

September 2009 Learning Calendar



Science



Mathematics



Reading/Writing



Social Studies



Recreation































Listening/Speaking



Health



Charles County Public Schools
Title I Program
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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		<p>1 Find out when your child's school is hosting Back-to-School Night or Open House. It is a great opportunity to meet teachers and learn about expectations.</p> 	<p>2 Check on your child's homework routine. Is it getting done in a reasonable amount of time without distractions?</p> 	<p>3 Read your child's student handbook. Be sure you and your child understand the school behavior rules and regulations.</p> 	<p>4 Play dirty! Go outside and dig with your kids. Learn about soil and how things grow at www.kidsgardening.com</p> 	<p>5 When your family dines out, have your child calculate the tip to leave at a restaurant.</p> 
<p>6 It's Read a Book Day. Choose a book to read to your child.</p> 	<p>7 Labor Day was first celebrated in New York City in 1882. Talk about why our country celebrates American workers.</p> 	<p>8 Bookmark the Charles County Schools' Website at www.cbcoe.com Check regularly for updates and schedules.</p>	<p>9 All Title I school parents should receive, sign, and return the Home-School Compact (agreement for responsibilities of the parent, student, and school).</p>	<p>10 Make school lunches fun and healthy. Turn a sandwich into fun food by cutting it with cookie cutters.</p> 	<p>11 September is National Coupon Month. Create a shopping list using coupons. See how much money you can save.</p> 	<p>12 Have fun with numbers while traveling. Add up the numbers on license plates; then multiply them, divide, etc.</p> 
<p>13 Celebrate Grandparents' Day by having your children create a family tree project. Where were their grandparents born? Where did they meet?</p> 	<p>14 Find out who the Parent Liaison is at your Title I school and introduce yourself. Ask them about Title I or what you can do at school.</p>	<p>15 It's Make a Hat Day, so get creative. Think about a design or a pattern you like. Use materials that represent your personality. Wear the hat.</p> 	<p>16 How many bones do you have in your body? Adults have 206; babies are born with about 275. What happens to them as you grow?</p> 	<p>17 The Constitutional Congress held its final meeting on this date in 1787. What historic document ensures "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness?"</p> 	<p>18 Watch a movie as a family. Discuss your favorite part. Practice active listening by allowing each person to speak without interruption.</p> 	<p>19 Plan a trip to visit a museum. Talk with your children about their interests and plan a day together.</p>  
<p>20 Obesity is a serious disease affecting children. Become more active as a family. Begin with a walk around the block or walk through the mall.</p> 	<p>21 The Maryland State Parental Information Resource Center (PIRC) is committed to helping children succeed at school. Check it out at www.mdpirc.org</p>	<p>22 The U.S. Post Office opened this day in 1789. Help your child write a letter to a friend or relative. Then help them mail it.</p>  	<p>23 If your child attends Indian Head, J.P. Ryon, or Eva Turner Elementary, it is Title I Night at the Blue Crabs Stadium. Come learn about Title I. Must RSVP (6-9pm)</p>	<p>24 Read with your children every chance you get, from picture books to daily newspapers. Talk about what you have read together.</p> 	<p>25 Read today's newspaper together, whether it is the current events section or the comics, and have a discussion about what you read.</p>  	<p>26 Eat an apple today in remembrance of Johnny Appleseed's birthday. Who was Johnny Appleseed?</p> 
<p>27 Before it's too cold, plan a family camp out in your yard or in another room of your home. Use a tent or be creative and build one with blankets.</p> 	<p>28 Tooth brushing is important. Time how long it takes you to brush; ask your children to do the same! Hint: you should spend 2-3 minutes.</p> 	<p>29 Reward good behavior consistently and immediately. Expressions of love, appreciation and thanks go a long way in your child's mind.</p> 	<p>30 Many county libraries host story times for pre-school students and their parents. Call your library or check the calendar online at www.ccplonline.org</p> 			<p>Some content taken from Baltimore County Public Schools website</p>