



APRIL

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT CALENDAR



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Music	Self-Care!	Cooking!	Movement!	Fine Motor!	Reading!	Math!
Sing Rain, Rain, Go Away.	Practice the fasteners on the raincoat.	Make a waffle sandwich with waffles, peanut butter and banana slices.	Create shapes with your body: a rainbow, a cloud, rain etc.	Precut several cardboard arches- each one slightly smaller than the others. Let your child glue on colored items to create a rainbow.	Play with plastic letters in a tub of water.	Set out a rain gauge. Measure how much water is collected after a rain storm.
Self-Care!	Cooking!	Movement!	Writing!	Reading!	Math!	Music!
Practice using a fork by spearing fruit cubes/slices.	Make vanilla pudding using a rotary beater.	Lay bubble wrap on the floor. Jump on it, stomp on it, and roll over it.	Turn a pizza box into an easel. Tape paper to it and draw a picture.	Read <u>Rain</u> by Donald Crews.	Create shapes with blue tape on your rug. Find objects around your house and match them to these shapes.	Make a rain-stick using a paper towel roll, nails, contact paper and rice. Decorate with stickers.
Cooking!	Movement!	Fine Motor!	Reading!	Math!	Music!	Self-Care!
Make chocolate chip pancakes.	Take a walk outdoors after a rainstorm. Jump in puddles.	Play with playdoh. Roll, pound, pat, poke, make snakes, cut with scissors	Visit the library and sign up for the children's story hour.	Measure the height of your child. Record with tape/date on a closet door.	Dance together to your favorite songs	Celebrate your child's continuing success using the toilet. Let him play with a special toy.
Movement!	Writing!	Reading!	Math!	Music!	Self-Care!	Cooking!
Invite a friend over to play in a home-made fort.	Write a shopping list of things needed at a store like Target or K-Mart.	Go shopping. Let your child read the list he made and put the items in the cart.	Count how many chairs you have in your house. How many people live in your house? Are the numbers the same or different?	Sing If You Are Happy and You Know It.	Let your child teach you how to wash hands with soap.	Make a picnic lunch. Eat outside under a tree. Notice the leaves starting to grow.
Fine Motor!	Reading!	Math!	Music!	Fine Motor!	Cooking!	Movement!
Trace your child's hands. Mark the date and save this paper!	Read a book about spring.	Sort a pile of mixed beans.	Sing Oats, and Peas and Barley Grow.	Plant marigold seeds in a cup of dirt.	Make open faced grilled cheese using a flower shaped cookie cutter	Pretend to be a seed (curled up), stretch out as you pretend to grow into a flower.