

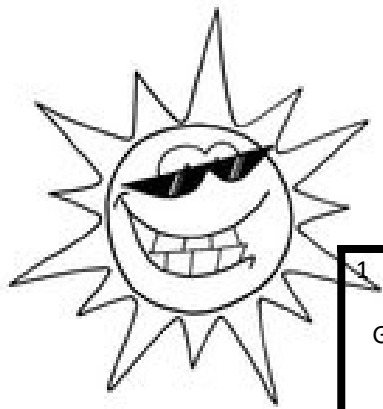
2024 Summer Calendar

Infant & Toddlers



June

16 Put your child on a quilt made of different fabrics or different patterns.	17 Tummy Time	18 Read a book outside.	19 In front of the mirror touch your child's facial features and name them.	20 Partially hide an object under a blanket and ask your child where it is.	21 Have a picnic outside.	22 Say out loud the things you are doing such as, "I'm putting milk in your bottle."
23 Place kitchen utensils in a container and allow child to manipulate them. You can add water.	24 Name objects around the house.	24 Take a walk around the neighborhood and point out the trees and different color leaves.	26 You can invent a first puzzle for child by letting them put items in a muffin pan.	27 What are you doing right now? Tell your child about it.	28 Give your child plastic bowls of different sizes for stacking, banging, rolling and wearing like a hat.	28 Gather scarves, toss them in the air one by one in front of your child to watch them float and swirl.
30 Paint with water						



July

	1 Go to the library.	2 Listen to music and dance with your child.	3 Lay your child on their stomach and place the object just beyond their reach.	4 Touch your child's fingers and toes while counting.	5 Do some actions that your child can copy.	6 Show your child a familiar object and tell them what you are going to do with it.
7 Read a book you never have before to your child.	8 Place a large blanket on the ground and scatter the items on it for your child to get to.	9 Fill a plastic container with rice, beans or buttons to make a shaker.	10 Tummy Time.	11 Describe your child's experience as they touches and tastes things.	12 Name a picture and then turn it away from your child so they can try to find it.	13 Use a box with two holes to let your child discover how to retrieve a toy that has gone out of reach.
14 Show your child family photos. Name the people in the pictures.	15 Encourage your child to play with an empty plastic container.	16 Talk to your child, tell them about your day, maintaining eye contact.	17 Place pieces of fabric in a box full of holes and encourage child to pull them out.	18 Have a tea party.	19 Using just water and cups, create a pouring station.	20 Encourage child to throw foam balls. Describe actions: fast, slow, high, low.
21 Use plastic cups or disposable cups and encourage child to stack them up.	22 Introduce your child to new sounds and noisy toys.	23 Play catch with someone outside.	24 Build a tunnel for toy cars to go through.	25 Give your plastic animals a bath.	26 Draw a picture living thing in your backyard.	27 Tummy Time.
28 Place plastic cups and water in a large container, add small plastic rubber ducks and allow child to explore.	29 Name things and people that surrounds your child.	30 Read to your child, describe and name things you see in the pictures.	31 Give your toddler simple directions, like to pick, bring or find something.			



August

				1 Make sock balls and allow child to throw them at the hamper.	2 Set up three or four familiar items on a tray. Cover one item and ask what is missing.	3 As you change your child, name the clothes as you put them on.
4 Do some actions that your child can copy.	5 Learn a new nurse rhyme or song.	6 Squeeze and squish objects with your child to see and hear the cause and effect.	7 Introduce a new food, such as a kiwi, dragonfruit.	8 Turn off the lights and read with a flashlight.	9 Play in the water.	10 Sing the song Pat-a-cake and clap baby's hands as you sing the song.
11 Find an animal and talk about it with your child.	12 Tummy Time.	13 Blow bubbles outside.	14 Imitate sounds of animals.	15 Count while stacking blocks one at a time.	16 Talk to your child softly. Describe what she is feeling.	17 Arrange a playdate for your child.
18 Go to the park.	19 Read a book about an animal.	20 Encourage your child to paint a mural using their feet by walking around a flat canvas.	21 Count bubbles as you pop them with your child.	22 Play catch with your child.	23 In front of a mirror, try on different hats, make funny faces and tell your child how beautiful they are.	24 Tummy Time.
25 Play hide and seek with objects under a blanket and ask child to find it.	26 Give your child a bubble bath. Talk about the temperature of the water.	27 Have a large clear plastic container and make a hole on the lid. Have lids for child to drop in container.	28 Encourage your child to dance and make music with pans, pots, etc.	29 Go on a nature walk and listen for sounds in your environment.	30 Have toys that can make different movements, so that your child learns up, down, right, left.	31 Find opportunities to teach your child new words.