Learn Through Play 2026 November—toddler

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 While doing the laundry, have your child fold the washcloths.	**2** Give your child lots of love and hugs. Tell him how much you love him.	**3** Go to the library and check out books about fall.	**4** Make up a song with the name of child to tune of "B-I-N-G-O."	**5** Collect leaves while on a walk today. Find big and small leaves.	**6** Build a tower with blocks with your child and take turns knocking them down. Use words like tall, stack, fall and high.	**7** Play hide-and seek.
8 Try a new vegetable for dinner.	**9** Read! Read! Read!	**10** Sing a nursery rhyme to your child such as "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"	**11** String cereal onto yarn or a shoestring.	**12** Use blocks, toys, or even colored socks to sort by color or shape.	**13** Let your toddler help you clean by giving them a cloth or small broom to wipe the table or clean the floor.	**14** Fill a bin with dry beans, noodles or other safe items and add scoops and toys.
15 Play dress up with your child. Provide old shirts, ties, hats and shoes.	**16** Attend story time at your local library.	**17** Give your toddler a colander and pipe cleaners to push in and out of the holes.	**18** Let your toddler stack pots and pans. Match lids to containers or simply bang on them with a spoon.	**19** Practice drawing circles on paper with markers.	**20** Practice drinking out of a cup with no lid.	**21** Practice putting your child's winter coat, mittens and hat.
22 Go on a color hunt. Look for objects that are brown.	**23** Give your child two options of what pajamas to wear to bed. Let them choose.	**24** Take your child to the grocery store. Let her smell the different fruits and feel the different textures.	**25** Play "Simon Says." See how your child can follow directions.	**26** Involve your toddler in simple cooking tasks, like stirring or adding ingredients.	**27** Decorate a paper plate with stickers and crayons.	**28** Talk! Talk! Talk!
29 Sing your child your favorite lullaby.	**30** When walking up steps, count each step with your child.					

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Paint in a bag

Supplies:

Sandwich or larger sized plastic Ziplock bag

Permanent Marker

Finger Paint in autumn colors

Instructions

Draw a tree on the outside of the plastic bag.

Put several small dabs of each color paint inside the bag.

Zip the bag up.

Let your child swirl the paint around with their fingers making the tree as colorful as an autumn day.

Let dry and enjoy the masterpiece.