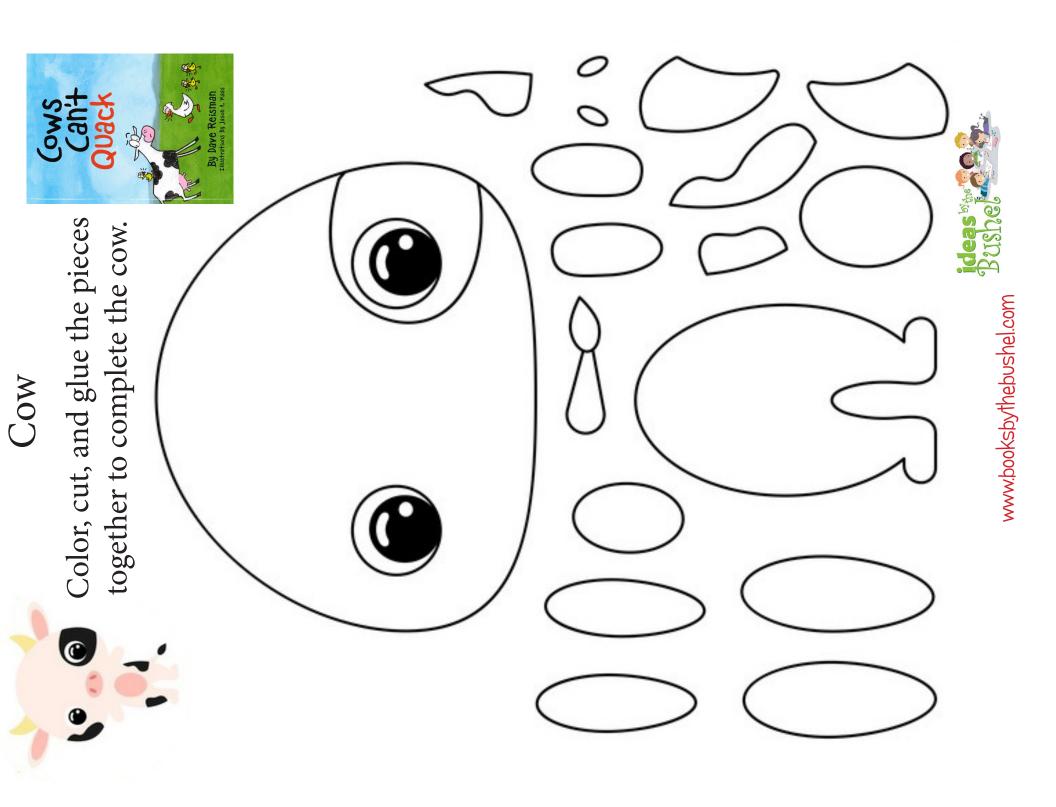


Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
National Ice Cream Month	National Outdoor Month	National Picnic Month		1 National Postal Worker Day! American Zoo Day!	2 Get Ice Cream together to celebrate National Ice Cream Month!	3 Hop-A-Park Day! Visit your local park!
4 Happy Independence Day!	5 National Graham Cracker Day! Eat Graham Crack- ers for a snack!	6 Play outside together to celebrate National Outdoor Month!	7 How many words can you and your child come up with that rhyme with the word "star"	Practice writing your name, and other words, in the sand!	9 National Sugar Cookie Day! Make sugar cookies together!	10 National Kitten Day! Read a book that has a kitten or cat in it!
Go on a summer scavenger hunt together!	12 National Paper Bag Day! Make your own Paper Bag Puppets and put on a show!	Cow Appreciation Day! Read the story "Cows Can't Quack" and make your own cow!	14 National Mac And Cheese Day! Make Mac And Cheese for lunch!	While reading a book together, have your child hunt for the letters that appear in their name!	Take a walk outside and see how many butterflies you can count!	17 World Emoji Day!
18 National Ice Cream Day! Capture the Sunset Week!	Draw a picture of a sunset to celebrate Capture the Sunset Week!	20 National Moon Day! Make your own Firefly to bring outside to look at the moon! (See Activity)	Use chalk to practice simple addition/subtraction problems!	Read a new rhyming story before going to bed!	Vanilla Ice Cream Day! Top Vanilla Ice Cream with your favorite ingredients!	24 National Cousins Day! National Day Of The Cowboy!
25 Act out your favorite story using stuffed animals!	Use a paintbrush and a cup of water to create different patterns on your sidewalk!	27 Draw different shapes on a piece of paper and have your child cut out the shapes!	28 Enjoy a picnic lunch together to celebrate Na- tional Picnic Month!	29 Pick up and sort your toys by color!	30 National Paperback Book Day! Read your favorite Paperback Book!	31 National Jump For Jelly Beans Day!







Firefly

Materials Needed:

- Plastic Egg
- Push Pin
- Pipe Cleaners
- Duct Tape
- Markers
- Flameless Tea Light



Instructions:

- Using your pipe cleaners, shape two ears and six legs for your firefly
- Using a push pin, poke two holes on the top of the egg, for the firefly's ears, and six holes on the bottom side of the egg for the firefly's legs
- Push your pipe cleaner ears and legs that you made through the holes you poked
- Using your duct tape cut the shape of wings you would like your firefly to have- then stick the wings on top of the egg
- Now you can draw eyes and a smile on your firefly using markers
- To make your Firefly light up, pop a Tea Light into the egg and watch it glow!

