



## Suggested Checklist for Kindergarten Readiness

### YOUR CHILD SHOULD KNOW THESE:

1.  Recognize eight basic colors
2.  Recognize shapes
3.  Recognize first and last name
4.  Cut on simple lines
5.  Say alphabet
6.  Say letter sounds using a picture guide
7.  Recognize some letters, especially the ones in own name
8.  Recognize numbers 1-10 (out of order)
9.  Print first name \*(see below)
10.  Say days of the week
11.  Recognize rhyming words
12.  Name eight opposites (big/little, up/down, etc)
13.  Follow two-step directions
14.  Fasten or unfasten child's clothes
15.  Say or show age
16.  Use the restroom and wash hands
17.  Name 10 simple pictures
18.  Tear, cut, and paste
19.  Draw a simple object
20.  Color within a large spatial design
21.  Know the difference between letters and numbers
22.  Sing Songs or nursery rhymes
23.  Pretend to read a book
24.  Draw a picture related to a book or topics studied
25.  Sit still to listen to story
26.  Count to at least 10
27.  Good attendance

### YOUR CHILD SHOULD BE LEARNING THESE:

1.  Say phone number
2.  Say address
3.  Say birthday day/month
4.  Print last name \*(see below)
5.  Say months of the year
6.  Read color words
7.  Count to 25
8.  Count to 100 by 10's
9.  Print numbers 1-20
10.  Print lower case letters
11.  Print capital letters
12.  Reads beginning letter sounds
13.  Name 5 senses (see, hear, smell, touch, & taste)
14.  Draw a self-portrait
15.  Share and interacts with others
16.  Hop on one foot and jump forward on two feet
17.  Catch a large ball
18.  Concept of 10
19.  Say phone number