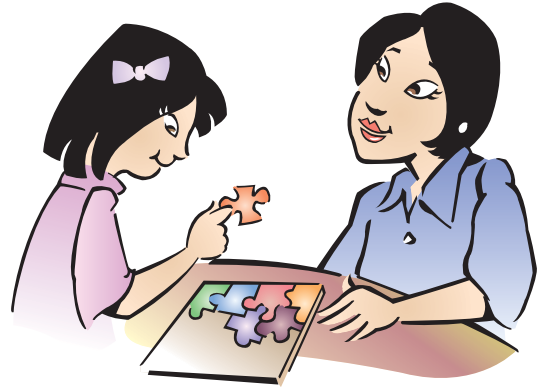


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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
March 2006			1 Make a weather chart. Keep track of the the temperature, wind and rain each day in March.	2 It's the birthday of Dr. Seuss. Read one of his books with your child.	3 It's the birthday of Alexander Bell, inventor of the telephone. Teach your child how to take a message.	4 Go to a nearby park or running trail. Everyone run like the March wind!
5 Make a puzzle with your child. Glue a picture from a magazine onto cardboard. Cut it into puzzle shapes.	6 Set aside some time this month to do something together you enjoyed as a child.	7 Play Concentration with fractions. Fractions with the same value make a pair, like 1/2, 2/4, 3/6 and so on.	8 On a visit to the library, use reference books or the Internet to look up events on the day your child was born.	9 Encourage your child to sort his books by subject. He can use the library's system or invent his own.	10 Plan a later bedtime so everyone can read in bed tonight.	11 Learn the sign language alphabet. Use it to practice spelling words today.
12 Check ads for prices ending in 98 or 99 cents. Round off and estimate. How much would four of these cost?	13 On this day in 1781, the planet Uranus was discovered. Take a walk and look for planets and stars.	14 Write an encouraging note and tuck it in your child's jacket pocket or a school book.	15 Watch the news on TV with your child. Choose one story and compare it with the newspaper story.	16 Pick a category (animals, food). Your child picks a letter. How many items from that category can you name?	17 Teach your child how to sew on a button today.	18 Make today punctuation day. See how many types of punctuation you come across. What does each stand for?
19 Make play clay. Mix 1 c. flour, 1/3 c. salt, a few drops of oil, and water to make it easy to handle.	20 It's Clutter Awareness Week. Brainstorm about ways to reduce the clutter in your house.	21 Visit the library with your child. Check out a book about stars.	22 Together, think of several words that start with the same letter. Put them in a sentence that makes sense.	23 Have your child rank homework assignments from easiest to hardest. Have her do the hardest one first.	24 Today is the birthday of magician Harry Houdini. Learn a magic trick with your child.	25 Tonight, take a walk with your child. See how many stars and constellations you can identify.
26 Make today your child's special day. Let her choose what you'll do and eat.	27 Have your child draw a window picture. He can look out the window and draw what he sees!	28 Play a rhyming game. Take turns making up a short sentence. Answer with a sentence that rhymes.	29 Learn a tongue twister. At dinner, challenge everyone to repeat it three times fast.	30 Have your child choose a newspaper headline. Turn it into a question. Does the article answer the question?	31 Look at your weather chart. Did March come in like a lion and go out like a lamb?	