



Books by the Bushel

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Native American Heritage Month Peanut Butter Lovers Month				1 Sort your halloween candy by type.	2 Look For Circles Day How many circles can you find in your house?	3 Book Lovers Day! Go to the library and check out your favorite book!
4 Daylight Savings Time Ends Sing Leaves Are Twirling- <i>see activity</i>	5 Have your child count how many steps it takes to get from one side of their bedroom to the other.	6 General Election Day. Take your child with you when you vote today!	7 Sing a favorite song in an opera voice.	8 Clap your hands slowly, then quickly	9 Hop on one foot 10 times	10 Make sock puppets and put on a play!
11 Veterans Day Thank a Veteran Today	12 Have your child write the numbers 1-5 and then circle their age	13 National Indian Pudding Day- <i>see recipe</i>	14 Count how many things are on your dinner plate.	15 America Recycles Day- <i>see activity</i>	16 Button Day Use buttons to help your child solve simple addition and subtraction problems	17 Take a Hike Day Go outside and take a hike
18 Have your child trace their hand and use it to make a turkey drawing to decorate the house	19 Name all the people in your extended family	20 Universal Children's Day	21 World Hello Day-say hello at #SayHello	22 Thanksgiving Day Read a book about being thankful	23 Make up a story about cats and mice	24 Name one thing you did in the morning, afternoon and evening.
25 Have your child go around the house finding objects that rhyme, such as sock and block.	26 Read a book about different shapes.	27 What rhymes with FROG?	28 French Toast Day Have your child help make French Toast for breakfast	29 Sing Ten Little Fingers- <i>see activity</i>	30 How many words can you think of that rhyme with HOT?	



Slow Cooker Indian Pudding

Ingredients:

- 3 cups whole milk
- 1/2 cup cornmeal
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons unsalted butter, plus extra for greasing the cooker
- 2 large eggs
- 1/2 cup molasses
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ginger
- 1/2 cup dried cranberries (optional)
- Garnish: ice cream or whipped cream

Instructions

- Grease the inside of your slow cooker with butter and preheat on high 15 minutes.
- In a large, heavy-bottomed pot, whisk together milk, cornmeal, and salt, and bring to a boil. Continue whisking another 5 minutes; then cover and simmer on low 10 minutes. Remove from the burner and add butter.
- In a medium-sized bowl, combine eggs, molasses, and spices. Add some of the hot cornmeal mixture to the egg mixture to temper the eggs; then transfer egg mixture into the pot. Stir in cranberries, if you like.
- Scrape batter into the slow cooker (5-6 quarts) and cook on high 2 to 3 hours or on low 6 to 8 hours. The center will be not quite set.
- Serve warm topped with ice cream, whipped cream, or light cream.



How to make a RECYCLED bird feeder

Learn about recycling and help our feathered friends as the weather cools down

You will need:

- An empty milk carton
- Scissors
- dowel, chopstick or stick
- Ribbon, twine or string
- Birdseed

How to make:

Cut and opening in the milk carton. You will want to start about an inch from the bottom

Poke a hole under the opening for the dowel/chopstick/stick and poke a hole on the opposite side of the carton

Poke the dowel/chopstick/stick through the holes

Poke a hole in the top of the carton for the ribbon that will be used to hang the feeder. Thread the ribbon through and knot it, you can use twine or string too.

Fill with bird seed

Hang it outside and wait for the birds!



Ten Little Fingers

1 little, 2 little, 3 little fingers.
4 little, 5 little, 6 little fingers.
7 little, 8 little, 9 little fingers.
One more finger makes 10.

2 little hands, 10 little fingers.
2 little hands, 10 little fingers.
2 little hands, 10 little fingers.
Come and sing with me!

Leaves are Twirling

(to the tune of “Frere Jacques”)

Leaves are twirling,
Leaves are twirling,
All around,
All around.

They are falling softly,
Very, very softly,
To the ground,
To the ground.

