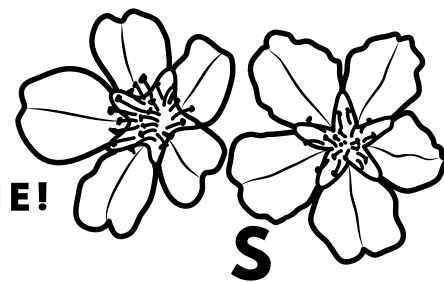


# MARCH 2021



DAILY LITERACY FUN FOR YOU AND YOUR LITTLE ONE!

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## 1 WRITE

Today is the start of Women's History Month! Have your child write down a list of women they admire and are inspired by!

## 2 TALK

Write down the words "one," "two," "three," "four," and "five." Ask your child to think of a rhyming word for each number!

## 3 READ

Pick out books about inspiring women! We love [Miss Moore](#) thought otherwise: how [Anne Carroll Moore](#) created libraries for children by Jan Pinborough.

## 4 COUNT

Have your child sort all of their stuffed animals by color or size. Then have them count how many are in each pile.

## 5 PLAY

Set up a picnic in your house and have your child invite their favorite stuffed animals or toys!

## 6 SCIENCE

Gather crayon stubs or cut up old crayons and combine them in a muffin tin. Bake at 150 until wax is melted, then let cool. Remove them from the tray and color!

## 7 SING

While going through your nighttime routine, make up a silly song about bedtime!

## 8 READ

Look for books about female activists! We love [The youngest marcher: the story of Audrey Faye Hendricks](#) by Cynthia Levinson.

## 9 PLAY

Go on an inside scavenger hunt and find things small enough to fit in your pocket!

## 10 TALK

Talk about the different sounds you hear in each room of the house.

## 11 WRITE

Make large letters on the floor with masking tape. Have your child trace each letter by walking on them or try a toy car!

## 12 SING

Sing the Hokey Pokey and dance together!

## 13 COUNT

Practice simple addition and subtraction problems using a snack like pretzels or cereal!

## 14 SCIENCE

Create an ocean in a bottle: add blue food coloring to a water bottle that's 1/3 full. Fill the rest of the bottle with cooking oil.

## 15 WRITE

Help your child write a letter to a special woman in their life (mom, grandma, teacher, aunt, etc.)

## 16 TALK

Ask your child to name what sounds we hear in the spring that we don't hear during winter!

## 17 COUNT

Happy St. Patrick's Day! Choose a room in the house. Count how many green objects are in that room!

## 18 READ

Learn about women in science! We love [Hidden figures: the true story of four black women and the space race](#) by Margot Lee Shetterly.

## 19 PLAY

Place a pillow on the floor and you're in an airplane in the sky! What do you see? Clouds? Birds? Buildings down below?

## 20 SING

Have a music parade! Play pretend instruments while you march around the house!

## 21 READ

Learn about women in art! We love [My name is Georgia: a portrait](#) by Jeanette Winter and [Viva Frida](#) by Yuyi Morales.

## 22 SING

Play music and dance like crazy! When your child least expects it, pause the song and shout, "Freeze!"

## 23 COUNT

Place colored squares of paper on the table. Have your child sort objects onto the right color, then count how many are in each square!

## 24 PLAY

This Women's History month, act out extraordinary women's tales using costumes or paper dolls!

## 25 TALK

Ask your child to demonstrate the sounds they hear at different times of the day.

## 26 WRITE

Have your child write a weather report for the day, either with words or with pictures!

## 27 SCIENCE

Place cut white flowers into vases with water and a few drops of food coloring. Watch the petals change colors!

## 28 PLAY

Get outside and jump rope together or play a game of hopscotch!

## 29 COUNT

While setting the table, count how many pieces of silverware you put out.

## 30 READ

Learn about women in government! We love [I dissent: Ruth Bader Ginsburg makes her mark](#) by Debbie Levy.

## 31 TALK

Ask your child about the different women they learned about this month. Who inspired them the most?



## HELP YOUR CHILD GET READY TO LEARN TO READ!

Each day features a fun activity that will help your child build pre-reading skills. The skills are all color coded and meant to help your child grow as a reader!