








AUGUST

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH SERVICES

LITERACY CALENDAR

2024

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28 	29 	30 	31 	1	2	3
4 Read an extra book at bedtime.	5 Play some of your child's favorite songs and have a dance party.	6 Sit and draw portraits of each other.	7 Write down your child's full name. How many words can they make with those letters?	8 International Cat Day Storytime 1030am!! 	9 Lay in the grass and look for shapes in the clouds.	10 Think of an animal that starts with every letter of the alphabet.
11 Bake Cookies together. Talk about the ingredients and measurements.	12 Write a poem. Each line starting with the letters of your child's first of last name.	13 Build card houses together. Who can build the tallest one. What else can you build houses with?	14 Make s'mores and tell ghost stories even if you are not camping.	15 How many steps does it take to walk around your house, around your yard? Estimate and then see how close you came.	16 Trace your shadows with chalk and measure them. Is your shadow as tall as you are?	17 Hum the alphabet while brushing your teeth.
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 <h2 style="margin: 0;">Friendship Week</h2> <p style="margin: 0;">Stop by the story time room for friendship themed arts & crafts!</p> 						
25 Count how many trees you have in your yard.	26 Read a story to your toys.	27 Draw the cover of your favorite book.	28 Write/send a letter to a friend or family member.	29 Sing and dance to the "Hokey Pokey".	30 Have picnic in your yard or at a park. Let your child help decide what foods to bring.	31 Recite favorite nursery rhymes together.