



Father's Day

Everyday is a wonderful day to celebrate our family members. Father's Day gives us an opportunity to make the father figures in our life feel extra special.

Click on a book cover below to open the read aloud in YouTube.



Dad Collage

Materials: scissors, family magazines, glue sticks, colored paper

Have your child rip out or cut out pictures that remind them of their Dad or family and glue it on paper. Be sure to ask them why they chose each picture and write their response on the bottom of the page or back of the page.

DAD'S TOP 10

On a piece of paper write DAD'S TOP 10. Number the paper 1-10 and ask your child/children the top 10 things they love about dad or what they like to do with dad. When you are done have them decorate the page.

Sing Dad a Song

(Tune of One Little, Two Little)

One little, two little, three little hugs,
Four little, five little, six little hugs,
Seven little, eight little, nine little hugs,
Ten little hugs for Daddy.
One big, two big, three big hugs,
Four big, five big, six big hugs,
Seven big, eight big, nine big hugs,
Ten big hugs for Daddy.

Book Making Activity

My Dad is _____.

Make a "My Dad is Amazing" book or page to show dad how awesome he is. Let the book **My Dad Is Amazing** be your inspiration to complete each sentence any way you like. Here are some sentence starters.

My dad is stronger than a _____.
My dad is sillier than a _____.
My dad is cooler than a _____.

Don't forget to draw an illustration that matches your sentence. An illustration for each sentence you write will make your page or book extra special.



Excited to Learn More?
Here are some additional activities you may also enjoy.

Handprint Poem

Materials: paper, markers, paint. If you don't have finger paint you can trace your child's hand and have them color and decorate it.



There used to be so many of my
Fingerprints to see,
On the furniture and walls and things,
From sticky, grubby me
But if you stop and think a while
You'll see I'm growing fast,
Those tiny hand prints disappear,
You can't bring back what's past.
So here's a small reminder,
To keep, not wipe away,
Of tiny hands and how they looked,
to make you smile someday.



Chant for Dad

(Can substitute papa, dad, etc.)

Daddy, daddy, he's the man!
If he can't do it, no-one can!
A super guy in every way -
That's why we give him a special day!
Happy Father's Day!

I Love D-a-d

(Sung to the tune of "Bingo")

There is a man who's really nice
And Daddy is his name-o
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
And Daddy is his name-o

There is a man who plays with me
And Daddy is his name-o
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
And Daddy is his name-o

There is a man I love a lot
And Daddy is his name-o
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
I love D-a-d
And Daddy yes I love you!