

Learn Through Play 2022

June—preschool

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Saturday</i>
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<p>5 Take turns with your child throwing rolled up socks into a laundry basket.</p>	<p>6 Look for the number 5 today. Practice counting to 5 and then practice counting 5 items.</p>	<p>7 Help your child learn your phone number. Write it down and point to the numbers as you say it.</p>	<p>8 Blow bubbles outside. Talk about the different sizes of the bubbles</p>	<p>9 Count the petals on a flower.</p>	<p>10 Practice saying "please" and "thank you."</p>	<p>11 Dance to country music today.</p>
<p>12 Challenge your child to find objects with letters on them. What letters did she find?</p>	<p>13 Go outside at night and talk about the stars. Sing "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star" together.</p>	<p>14 Make the sounds of various farm animals and sing "Old McDonald."</p>	<p>15 Exercise with your child. Do jumping jacks, waist bends, etc.</p>	<p>16 Find faces in magazines or books. Have your child tell you how that person is feeling. Discuss the feelings.</p>	<p>17 Sing and do the motions to "If You're Happy and You Know It."</p>	<p>18 Commit to a TV/phone/tablet screen-free evening and read together as a family.</p>
<p>19 Have your child draw a picture. Ask him to sign his wonderful piece of art.</p>	<p>20 Go outside and find things that fly, such as birds, jets and butterflies. Talk about how they are the same and different</p>	<p>21 Let your child help you plan and prepare a healthy breakfast.</p>	<p>22 Talk about different ways to be good friend.</p>	<p>23 Try different ways of walking: giant steps, baby steps, tip-toeing, walking backwards, etc.</p>	<p>24 Mix crackers, cereals, pretzels, etc. Then ask your child to sort through the snack, matching them and eating them.</p>	<p>25 Make paper airplanes with your child. Practice throwing them outside to see how far they will go!</p>
<p>26 Take your child on a scavenger hunt to look for items outdoors! (a black rock, a green leaf, a yellow flower, a worm, etc.)</p>	<p>27 Explore your neighborhood looking for spiders and their webs. Webs can be beautiful.</p>	<p>28 How many books did you read this month?</p>	<p>29 Make alphabet letters with your body.</p>	<p>30 Repeat your favorite activity of the month.</p>		



Activity:
No-Bake Monster Cookies

- Ingredients:
- 2½ cups oats
 - 1 cup peanut butter
 - ½ cup honey
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
 - ½ cup chocolate chips
 - ½ cup M&Ms

Stir together the oats, peanut butter, honey and vanilla until combined. Stir in the chocolate chips and M&M candies.

Roll dough into balls and place on a baking sheet. Put them in the fridge for 30 minutes to set and enjoy! They can last up to 2 weeks in an airtight container.