



AUGUST PLAY PLANNER

M	PAPER TOWEL FLOWERS: Use the dried dropper paintings to make these gorgeous flowers as a RAOK for a friend.	T	TRAVEL CHALLENGE: Instead of driving, choose a new way to head out on an outing today - ride a bike, catch a bus, scoot or walk.	W	SING A NEW LITERACY SONG: Build literacy skills such as phonemic awareness with this handy list of songs.	T	BUILD FORTS INSIDE OR OUT! : Here are some of our favourite stories to inspire fort building.	F
M	BAKE AN APPLE SLICE: Get busy in the kitchen and make this delicious apple slice for afternoon tea.	T	JUNK MAIL LITERACY: Raid the junk mail/catalogue pile and try one of these 8 literacy based activities.	W	MATH FUN: Choose one of these 12 hands-on math challenges to try.	T	SHADOW BUILDING: Choose a sunny spot (or set up in front of a lamp), build a tower with your favourite blocks and around trace its shadow.	F
M	BUILDING CHALLENGE: Use Lego or Duplo and choose one of these fun challenges to build.	T	JUMP AND LEARN: Use chalk to write numbers, letters or sight words onto a pavement or trampoline. Jump and say the word.	W	LIBRARY HUNT: Head to your local library and borrow a 'how to' book or guide – a recipe book, Lego ideas book, gardening manual, etc.	T	SOCK WRESTLING: Enjoy a family game of sock wrestling!	F
M	GROOVING & MOVING: Get moving to the tunes on one of these fun Youtube channels for kids.	T	STEM FUN: Design and create a Pom Pom Launcher or Marble Run from household materials.	W	CREATE A STORY SMALL WORLD FOR PRETEND PLAY: Here are seven to inspire you	T	101 WAYS TO PLAY OUTDOORS: Print out a copy of our mega outdoor play list and choose a fun way (or 5!) to play outdoors.	F
M	TREASURE HUNT IN A BOTTLE: $\frac{3}{4}$ fill a bottle with rice and tiny toys and objects to make your very own treasure hunt in a bottle.	T	FANCY FOOTWORK: A fun way to begin distinguishing left from right.	W	BATHTUB MONSTERS: Add playful fun to bathtime with a set of mixed up monsters from craft foam.	T	MAKE SEED TAPE: Celebrate the upcoming change of seasons by making some seed tape for your own garden, or to gift to a friend.	F