



June's Reading Calendar



Monday Fluency	Tuesday Journal Entry	Wednesday Word Work	Thursday Comprehension	Friday Vocabulary Building	Saturday Websites	Sunday Field Trips
Choose your favorite book and take turns reading out loud with a family member. Listen to how your family member uses expression, then use expression, too.	Write from the point of view of a raindrop.	Play "I Spy" - Name a beginning or ending sound and take turns identifying objects that begin or end with that sound.	After reading, close your book and retell what you just read. Try to tell the events or information in the order that you read it. Keep practicing retelling after you read to strengthen this skill.	Keep a list of words that describe your vacation.	http://pbskids.org *Between the Lions	Visit the National Zoo http://www.si.edu/natzoo/
Make a book on tape to share with your family on your next car trip.	Write a diet plan for a hippopotamus. 	Play "Guess Again" – Give a category and one or two letters. EX: Category - Sports that begin with b and/or f. Answer: baseball and/or football.	As you read, make pictures in your mind of what is happening. This is like watching a movie in your mind's eye. If you can't picture what you are reading, you may want to reread until you can.	Play Secret Word by writing down a special word. Give your partner a one word clue to guess the word. Continue giving one word clues until the word is guessed. Sample words: beach, vacation, dog, sun	http://pbskids.org *Reading Rainbow	Visit the Grand Canyon http://www.thecanyon.com/index.cfm?go=photos
Choose a comic strip and read it out loud to or with a family member, don't forget to laugh!	Why do leaves fall? Why does snow fall? Why are there rainbows? Write a fantasy story explaining something in nature.	Learn a jump rope rhyme and practice it while jumping.	Start a Family Book Club . Select a book and after reading it talk about it together.	Play board games like Outburst, Scrabble, Taboo, Pictionary, Scattergories, or Word Yatzee .	http://www.nationalgeographic.com/kids National Geographic Kids News	Plan the vacation of your dreams at http://www.now2000.com/bigkidnetwork/vacationtime.html
Reread your favorite book to one of your stuffed animals or to your patient pet.	Write a list of things for an elephant to remember.	Play "Clap and Count" . Say a word and have your child repeat the word and clap the number of syllables.	Before you go on vacation, read an information book on the area you will be visiting. Find a new fact to share with your family.	Choose a word and make up a rhyme using that word. 	http://www.education-world.com/summerreading Check out some favorite books for summer reading.	Visit and Learn about Madagascar http://www.greatestplaces.org