

# AUGUST 2015

## FAMILY ENGAGEMENT CALENDAR



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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						Download the <b>FREE PCS Family Engagement APP</b> on your Iphone or Android.
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Monitor cell phone/computer usage and messages to ensure your child's safety even though they may see it as an invasion of privacy.	Have fun washing the car together. <i>Try not to get soaked.</i>	<b>National Chocolate Chip Day!</b> Share some cookies and stories with your kids.	Visit <a href="http://www.PSCB.org">www.PSCB.org</a> to look at the Back to School Guide.	Spend <i>quality</i> time with your child – even if it is only for a small amount of time.	<b>Florida's Back-to-School Shopping Sale Tax Holiday</b> begins today. (Ends 8/16)	Talk about the new school year and the expectations you have.
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Address any concerns your child may have and help them work through them.	Go through clothes and donate what your child has outgrown.	Children learn by observing. Choose your actions and words carefully.	Spend one-on-one time with your child doing something you both enjoy.	Teach your child to make a favorite family meal together.	<b>Friday Family Fun Night!</b> Pop some popcorn and watch a movie or play your child's favorite game.	<b>National Relaxation Day.</b> Take time to relax before the kids go back to school.
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
<b>Last day of Florida's Sale Tax Free shopping.</b>	Discuss the importance of education with your child.	Have a discussion with your child about <i>their plans</i> for this school year.	Choose words that <i>encourage</i> your child.	Visit your child's school's website for important information.	Help your child organize their supplies and clothes.	Discuss school morning routines so everyone is familiar with them before the first day of school.
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Lay out clothes, organize school supplies, and make lunches tonight so tomorrow isn't stressful.	<b>First day of school!</b> Ask about their day when they come home!	Have your child mark school holidays and events on the family calendar.	Let your child's teacher know the best way to communicate with you – email, phone, etc.	The start of a new school year can be challenging. Let your child know you are available to help.	Discuss the first week of school with your child. Find out what they liked best/least.	Kids have busy schedules. Make sure you know where they are & with whom.
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Set boundaries to keep your child safe.	Tell your child that you are proud of them!					