



April 2015



April showers bring May flowers.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 April Fool's Day <i>Tell a favorite knock-knock joke.</i>	2 <i>March around the house while counting to 100.</i>	3 <i>Talk about what you like best about school.</i>	4 <i>Sing, talk and dance with your family every day!</i>
5 <i>Write numbers 2 to 20. Draw 20 items.</i>	6 <i>Read at least 20 minutes each night. Talk about books. What is your favorite book?</i>	7 <i>Sing, Sign & Spell "b-e-c-a-u-s-e". Write the word 3 times.</i>	8 <i>Take a walk and talk about how you know spring is here.</i>	9 <i>Make a book about birds in spring. What do we know about birds?</i>	10 <i>Recite poems from your "I Can Read" Notebook.</i>	11 <i>Take a walk, looking for flowers: Which ones can you name? A horticulturist studies plants.</i>
12	13 <i>Talk about kindness. What did we do today that showed kindness to someone?</i>	14 <i>Review the next set of high-frequency "heart words" every night.</i>	15 <i>Add new pens and paper to the Drawing/Writing Tote. Keep making books!</i>	16 <i>Count everything: silverware, pennies in a jar...</i>	17 Good Friday <i>Take a walk and notice things around you. Talk about things that are growing.</i>	18 <i>Make a list of things you love!</i>
19 Easter	20 <i>Talk about the things we love from nature.</i>	21 Earth Day <i>Sing, "I Love The Earth" and other songs about nature.</i>	22 <i>Look for bugs. Draw a picture of the ones you found. Can you name them?</i>	23 <i>Talk about your favorite book. What part of the story do you like best?</i>	24 <i>Make a grocery list and use it to buy groceries.</i>	25 <i>Tell bedtime stories together. Sing favorite lullabies.</i>
26 <i>Help make breakfast for the family. Count and measure everything!</i>	27 <i>Take a night walk and look at the stars. Sing ♪ Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star.♪</i>	28 <i>Tell family stories at dinner time.</i>	29	30		

Thank you for giving your child the gift of nightly reading.

Monthly family activity calendar pages available for members at nellieedge.com.