
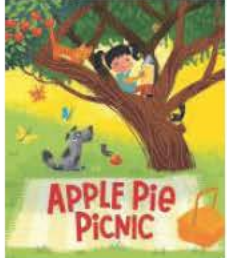
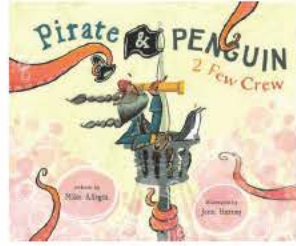
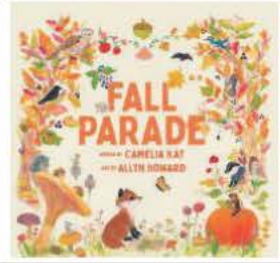

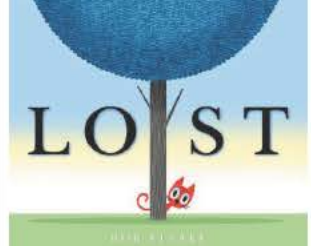
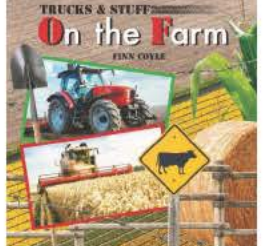


September 2025 Early Learning Calendar

Encourage a love of learning in your child by doing one fun activity each day. Visit griver.org or your local library for more ideas, books and programs to do with your child.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Talk ¹ Tell a friend about your favorite type of sandwich.	Count ² Use a ruler to measure the size of your favorite toys.	Move ³ Can you count to five while jumping five times?	Play ⁴ Scribble with red crayon on an apple shape.	Explore ⁵ Borrow a set of tongs from the kitchen. What can you pick up with them?	Read ⁶ Read or tell a bedtime story to your grown-up.
Play ⁷ It's Grandparents Day! Play a game with a grandparent.	Move ⁸ Do the actions as you sing the song, "The Wheels on the Bus."	Talk ⁹ Name words that rhyme with "fall."	Play ¹⁰ Move some chairs in a row, and pretend you are a bus driver.	Count ¹¹ Find and count five yellow things in your house.	 ¹² Visit your library today.	Read ¹³ Read <i>A Big Day for Bike</i> by Emily Jenkins to celebrate the author's birthday.
Explore ¹⁴ Use paper cups and playing cards to build a tower.	Count ¹⁵ How many circles can you find in your kitchen?	Play ¹⁶ Pretend you are a cow. How would you move? How would you sound?	Move ¹⁷ Move your body like a worm.	Talk ¹⁸ How many words can you name that begin with the /s/ sound?	Read ¹⁹ On Talk Like a Pirate Day, read <i>Pirate & Penguin</i> by Mike Allegra.	Explore ²⁰ Look in a mirror and make a silly face!
Count ²¹ Count the number of wheels on the toys at your house.	Explore ²² On the first day of autumn, go outside and look for fallen leaves.	Read ²³ Celebrate the season by reading <i>Fall Parade</i> by Camelia Kay.	Move ²⁴ Practice lifting your shoulders up and down.	Play ²⁵ Toss balls into a laundry basket.	Read ²⁶ Read the book <i>Lost</i> by Bob Staake to celebrate the author's birthday.	 ²⁷ Visit your library today.
Count ²⁸ Have a grown-up cut an apple for you, and count the slices.	Talk ²⁹ Talk about things you like to do in the fall.	Count ³⁰ How many pockets are on your clothes today?	<div>  <p>Every Child Ready to Read® is a project of the Association for Library Service to Children and the Public Library Association, divisions of the American Library Association.</p> </div> <div>  </div>			

September Booklist:

	A Big Day for Bike by Emily Jenkins		Apple Pie Picnic by Alicia Duran
	Pirate & Penguin: 2 Few Crew by Mike Allegra		Trusty Bus by Elizabeth Verdick
	Fall Parade by Camelia Kay		Fall with Little Hedgehog by Elena Ulyeva (board book)
	Lost by Bob Staake		On the Farm by Finn Coyle (board book)

September Songs/Rhymes:

The Wheels on the Bus

traditional

The wheels on the bus go 'round and 'round,
Round and 'round, 'round and 'round.

The wheels on the bus go 'round and 'round,
All through the town.

Additional verses:

The wipers on the bus go swish, swish, swish ...

The door on the bus goes open and shut ...

The horn on the bus goes beep, beep, beep ...

The windows on the bus go up and down ...

The babies on the bus go waah, waah, waah ...

The people on the bus go shh, shh, shh ...

Two Little Apples

Two little apples, high in the tree.

One for you and one for me!

I shook that tree as hard as I could.

And down came the apples – mmm, they were good!



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