









# KINDERGARTEN READINESS CALENDAR

## OCTOBER 2019 – ALL ABOUT FALL!



Sunday Creative Arts	Monday Language Arts	Tuesday Science	Wednesday Letter	Thursday Math	Friday Social & Emotional	Saturday Physical Development
		<b>1</b> This month we are talking about the season of fall! What are your favorite parts of the fall season?	<b>2</b> The letter of the month is O! What sound does the letter O make? 	<b>3</b> How many days are in the month of October? How many days are left in the month after today?	<b>4</b> Fall is my favorite season! What is your favorite season?	<b>5</b> Go to your library and check out books about fall! 
<b>6</b> Fall means football in Mississippi! Pretend you are in a halftime show in a football game, show us your routine!	<b>7</b> Football has lots of unique language. Ask your local coach to tell you what special football words mean.	<b>8</b> What happens when you throw a football up in the air? Where does it go? 	<b>9</b> The letter O reminds me of a shape. What shape does it make you think about?	<b>10</b> There are lots of numbers in the game of football. Where do you see them? Hint – scoreboard, tickets, jerseys, seats...	<b>11</b> Friday night lights are the best in my town! What is the name of the mascot for your school's team?	<b>12</b> Let's go outside and throw the football around. Or any ball you have!
<b>13</b> Fall is apple harvest time! Cut apples in half. Dip apples in paint to make apple prints!	<b>14</b> Did you know that there are over 1,000 different types of apples? How many can you name?	<b>15</b> How do apples grow? What are those little things on the inside?	<b>16</b> Do you see any words with the letter O on this calendar? Circle all that you find!	<b>17</b> How tall are you if you measured yourself in apples? 	<b>18</b> What did you think about all the apples this week? Did you taste different kinds? Which is your favorite?	<b>19</b> Return your books to the library and check out more! 
<b>20</b> Fall leaves are my favorite! See if you can find some fall leaves, pine cones, and other fall items to make a fall collage.	<b>21</b> Trees that change colors are called deciduous trees. What kind of trees stay green all year?	<b>22</b> Leaves turning colors in the fall is part of the life cycle. What will happen in the next stage?	<b>23</b> Take a walk outside and see if you can find the letter O!	<b>24</b> Gather a variety of fall leaves. Sort leaves by different categories: size, color, length, etc.	<b>25</b> Talk with your friends about the colors of the leaves in your community. Have they enjoyed the fall leaves like us?	<b>26</b> Go for a walk outside your neighborhood. Can you tell what fallen leaves match which trees?
<b>27</b> Draw pumpkin faces with your family. Can you tell how your pumpkins are feeling? 	<b>28</b> Do you know any pumpkin songs? Search tonight to see what you can find. I found one about 5!	<b>29</b> What are some of the things that pumpkins need to grow? Hint – we need some of the same things!	<b>30</b> I have the letter O in my middle name. Do you have the letter O in any of your names?	<b>31</b> Today is the last day of October. What month starts tomorrow?	 <b>EXCEL BY 5</b> <sup>SM</sup>	

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