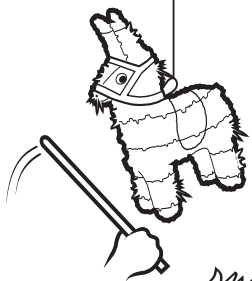


# 2008 SEPTEMBER



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 Explore jobs in the community for Labor Day.	2 It's not too late to take a summer Global Trek vacation.	3 Get ready to recruit parent volunteers.	4 Use a Reading Assessment Checklist to benchmark comprehension skills.	5 Learn about the Munich Olympics tragedy (1972) and its affect on Olympic politics.	6
7	8 Analyze the importance of "media" literacy on International Literacy Day!	9 Explore the world just beyond your classroom with a unit on Cities and States.	10 Read the story of Civil Rights heroine Ruby Bridges, born this day in 1954.	11 Remember the victims of 2001 terrorist attacks in the U.S.	12 In honor of Roald Dahl's birthday this weekend, share read-alouds kids love!	13
14	15 Kick-off National Constitution Week with a lesson in American Justice.	16 Meet Latinos who shaped our world during Hispanic Heritage Month.	17 Take a trip to Civil War battlefields for the anniversary of the Battle of Antietam.	18 Mark the 60th anniversary of the U.S. Air Force with an educational paper airplane contest.	19 Arrgh matey, best to find lost treasure on Talk Like a Pirate Day!	20
21	22 You're off to a great start! Share your teaching successes in our Winning Ideas Contest and enter to win \$100 in free materials.	23 For National School Success Month, incorporate our literature-rich Welcome to Success! Unit Plan.	24 Practice good grammar skills for National Punctuation Day.	25 Celebrate America's first newspaper published in September, 1690—with a news writing workshop.	26 The first televised presidential debate aired this day in 1960. Explore new developments on the 2008 campaign trail.	27
28	29 Get ready for Open School Night.	30 Learn all about the month of Ramadan.				



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