



Helping prepare your child for Kindergarten can be fun —
Just sing, talk, read, write, and play with your child everyday!

Do the following activities during the month of January and return your completed sheet before the end of the month for an entry into a drawing for a goodie bag.

<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Sing some songs while driving to the library.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Talk about what colors of cars you see.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Count how many birds you see and draw a picture.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Insert your child's name into a familiar nursery rhyme.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Read a story about penguins. Describe what a penguin looks like.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Read a book about snow. Talk about what you like to do in the snow.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Use your five senses and describe what popcorn smells, tastes, sounds, feels, and looks like.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Play with cardboard boxes. Compare sizes— bigger, smaller, shorter, taller, etc.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Talk about the different people in your family and how you are related.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Sing songs that have rhyming words such as "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" and talk about the rhymes.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Write a letter to someone and let your child add their own writing/ drawing.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Take turns pretending you are different animals and guess the animal.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Talk about today's weather and what you should wear outside.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>As you do laundry, play "Match the Socks." Talk about how they are different and how they are the same.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Read a nonfiction book about an animal.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/> <p>When you are outside, count the number of cars you see driving by.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Play "What Doesn't Belong." <i>Is it the bread, jam, or the shoe? Yes, the shoe because we can't eat it.</i></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Sit quietly for a few minutes, then talk about what sounds you heard.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Read a story that has several words that begin with the letter S. Really stretch out the /s/ sound.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Look out the window and draw a picture of what you see.</p>
<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Talk to your child as you cook dinner. Explain the process.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Read an alphabet book.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Sing and dance the Hokey Pokey.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Count how many circles you see in the room.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> <p>Put a puzzle together. Describe what the picture is of.</p>

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E-mail or phone number _____