November 2022

Division of Early Childhood

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	No.	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Let your child see you trying some foods that are new or unusual for your family.	Play with play dough or clay. Make simple shapes such as balls or snakes.	Talk about fire safety. What should your child do in case of fire? Teach an escape route from his room and practice it.	4 Supervise some extra bathtub time. Throw in plastic containers, measuring spoons and funnels.	Go to the library together and read books about the weather.
Drink a glass of apple cider together. If you drink it warm, try stirring it with a cinnamon stick!	7 It's getting cold outside! What do we wear to keep our hands warm? Our head? Or neck?	8 Build a fort together! Use any of these; large box, table draped with blankets, a small tent.	9 Ask your child to give you words that rhyme with words you say: clap (tap), walk (talk), fat (pat).	Tell your child a "real-life" story tonight. Children love to hear about things they did as babies.	11 Today is Veteran's Day. Have your child make a card of THANKS for a service man or woman.	12 Collect canned goods for a shelter or food drive. Take your child with you as you deliver them.
Have a Sunday meal as a family. Let your child help you set the table. Pass serving dishes .	Read three rhyming poems today.	15 To eliminate dawdling, set a timer when it's time for your child to pick up toys.	16 Write a letter of the alphabet. Think of things that begin with that letter and have your child draw them.	17 Make a paper bag puppet by drawing faces on the bottom flap of small paper bag.	18 Talk with your child about happy and sad feelings. What things cause each kind?	The leaves are falling. Go on a leat walk and see how many different kinds of leave you can find. Which tredid they come from?
Teach your child the "Golden Rule" - Treat others as you would like to be treated.	21 Nothing beats a hot bowl of soup on a cold day. Serve your child's favorite with his favorite bread.	22 Ask questions about the use of common things. What is a house for? What do we do with spoons?	23 Strengthen fine motor muscles. Allow your child to tear paper in little pieces. Throw in the air—SNOW!	24 Talk about things you are thankful for. Tell your child she's at the top of the list.	Write a letter together to a loved one. Have your child draw pictures.	26 Put a few items in a "surprise bag." Have your child reach in and guess what each item is by just by feel.
27 Make a marble painting. Place paper in the bottom of a shoe box. Add a	28 Look at a calendar and count the days left in the month.	29 Fill an empty water bottle with dried beans and shake.	30 This is the last day of the month. Talk with your child about the		*	

meaning of "last."

You made a maraca!

marble covered in paint.

Roll, roll.