## Middle/HighSchool FAMILY E gement **Month** 20 NOVEMBER

Activities for Families

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Celebrating RATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH "We cannot always build the future for our youth, but we can build our youth for the future." - Franklin D. Roosevelt			NATIONAL FAMILY 1 LITERACY DAY Getting your preteen or teen to <u>read more</u> .	2 Checkout these IEP Resources: IEP Checklist: Prepare and Participate What to know about the IEP and how it's developed. Requirements for Transition Services.	3 Register now for <u>Tool Time</u> <u>Tuesday</u> . Topics this month include, "Talking to your child about the tough stuff" and <u>siblings</u> sharing and answering questions from their perspective.	4 Spend time with your child reviewing <u>YEP - Young</u> Exceptional Perspectives and encourage your child to <u>subscribe</u> to the newsletter.
DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS! 5   FALL BACK FALL BACK   Share two things that made each of you happy today.	6 <u>Options to help prepare</u> your child for adulthood.	ELECTION DAY 7	8 <u>Communicating</u> with your child's school.	9 Review <u>NC's Graduation</u> <u>requirements.</u>	10 If your student will graduate with a certificate or a diploma, explore these possible <u>college</u> <u>experiences.</u>	VETERANS DAY 11 Talk about the sacrifices of those who serve our country. Write a thank you note to a veteran.
12 Encourage your preteen or teen to explore leadership opportunities such as ECAC's Youth Advisory team or a local youth council.	WORLD KINDNESS DAY 13 CAREGIVER APPRECIATION DAY Tell your preteen or teen what you like and admire about them.	14 Learn about the <u>Star</u> <u>Program</u> a virtual training for students (ages 14- 22) with disabilities to help prepare them for life beyond high school.	AMERICA RECYCLES DAY 15 How to support your preteen or teens social and emotional needs.	NATIONAL PARENT 16 INVOLVEMENT DAY You have a story to share that could make a difference. Look at these opportunities to share your story.	17 Begin planning for your students transition to <u>high school</u> or <u>adulthood</u> .	18 A <u>time capsule</u> is a picture of one moment in time. Make a <u>time</u> <u>capsule</u> as a family.
19 How to <u>protect your child</u> <u>with disabilities</u> in a digital world.	20 If your child has health care needs check out the <u>NC F2F</u> <u>Health Information Center</u> and other <u>resources</u> . Need help organizing help health care information, try the <u>"Care</u> <u>Notebook"</u> .	NATIONAL TV DAY 21 NATIONAL GINGERBREAD COOKIE DAY How to make the most of watching TV with your preteen/teen.	22 Team up with your student to create a <u>vision</u> <u>statement</u> for their future.	THANKSGIVING DAY 23	24 Ask your preteen or teen what makes a good friend and talk about <u>friendships and</u> <u>boundaries</u> on social media.	25 Have a movie marathon of your tween/teen favorite movies. Pop the popcorn.
NATIONAL CAKE DAY 26 Bake a cake together for National Cake Day.	27 A guide to meaningful employment and independent living.	28 <u>Parenting a preteen</u> in the middle school years. <u>When</u> to worry and when to let go.	29 Help your preteen or teen interact <u>safely online</u> and responsibly <u>post, comment</u> <u>and upload.</u>	30 Tips to connect with your <u>middle schooler</u> or your <u>high schooler</u> .	Scan for more information >	

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