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Elementary Health & Physical Education Calendar

SUNDAY MONDAY			TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Observances: Safe Toys and Gifts Month Yoga Images from www.forteyoga.com age children minutes and physical active physical active cool-down structures and Reproduce Society of H		rica recommends school- accumulate at least 60 up to several hours of rity per day. Each bout of rity should be followed by retches that help reduce d avoid injury. d with permission from the ealth and Physical Educators SHAPE America)	1 Hopscotch Hopscotch your way down the hallway, around the house or yard. Create your own patterns.	2 100 Challenge Individually take the time to count out 100 steps.	3 Did You Know? The human body has 206 bones. How many can you name?	4 Word Workout Do 10 Jumping Jacks when someone tells you "Thank You."	
5 Find Your Calm	6 Food Col	lor	7 Freeze Dance!	8 Be a Friend!	9 Balloon	10 Mirror	11 Fun Fact!
Find a quiet place and sit with your eyes closed. Practice breathing deeply for 2 minutes.	Challenge Can you eat 3 different color vegetables today? Hanukkah ends		Look up the freeze dance and follow along! <u>Link Here</u>	Give 5 friends a compliment today.	Manipulation Tap a balloon while sitting down, lying down, or standing with different parts of the body. Can you keep the balloon up?	Challenge Go up to someone and start exercising and see without talking if you can get them to mirror you.	The average person has 67 different species of bacteria in their belly button. Can you move like bacteria?
12 Crazy 8's 8 8 jumping jacks 8 silly shakes (just shake as silly as you can) 8 high knees 8 scissor jumps	13 Snap/clap Pick one song today that you will snap or clap to the beat during the whole song.		14 Chair Pose Hold for 30 seconds, relax then repeat.	15 5 Fingers During 5 transitions you have today, do a 5 finger tracing breathing exercise.	16 Water One of your flavored beverages you have during the day switch out for an 8oz glass of water.	17 Parachute! With friend or family member use a bed sheet like a parachute in PE. Lift up and down to move air underneath the sheet.	18 Nice Deeds The first number you see after you get up is the number of good deeds to do that day.
19 Ballance	20 Preventing		21 It's Winter!	22 Calm Breath	23 Boost your	24 Fitness Time!	25 Let's Dance!
Challenge Anytime someone says a word that starts with a "B" you have to balance on one foot for 5 seconds.	the virus Identify three ways to protect yourself from the virus. Discuss with a friend or family member.		Stay Active! Try some of these fun activities: Go for a walk with a friend; Try snow tubing or snowshoeing; Go ice skating or play hockey; Make a snowman or snow angels; Shovel snow at home or a neighbor.	Bubble Breathing Exercise Enjoy a few minutes of calming breaths, following this Bubble Breathing Exercise!	Immunity Do at least 4 of the following Eat plenty of fruits and veggies; Get enough sleep; Exercise as a family; Prevent germ spread; Make time to relax and reduce stress! Get outside for some fresh air!	When the temperature gets below 40 degrees, do this winter fitness activity! W = Wall sits (20 sec) I = Inchworms (5x) N = JumpiNg Jacks (20x) T = Toe Touch (30 sec) E = Elbow Plank (20 sec) R = Run in place (1 min)	Dance with your friends or family! Winter Snowman Dance Kidz Bop Kids Shuffle Kidz Bop Kids Best Day of My Life
26 I Appreciate	27 Yogi Sq	quat	28 Smoothie	29 Kids Portion	30 Gratitude Art	31 My Fitness	•
You Take the time to tell someone in your life you appreciate them and why.	Pose Hold for 30 seconds, rest and repeat.	M	Start your day with a new twist, enjoying one of these Breakfast Smoothie Bowls!	How much food is in a portion size for kids, aged 5-10 years? Plan a healthy meal with your parent, using these Portion and Serving Sizes as a guide for your meal!	Draw and post a picture with a favorite "gratitude" word that lifts your spirit. (Joy, Thankful, Kindness, etc)	Circuit I can do 10 Jumping jacks Mountain climbers Crunches Pushups Crabwalk Donkey Kicks	