











January 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Learn how to say Welcome in Auslan. 	2 TODAY - All library branches are OPEN. Click here for Locations and Opening Hours	3 Become a library member today. It's free! JOIN ONLINE 	4 Download our new Townsville CityLibraries App
5 Check out the Townsville City Council School Holiday Guide for free and low cost activities!	6 TALK: Find things around the house that start with the letter 	7 Reading with your child can start a conversation about a new concept.	8 Follow Townsville CityLibraries on Instagram 	9 Watch this short video: Getting down to play	10 SING: Twinkle Twinkle Little star with your little one today.	11 Have fun learning about number! SING: Once I caught a fish alive
12 Check out this article - What is open - ended play?	13 Involve your child in cooking today 	14 TODAY: First Clinic for 2025 - Early Years Drop in Clinic at the Aitkenvale Library 9 am - 2 pm.	15 READ: Once I heard a little Wombat by Renee Trembl 	16 READ: Once I Munched a Mango  • e-book reserve a library copy	17 Take a book everywhere you go! 	18 Watch this video on Parent TV: Early childhood language development - "red flags" 
19 Remember early literacy is all around you. Point out signs as you walk or drive.	20 Check out this article - Peekaboo builds little brains	21 Music makes words easier to remember, Sing songs every day!	22 PLAY: Junk Play use old cereal boxes, bottles etc. Discuss different textures, sizes and shapes.	23 Sensory activity: Goop. You will need 1 pack of cornflour, 1 cup of water and food colouring	24 Watch a story on StoryBox Hub , FREE with your library membership. 	25 TALK: The more you frequently children hear the words the more they learn.
26 Read, talk, sing and play together!	27 Regular programs start this week! Baby Rhyme Time, Toddler Time, Baby Stay & Play, Storytime.	28 TODAY - 9am Toddler Time & 10.30am Baby Rhyme Time at CityLibraries Riverway.	29 Storytime video - The Little Queenslanders' Alphabet	30 TODAY - 9am Baby Rhyme Time & 10.30am Toddler Time at CityLibraries Aitkenvale.	31 TODAY - 9am Baby Stay and Play	

Talk, play, sing, read any place any time.