



MAY 2024

Intermediate Literacy Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			Herb Day 1 <u>Do you know what an herb is? Do you have a favorite?</u>	2 Mother's Day is Sunday. Surprise your mom by making her a card or picture! List three things that make her a great mom and add drawings if you like.	3 Do you have a favorite book? Who wrote it? Do an internet search and find out more about the author. When did they start writing? How many books have they written?	Star Wars Day 4 <u>Celebrate the day with these fun Star Wars activities!</u>
Cinco de Mayo 5 <u>Happy Cinco de Mayo! Watch this video to learn more about this holiday.</u>	Beverage Day 6 <u>Enjoy your favorite beverage today. If you don't have a favorite or want to try something new, check out this list of fun summer drinks.</u>	7 Spend some time reading outside today.	8 <u>Use this website to make your own crossword puzzle and share with friends and family!</u>	9 Visit your local library and check out new books. Expand your horizons by trying a book you're not so sure about.	10 <u>Do you know what species of birds call your neighborhood home? Check out this website to start identifying the birds you see.</u>	Eat What You Want Day 11 What would you eat if you could eat anything you wanted? Would you eat healthy food or junk food? How would you feel at the end of the day?
Mother's Day 12 Happy Mother's Day to all our wonderful moms!	Limerick Day 13 <u>Write a limerick and share it with your family. Here are instructions to get you started.</u>	Dance Like a Chicken Day 14 <u>Have you ever done the chicken dance? Gather your family and watch this video to get started!</u>	15 Be a Millionaire Day is this Friday. What would you do with one million dollars? Write a paragraph detailing how you would spend the money.	16 The first ever Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Awards were handed out on this day in 1929.	17 <u>On this day in 1954, the United States Supreme Court ruled unanimously, in Brown versus Board of Education, that racial segregation in public schools is unconstitutional.</u>	18 Yesterday was Pizza Party Day. Whether you order pizza or make your own, enjoy an evening with family, board games, and pizza!
19 Write a letter to your favorite author. You should be able to find a mailing address or an email with an internet search. If not, check with your local librarian!	Armed Forces Day 20 <u>This holiday reminds us to celebrate the men and women who serve in the armed forces. Learn more about this holiday by clicking here.</u>	21 <u>Get creative and write your own story using Scholastic Story Starters!</u>	22 When a book is made into a movie, do you prefer the book or the movie? Why?	23 Write a story about an animal that escaped from the zoo. Which animal was it? What did he do and where did he go while he was out? How did he get back to the zoo?	Scavenger Hunt Day 24 <u>Use this list to plan an outdoor scavenger hunt for your friends or family. Let the fun begin!</u>	25 Collect jokes and funny short stories from your friends and family, then assemble them in a book or newsletter to share!
26 Pick a subject and write down all the words you can that describe it. For example, if the subject were flowers, you could write down: colorful, fragrant, growing, etc. Work together to think of as many words as possible.	Sunscreen Day 27 <u>Applying sunscreen is one of many things you can do to protect your skin this summer. Click here for more ideas about staying safe in the sun and what to do if you get sunburned.</u>	Hamburger Day 28 What do you like on your hamburger? Draw a picture of what your perfect hamburger would look like, then write the steps to make it.	Memorial Day 29 <u>Happy Memorial Day! Here are some suggestions on how to celebrate the day.</u>	30 Using things you find around your home, design a board game. Make the board, pieces, and instructions, then try it out with a friend.	31 Go on a "booknic" today! Bring all of your favorite books and a few snacks!	