

| SUNDAY   | MONDAY  | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY  | THURSDAY   | FRIDAY  | SATURDAY  |
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| <p>Take time to teach your child things to help him become more independent.</p>                          |    | <p><b>1</b></p> <p>Check your library for <b>Summer Reading Programs</b>. They are fun &amp; often have rewards!</p>   | <p><b>2</b></p> <p><b>Bumps &amp; scrapes</b> happen. Check for bandages, fresh first aid cream, ice packs</p>   | <p><b>3</b></p> <p>Talk about firework safety. Makes plans to <b>WATCH</b> them at a park or school.</p>                                | <p><b>4</b></p>    | <p><b>5</b></p> <p>Make <b>Blueberry</b> pancakes or muffins for breakfast. Serve with <b>Strawberries</b>. Think <b>RED, WHITE &amp; BLUE!</b></p>   |
| <p><b>6</b></p> <p>Teach your child a new "<b>CHORE</b>". He will take pride in learning something new. Reward a job completed!</p>  | <p><b>7</b></p> <p>Tell the Truth Day<br/>Talk with your child about what is the truth and what is a lie. Ask him to tell you the difference.</p>   | <p><b>8</b></p> <p>Set up a <b>Treasure Hunt</b><br/><a href="http://www.wikihow.com/Make-an-Amazing-Treasure-Hunt-for-Kids">http://www.wikihow.com/Make-an-Amazing-Treasure-Hunt-for-Kids</a></p> | <p><b>9</b></p> <p>Talk to your child about basic first aid: What he should do or where to go if a friend gets hurt.<br/><b>SUMMER is outside play!</b></p>  | <p><b>10</b></p> <p>Read a story outside tonight! Use a flashlight!</p>   | <p><b>11</b></p> <p>National Cheer Up the Lonely Day! Make some cards &amp; take them to a senior home.</p>  | <p><b>12</b></p> <p>Let's have <b>Treasure Hunt Cake!</b><br/><a href="http://www.realsimple.com/food-recipes/browse-all-recipes/treasure-hunt-cake-">http://www.realsimple.com/food-recipes/browse-all-recipes/treasure-hunt-cake-</a></p> |
| <p><b>13</b></p> <p>Set the table with fun napkins for dinner</p>                                        | <p><b>14</b></p> <p>Have a <b>THUNDERSTORM</b><br/>Safety discussion; when to come home &amp; what to do if the power goes out!</p>   | <p><b>15</b></p> <p>National <b>Gummy Worm</b> Day</p>   | <p><b>16</b></p> <p>Try <b>Tofu Bites!</b><br/><a href="http://www.cookinglight.com/food/everyday-menus/healthy-meals-for-kids/healthy-tofu-bites-recipes">http://www.cookinglight.com/food/everyday-menus/healthy-meals-for-kids/healthy-tofu-bites-recipes</a></p> | <p><b>17</b></p> <p>It's <b>YELLOW</b> Pig Day!<br/>Read about it!</p>   | <p><b>18</b></p> <p>"If you could ask the <b>Earth</b><br/>A Question, what would it be?"</p>   | <p><b>19</b></p> <p>Find your local Farmer's Market and go together.</p>    |
| <p><b>20</b></p> <p>National <b>Lollipop</b> Day<br/>Put fun ones on the table for after dinner</p>  | <p><b>21</b></p> <p>It's Library Day!<br/></p>   | <p><b>22</b></p> <p>Serve fresh Veggies &amp; Dip in a fun way.</p>   | <p><b>23</b></p> <p>At a random moment, call your child over to you just to say, "I love you". Nothing else, just that.</p>  | <p><b>24</b></p> <p>National Cousins Day<br/>Talk to your child about what a cousin is &amp; who are his cousins.</p>  | <p><b>25</b></p> <p>Schedule any doctor or dentist appointments your child needs before school begins.</p>  | <p><b>26</b></p> <p>National Aunt &amp; Uncle Day. Call or visit!</p>    |
| <p><b>27</b></p> <p>Take a family walk. Use a beach bucket to collect interesting things you find.</p>  | <p><b>28</b></p> <p>Make <b>Grass Heads</b><br/><a href="http://spoonful.com/crafts/grass-head-guys">http://spoonful.com/crafts/grass-head-guys</a></p>  | <p><b>29</b></p> <p><b>Treat your child as though he already is the person he is capable of becoming.</b></p>  | <p><b>30</b></p> <p>Do <b>Leaf Doodling</b><br/><a href="http://www.kiwicrate.com/projects/Leaf-Doodling-With-Metallic-Pens/242">http://www.kiwicrate.com/projects/Leaf-Doodling-With-Metallic-Pens/242</a></p>  | <p><b>31</b></p> <p>National Parent's Day!<br/>Tell your child "thank you" for being his parent. You couldn't do it without him!</p>  | <p><b>Stop trying to perfect Your child. Keep trying to perfect your relationship with him.</b></p>        |   |

**Write to a distant relative**