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Early Literacy Calendar

This Month's Early Literacy Specialist Visits:	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Alliston—13 Wellington St Monday February 2, 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Collingwood—250A Peel St Wednesday January 4, 2026 10:00am Baby & Me</p> <p>Washago—4361 Hamilton St Monday February 9, 2026 10:30am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Orillia —250 West St N Monday February 9, 2026 1:30pm Grow With Baby</p> <p>Barrie —129 Ferris Lane Tuesday February 10, 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Bradford—118 Barrie St Wednesday February 11, 2026 1:30pm Life with Baby</p> <p>Bradford—118 Barrie St Thursday February 12, 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Midland—356 King St Wednesday February 18 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>ON y va Penetanguishene 63 Main St Thursday February 19, 2026 10:00am Story Walk</p> <p>Collingwood—250A Peel St Monday February 23, 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Orillia —250 West St N Tuesday February 24, 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p> <p>Thornton— 4171 Innisfil Beach Rd Thursday February 26 2026 9:00am Stay, Play & Learn</p>							
	1 I am building my vocabulary everyday. Let's take a walk and label everything we see that is red?	2 Sing WITH me! Make homemade instruments like shakers or drums and have a mini concert, singing favourite songs with your creations.	3 Write WITH me! Create a simple Valentine card using crayons and paper. Encourage your child to "write" their name or draw a picture inside.	4 Play WITH me! Let's have a dress-up day. Use costumes or old clothes to create characters and act out stories.	5 Read WITH me! Choose a book with rhymes and read it aloud. Emphasize the rhyming words and see if your child can predict the next rhyme.	6 Talk WITH me! Ask me my favourite thing? Ask me how it makes me feel and why I like it.	7 Let's play outside today! 
	8 Can I help make lunch today? I learn about responsibility when we work together.	9 Let's bake or cook together! We can count the number of ingredients. 	10 Let's play snow tag! Make a 'track' in the snow, & everyone has to stay on it! I need to move my body to be calm, alert and ready to learn.	11 Help me be independent! Move things so I can reach! Coat hooks, soap, towels, etc.	12 Read to me! Be sure to include 15 minutes of read aloud time into your daily routine.	13 Let's have a heart-themed scavenger hunt. Hide paper hearts around the house for me to find. 	Happy Valentine's Day 
	15 Disconnect to Connect! Screens away, time to play.		17 Let's go on a snow safari! We can walk outside and look for animals or animal tracks.	18 Can we play at EarlyON today? 	19 Make up a fun song about our daily routines like getting ready in the morning or brushing my teeth. Singing can lighten the mood when doing difficult tasks.	20 Let's bring a little bit of snow inside and put it in a bowl or bin. Let me explore the snow in a new way! We could even bring it in the bathtub.	Family GAME Night 
	22 Can we make animal snow sculptures and use twigs, berries, leaves or other nature bits to decorate?	23 Tell me about things that made you feel happy today? I learn about emotions from you. It's ok to talk about hard	24 Put on your favourite song and dance with me.	25 Show your support for Pink Shirt Day. 	26 Show me how to be kind — let's do something nice for someone today.	27 Let's look out the window at the weather each day. Talk to me about how it affects what we wear and do.	28 Strive for Five turns in a conversation with me back and forth about the SAME TOPIC. 

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8	9 	10	11	12	13 	14
15		17	18 Pouvons-nous jouer au centre ON y va aujourd'hui? 	19	20	22
22	23 things!	24	25 Montrez votre soutien à la journée du chandail rose. 	26	27	28 Efforçons-nous de tenir une conversation d'au moins 5 phrases sur un MÊME SUJET.