Books by the Bushel -

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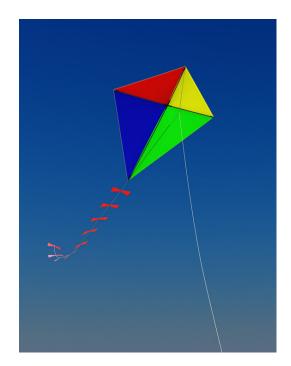
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Black History Month National Children's Den- tal Health Month	National Cherry Month American Heart Month Library Lover's Month				1 Bubble gum day	2 Groundhog Day- Did the Groundhog see his shadow?
3 Draw hearts for your child and have your child write a family member's name in each heart	4 Thank a Mailperson Day-Write a thank you note for your mailperson!	5 National Weatherman's Day- Discuss what the weather is today.	6 Read a book that has the word "heart" in it.	7 Send a card to a friend day!	8 Kite flying day- make your own indoor kite! (See Attached)	9 National Pizza Day- make a pizza together and discuss what your favorite toppings are.
10 Umbrella Day- draw and design your own umbrella!	Make a friend day- How many friends can you make today?	12 Help you child cut out Paper Hearts	13 Help your child make a Valentines bookmark!	14 Valentine's Day- Make your own Valentine Cards!	Think of words that begin with the letter H- How many words can you come up with?	Practice adding and subtracting using candy hearts
17 Random acts of kindness day- Discuss what ran- dom acts of kindness you did today	18 President's Day	19 National Chocolate Mint Day	Visit the Library to celebrate Library Lover's Month and pick out a new book!	21 Card Reading Day	Read a book that has the word "love" in it	23 Help your child find the letters in their name in a book you read together.
24 Have your child sort their socks by color.	25 Sing "The Itsy Bitsy Spider" and do the motions together.	26 Tell a fairy tale day- Have your child tell you the story of their favorite Fairy Tale	27 Polar Bear Day- read a book about a polar bear	28 Floral Design Day- Make your own floral design! (See Attached)		



Design Your Own Indoor Kite!

You will need...

- A blank piece of paper
- Scissors
- Coloring utensils (crayons, colored pencils, markers)
- A piece of string
- Tape
- Tissue Paper or Ribbon
- Glue



Instructions:

- Cut the blank piece of paper into a diamond shape (This is your Kite!)
- Color your Kite however you want
- Attach a piece of string to the middle of the kite using a piece of tape
- Glue strips of ribbon or tissue paper to the bottom of your kite
- Have your child try to blow their kite in to the air!

Design Your Own Flower Picture



You will need:

- A piece of construction paper (your choice of color)
- Green construction paper
- Flower border (Next page)
- Plastic-foam egg cartons
- Coloring utensils
- Scissors
- Glue

Instructions:

- Cut out stems and leaves from green construction paper
- Cut the outer edge of the flower border and glue it to your piece of construction paper
- Glue the leaves and stems on to your piece of paper (within the flower border)
- Cut out the egg carton cups- then cut the cups so they look like flowers
- Glue the flower tops to the stems
- Color the inside of your picture to make it look springy!

