



Student Name _____ Teacher _____

PPK/VPK Spring Challenge 2022-2023

Are you up to this "Spring Break Challenge"? We have confidence that you are!

Complete as many learning activities as you can over the spring break.

Ask an adult to initial each box once completed. Then return Spring Challenge Choice Board and evidence to your teacher.

Choice Board: Complete as many as you can! 😊

<p>ELA: Family dance party! Dance to 3 or more of your favorite songs! Extension: Have a family fashion or talent show! If you have a pet at home include them! What tricks can they do? Have fun!</p>	<p>MATH: Leaf Hunt! Go outside and find leaves of different colors and sizes. Sort leaves by color or size! Extension: Put paper on top of leaves. Then, use a crayon to brush over the leaf making a leaf design on the paper!</p>	<p>Science: Shade vs. Sun! Gather ice cubes and find shady and sunny surfaces! Start a discussion about what makes ice melt. Where do you think ice will melt faster? In the shade, or in the sun? Have your preschooler put one ice cube in the shade and the other in sun. Watch and note the results!</p>	<p>MATH: Go on a number hunt around your house! How many numbers can you find in your home? Where did you find the most numbers?</p>	<p>ELA: Letter Musical Chairs! With adult help, write letters of your name on sticky notes or a piece of paper. Place one letter on each chair. Play the music and when it stops say the letter you sit on.</p>
<p>MATH: Shapes all around us! What shapes can you find around your home? How many items can you find shaped like a circle? How many items can you find shaped like a rectangle? How many items can you find shaped like a square? Extension: Create 6 different shapes on the floor using a variety of items around the house.</p>	<p>Science: Lay outside and watch the clouds. What do you see? Can you find shapes in the clouds? Extension: Using chalk or crayons or cotton balls w/ glue, create a cloud collage on paper! *How does the sky change during sunset? What colors can you see during sunset or right when the sun goes down?</p>	<p>ELA: Go on a letter or word hunt at the grocery store or in your neighborhood! You can even look for words while driving from one place to another! Look for words you can read!</p>	<p>Social Studies: Make your own flag that represents your home or family! Use markers or crayons or anything you have!</p>	<p>Science: Blow bubbles! Get some bubbles and a wand! Blow gently and produce a bubble! Talk about air being inside the bubble. Talk about how bubbles have different colors. Ask your preschooler why they think bubbles burst when they hit the ground!</p>
<p>ELA: Build a fort outdoors or indoors. Then, read or look at books with a flashlight in the fort.</p> 	<p>Social Studies: Be a productive member of the household! What can you do to help around the house? Examples: "clean my room" "sweep or vacuum" "make my bed" "feed my pet" "fold towels" "match socks"</p>		<p>ELA: Play hide N seek or go on a scavenger hunt. Collect 5-10 items to hide. Name the items then hide around the house to find! Play hide-n-seek with your favorite stuffies!</p>	<p>MATH: Spring Soup! Collect a storage bin or small bowl with spoons. Go outside and collect fun things from nature and small flowers (like dandelions) or grass. Count your set of flowers! Add findings to container and add water. Then serve a delicious bowl of spring soup!</p>
<p>Social Studies: Call a grandparent or older relative or send 3 letters or pictures to tell them you are thinking of them!</p>	<p>Math: Invite your preschooler to collect a variety of items. (leaves, wildflowers, shells, rocks, sticks). Sort and count! Extension: Make nature designs and pictures with leaves, rocks, flowers, and sticks.</p>	<p>Science: Nature Scavenger Hunt! Find-small flowers, big flowers, plants with no flowers, something that smells good, something in your favorite color, a big leaf, sticks, a bee, a butterfly, a cloud, a bird. Extension: Find 5 living and 5 nonliving items</p>	<p>Math: Help an adult load or unload the dish washer (or wash dishes) and count how many items there are!</p>	<p>Science: Have a picnic on your living room floor, park, or backyard! Use your 5 senses during the picnic! What can you smell? What can you taste? What can you hear? What can you see? What can you touch?</p>
<p>ELA: Spring Movement Game! Learn new words and get active. "sprout like a seed" "arch like a rainbow" "reach like a tree" "sway like a windchime" "wiggle like a tadpole" "jump like a bunny" "waddle like a duck" "fly like a bird" "rise like the sun" "float like a cloud"</p>	<p>Science: Bug Hunt! Take a neighborhood walk or go to a local park and find as many insects as you can. Flip over rocks and look for bugs! How many did you find? Compare: How are the insects different? Which insects have wings? How many legs does the insect have? Where did you find the most bugs? (air, tree, ground?) Extension: Make a "Bug Hotel" using natural materials (rocks, leaves, sticks)</p>	<p>ELA: Draw with sidewalk chalk! Draw a rainbow! Play hopscotch!</p> 	<p>Social Studies: Lend a helping hand! Set the table for dinner and help clean up!</p>	<p>MATH: Collect rocks of different sizes and shapes. Count and compare! How are they different? Are the rocks smooth or rough? Sort by color or texture! Extension: Make animal rocks or paint on rocks! Paint rocks to look like animals or glue on small rock ears, stick tails, and paint eyes and a nose!</p>

Adult Signature _____