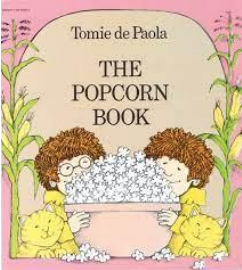





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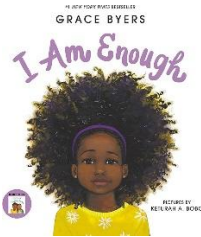
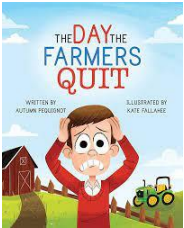
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Month	Word/Book	Writing	Activity
August	Diligence 	Write about a time that you were diligent.	https://tnfarmbureau.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Character-Counts.pdf TN Farm Bureau – Character Counts
August	Kindness 	Give a kernel of corn to each student as a takeaway to be placed in their bag. Ask students to write down the name of someone they can help encourage	https://tnfarmbureau.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/04/Character-Counts.pdf TN Farm Bureau – Character Counts



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		<p>and care for this week. Place it in their bag with their kernel of corn.</p>	
September	<p>Extraordinary</p>  	<p>What makes you extraordinary?</p> <p>Write thank you notes to farmers?</p>	<p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/resource/987/</p> <p>Honeybees are extraordinary, too! 😊</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/860/ Grades K-2</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/833/ Grades 3-5</p>



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		<p>Opinion Writing – Who is telling the truth the pig or the wolf? Share your reasons.</p>	
<p>December</p>	<p>Optimistic</p>	<p>What do you want to be? How are you going to get there?</p>	<p>https://www.dmsfulfillment.com/Images/AFBF/AE-STFLP-001-001.pdf Sleep Tight Farm – Educator Guide</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/672/ From Sap to Syrup</p> <p>*Make butter! 😊</p>



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<p>January</p>	<p>Unique</p> 	<p>Godmothers often help solve problems. What problem in our world needs solving? How would you help solve it?</p> <p>Make a “How to Book” on how to make a milk firework.</p>	<p>https://www.feedingmindspress.com/files/DGM-sample-lesson-milk-fireworks.pdf</p> <p>Milk Fireworks</p> <p>*Make Butter! (p. 6 – AITC Alphabet Soup Activities)</p>
			<p>https://www.dmsfulfillment.com/Images/AFBF/AE-STFLP-001-001.pdf</p> <p>Sleep Tight Farm – Educator Guide</p>



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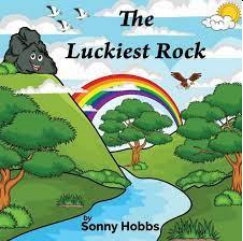

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February	Empathy 	Allow students to make an art banner to brighten up the winter at a nursing home facility.	<p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/672/ https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/660/ By Land, Air, or Sea</p> <p>Students discover how agricultural commodities are transported from producers to consumers.</p>
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<p>March</p>	 	<p>Make “Kindness Rocks” – possibly start a rock garden.</p>	<p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/66/ Garden in a Glove – grades K-2</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/831/ Garden in a Glove – grades 3-5</p> <p>*Make Mud Pies! (page 22 – AITC Alphabet Soup Activities)</p>
<p>April</p>	<p>Resilient</p>	<p>Write a “You Matter Note” to someone!</p>	<p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/605/ Be a DetEGGtive! Grades K-2</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/718/ Eggs: From Hen to Home – Grades 3-5</p>



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			<p>https://littlebinsforlittlehands.com/naked-egg-experiment-rubber-egg-science/</p>
May	<p>Tenacity</p>	<p>Grow a “strawberry patch” around your school! Teachers and students add a strawberry to the patch with a short description of a random act of kindness. Sweet berries!</p>	<p>https://www.ncfb.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/FINAL-ag-mag-strawberry-WEB.pdf Strawberry Ag Mag</p> <p>https://agclassroom.org/matrix/lesson/860/</p>



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<p>Bonus!</p>		<p>Write a story about your Soil Baby!</p>	<p>Make Soil Babies!</p>  <p>To create "soil babies" or "dirt babies," you'll need a few materials like nylon stockings, grass seed, potting soil, water, and optionally, decorations for the face. The process involves placing grass seed in the toe of the nylon, then filling it with soil to form a ball, and tying it off. After decorating the "face," you place the "baby" in a container with water, allowing the tail to wick up moisture to keep the soil damp and encourage grass growth.</p>
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