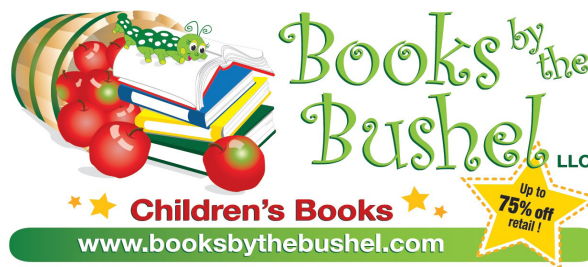


September

2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Library Card Sign-Up Week	Good Manners Month	1 Go to your local library and sign up for a library card!	2 Read a new book every week to celebrate National Literacy Month!	3 National Skyscraper Day! Use blocks to see how big of a skyscraper you can build!	4 National Wildlife Day! Draw a picture of your favorite wild animal!	5 Read and sing along to the story "Humpty Dumpty"
6 National Read A Book Day! Read a new book together!	7 Labor Day	8 International Literacy Day! Explore new worlds through reading!	9 Teddy Bear Day!	10 National Swap Ideas Day!	11 Make Your Bed Day! Start off the day by making your bed!	12 National Encouragement Day!
13 Grandparents Day!	14 National Coloring Day! Color a picture for a family member!	15 National Make A Hat Day!	16 National Play Dough Day! Make your own Play Dough! (See Activity)	17 How many words can you think of that rhyme with "play"	18 Make and eat a family breakfast together to celebrate Better Breakfast Month!	19 Talk Like A Pirate Day!
20 National Pepperoni Pizza Day! Eat a Pepperoni Pizza for Lunch!	21 World Gratitude Day!	22 Fall Begins!	23 Look for orange objects in and around your house!	24 Discuss good manners with your child for Good Manners Month!	25 Using dots, outline your child's name then have your child connect the dots!	26 Happy Birthday Johnny Appleseed! Make Your own Apple Tree (See Activity)
27 Take a walk outside and count how many leaves you pick up!	28 National Family Day! Eat a meal together as a family!	29 How many words can you come up with that start with the letter "e"	30 Look for square shaped objects! How many can you find?	National Literacy Month	Hispanic Heritage Month	Better Breakfast Month



Play Dough

Ingredients Needed:

- 1 Cup Flour
- 1/3 Cup Salt
- 2 Teaspoons Cream of Tartar
- 1 Cup Boiling Water
- 1 Tablespoon Oil
- Food Coloring (if desired)



Directions:

- Combine Flour, Salt and Cream of Tartar in a large container.
- Add the Boiling Water and Oil to the mixture. Stir until mixture becomes sticky/combined dough
- Wait for dough to cool, then knead dough until the stickiness is gone
- If dough is still sticky add a little more flour
- If desired add food coloring to the dough- before you knead it

Double the recipe for more Play Dough!

Make Your Own Apple Tree

Materials Needed:

- Brown Construction Paper
- White Construction Paper
- Green and Red Paint or Markers or Crayons
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Glue



Instructions:

- Trace and cut your hand/arm (halfway to the elbow) on Brown Construction Paper- this will be the trunk of the tree.
- Glue your arm tracing (trunk of the tree) to a piece of white construction paper
- Using either paint, markers, or crayons, decorate the leaves of the tree and add apples to the tree.
- Write your name on the trunk of the tree
- If desired, decorate the construction paper to add a sky!