




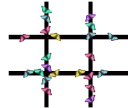







## May 2011 Activity-A-Day Calendar from My Activity Maker

**April showers brought us May flowers...and we've got lots of floral crafts & Mother's Day ideas, too.**

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<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
<p><b>1 – May Day</b> Pin some streamers to a tree outside to make your own maypole.</p>	<p><b>2 –</b> Visit your local garden center and point out the different colors you see.</p>	<p><b>3 –</b> Read <u>Love You Forever</u> together with your Mom.</p>	<p><b>4 – Mother's Day Card Craft</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Mom</i></p>	<p><b>5 – Cinco de Mayo Mexican Bark Painting Craft</b></p>	<p><b>6 – Mother's Day Bouquet Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>7 – Mother's Day Bookmarks Craft</b></p> 
<p><b>8 – Mother's Day</b> Take your Mom to a local botanical garden &amp; learn about native flowers.</p>	<p><b>9 – Plastic Jug Watering Can Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>10 –</b> Mix up packets of wildflower seeds and sprinkle in some soil.</p>	<p><b>11– Homegrown Caterpillar Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>12 – Book Club: Robert the Rose Horse Story &amp; Craft</b></p>	<p><b>13 – Friday the 13<sup>th</sup></b> Read scary stories &amp; talk about superstitions.</p>	<p><b>14 –</b> Cut flowers out of fabric scraps &amp; make a flower collage.</p>
<p><b>15 –</b> Science Experiment: What happens when you put white carnations or daisies in colored water?</p>	<p><b>16 – Flower Pot Wind Chimes Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>17 –</b> Read <u>Ferdinand the Bull</u> &amp; talk about his choice to smell the roses instead of fighting</p>	<p><b>18 – Tic Tac Toe Garden Stone Craft &amp; Game</b></p> 	<p><b>19 –</b> Go on a walk and collect clovers to make clover chains.</p>	<p><b>20 – Everlasting Flower Garden Activity</b></p> 	<p><b>21 –</b> Play “Flower Shop” with your Everlasting Flower Garden</p>
<p><b>22 –</b> Check on your wildflowers &amp; homegrown caterpillar to see how they've grown.</p>	<p><b>23 – Handprint Lilies Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>24 –</b> Use sidewalk chalk to cover your sidewalk or driveway with flowers.</p>	<p><b>25 – Cookie Monster's B'day Book Club: Mmm, Cookies Story &amp; Craft</b></p>	<p><b>26 – Flower Pattern Shirt Craft</b></p> 	<p><b>27 – Flower Fossils Activity</b></p> 	<p><b>28 – Memorial Day Windsock</b></p> 
<p><b>29 –</b> Use white frosting, blueberries, &amp; strawberries to make a flag cake.</p>	<p><b>30 – Memorial Day</b> Take a moment to honor those who have lost their lives for our freedom.</p>	<p><b>31 –</b> Pool season has officially begun. Go shopping for sunscreen, toys, towels, etc.</p>				<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Theme for May:</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>May Flowers</b></p>