Month of August 2015

Week 1	Read for 20 minutes, complete a book response form.	Go on a number hunt. Write down the numbers that you find.	Use your favorite cereal to make the letters in your name.	Make homemade play- dough with your child.	Turn off the lights and read together with a flashlight.	Visit the post office, write a journal about your visit	Complete a page in the summer journal.
Week 2	Read for 20 minutes, complete a book response form.	Ask questions and collect data. Make a graph of the data. (Favorite food, favorite color, boys/girls in family)	Write your name, letters, and numbers in shaving cream on the table of a cookie try.	Plant a flower seed and talk about how it will grow. Write a journal/draw a picture of what they think will happen.	Go to the movies to see a new movie. Talk about the movie afterwards and write a journal about it.	Visit a pizzeria, write a journal about your visit.	Complete a page in the summer journal.
Week 3	Read for 20 minutes, complete a book response form.	Do jumping jacks. Count them as you do them.	Use play-dough to make your name, letters, and numbers.	Collect things from nature and talk about them. Make a nature collage.	Use toy cars to drive the letters of the alphabet, say the letter sound and name things that begin with the letter.	Visit a bakery, write a journal about your visit.	Complete a page in the summer journal.
Week 4	Read for 20 minutes, complete a book response form.	Play a walking game. Ask, how many steps will it take to get to? (door, stairs, refrigerator, etc.)	Create a salt tray, using salt and a baking tray. Write your name, letters, and numbers in the salt using finger, paintbrush, or pencil.	Count how many bugs you find in your yard today.	Play "I Spy"	Visit a restaurant, have a sit down dinner, talk about the menu. Write a journal about your visit.	Complete a page in the summer journal.
Week 5	Read for 20 minutes, complete a book response form.	Collect a rock for each member of the family. Try to find different sizes for each family member (big=daddy, small=baby)	Use sidewalk chalk outside. Write you name, letters, and numbers on the driveway or sidewalk.	Make your own bubble solution. Blow bubbles and talk about their different characteristics.	Act out a familiar story together.	Visit the local Zoo. Write a journal about your visit.	Complete a page in the summer journal.