

NOVEMBER

MONTHLY CHALLENGES

WEEK 1

Point out to your family the things in nature that tell us it is now fall!

Practice high frequency and sight words on flashcards.

Learn a new dance with a member in your family. Discuss the importance of paying attention and following instructions when learning something new.

Tally up the number of stuffed animals or books you have in your home.

WEEK 2

Be a nature spy and take pictures (on a phone, tablet, or camera) of things in nature that you find interesting (like an insect or plant).

Practice reading and listening to stories that are both fiction and non-fiction. Ask the question, "Is this fact or fiction? How do you know?"

Draw a picture of your favorite animal as an adult and as a baby.

Talk with your family about kindness and ways you can help others!

WEEK 3

Use 2 different kinds of food in your pantry to make different kinds of patterns.

Discuss the different kinds of foods there are like fruits, vegetables, meats, etc. What kinds of foods do humans eat?

Use blocks of different shapes (if you have them, otherwise use any blocks or legos you can) to create a building! Count how many blocks you used to create it.

Practice the sounds of every letter in the alphabet.

WEEK 4

Teach your family some of the yoga poses we practice at school!

Point out the different shapes we see in nature, both 2D and 3D shapes.

Try to find poems to read together and identifying the rhyming words within it.

Read a book together and have your student point out short words that they know. Have them practice reading those words by themselves.