



August



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
						Have your child tell you about his/her favorite part of the day.	
Have your child practice his/her phone number and address.	Have your child find things that begin with the letter "N."	Together look for things that begin with "P." Point out the letter "P" in print.	Have your child draw a picture using his/her favorite three colors.	Have your child write a list of words that rhyme with "pan." 	Explore an unfamiliar fruit or vegetable together and talk about what it smells like, feels like, looks like, and tastes like. Does it make any noise?	Have your child practice skipping, galloping, and marching.	
Have your child name letters found on cereal boxes, cans, etc. 	Have your child put magnetic numbers in order from 1 to 5.	Measure your child to see how tall he/she is. If you keep a growth chart, check to see how much he/she has grown. If not, start one today!	Work together on a project or household job. Talk about how working together helps get things done faster and is more fun.	Help your child "write" numbers with his/her finger in a container of uncooked rice.	Have your child count the spoons and forks in the silverware drawer.	Together pretend it is the first day of school. Practice ways to say goodbye.	
Visit a pool and help your child swim.	Have your child practice bouncing a ball and counting the number of bounces.	Have your child show you what numbers he/she can write or copy.	Use sidewalk chalk and draw a picture on the sidewalk or driveway together.	Use addition and subtraction words like "I have one cookie and you have two cookies. That makes three cookies."	Visit a local pool and help your child swim.	Read a book with your child or visit a local library.	
Go for a family walk or bike ride around the neighborhood or at the local beach.	Have your child practice writing his or her first and last name on a sheet of paper.	Help your child put a puzzle together with a friend.	Help your child find words that rhyme with "me."	Together recall a list of today's events.	Play games that require two or more people, like catching or throwing a ball.	Together begin to organize what your child will need for the first day of school.	
Talk with your child about his/her feelings about going back to school.	Read a book to your child about going to school and ask your child to retell the story.						