>7</p> <p>Talk about our bodies. What can arms do? What can feet do? What can hands do? Etc.</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Visit the Library together</p>	
 <p>9</p> <p>Look through the pages of a book or magazine and count the number of times you see the first letter of your child's name.</p>	 <p>10</p> <p>Provide some play dough or bread dough for your child to explore.</p>	 <p>11</p> <p>Find a tongue twister online or in a book and practice it together.</p>	 <p>12</p> <p>Show your child how to write their name. Practice it together.</p>	 <p>13</p> <p>Light a candle, turn off the lights and tell your child about a nice winter memory from your childhood.</p>	 <p>14</p> <p>Encourage your child to move about until you call "freeze". They stay frozen until you say, "melt". Play again.</p>	 <p>15</p> <p>Make a plan for the day and write a list of the plan.</p>	
 <p>16</p> <p>Write family member names on index cards. Spread them out and talk about their similarities and differences in the names.</p>	 <p>1</p> <p>Screen blackout day! Read books, go on an outing, or play games together.</p>	 <p>18</p> <p>After finishing a book, look back through it and find one word to spell out letter by letter and then sound out together.</p>	 <p>19</p> <p>Listen to a song together. Practice singing it.</p>	<p>Math</p> <p>20</p> <p>Cut a sponge into shapes and let your child play with them during bath time.</p>	 <p>21</p> <p>While cooking or driving or walking, make up a silly song together.</p>	<p>22</p> <p>Visit the Library together</p>	
 <p>23</p> <p>Replace a word in a children's song with a silly word— "Row, row, row your boat gently down the stream"</p>	 <p>24</p> <p>While reading a new story book together, stop before the end and ask your child what they think might happen.</p>	 <p>25</p> <p>Call out different 'walks' for example, "walk fast, walk slow, walk wiggly" etc.</p>	 <p>26</p> <p>Find some time to sit in silence with your child today. Breathe deeply. Talk about what you felt.</p>	 <p>27</p> <p>Make a list of all the colors that you both can think of.</p>	 <p>28</p> <p>Engage your child in a conversation about what they did this morning and what they will do tomorrow.</p>	 <p>29</p> <p>After reading a book together. Ask your child to retell the story. Flip through the book if needed.</p>	
 <p>30</p> <p>Create an obstacle course in the house that involves jumping, crawling, rolling etc.</p>	  <p>31</p> <p>Talk to your child about wishes. Make a wish for the new year, write it on paper and put it in a jar to open next New Year.</p>						



= Talking



= Singing



= Reading



= Writing



= Playing