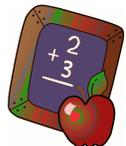


## Speech and Language Ideas for September 2013

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>1</p> 	<p>2</p>	<p>3 Welcome back!</p> 	<p>4 Ask your child to name as many animals that like the cold weather (e.g., penguins).</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>7 Ask your child to name as many farm animals as possible. Draw pictures of the animals.</p>
<p>8</p>	<p>9 Ask your child to tell you three things he/she did in school today.</p>	<p>10</p>	<p>11 Have your child write a letter to a friend. Put a stamp on the envelope and mail it.</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13 Enjoy family reading time. Everyone reads on their own for at least 15 minutes.</p>	<p>14</p>
<p>15 Visit the library. Find a favourite book and bring it home to read. Tell the story from the pictures.</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 Use the iPad app "Cake Maker!" by Crazy Cats Inc. and talk about the steps and ingredients needed to bake a cake.</p>	<p>18</p> 	<p>19 Have your child help with the gardening or caring for house plants.</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21 Involve your child in making pancakes for breakfast. What ingredients are needed?</p>
<p>22</p> 	<p>23 Before your children leave for school, ask them to tell you two things they think they will do at school today.</p>	<p>24</p>	<p>25 Name 5 things in the kitchen. Name 5 things that are <i>not</i> in the kitchen.</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27</p> 	<p>28 Have your child help you write a shopping list.</p>
<p>29 Take your child grocery shopping. Talk about food that grows on trees versus in the ground.</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>If you have any concerns about how well your child is speaking and listening in either English or in the home language, contact the Toronto Preschool Speech and Language Services (TPSLS) at 416-338-8255 for free services by a speech-language pathologist. Parents can self-refer their JK child until November 18, 2013.</p>				