



January 2, 2019

Celebrate National Family Literacy Day on January 27th !

Dear Partners:

Here is your package for Family Literacy Day, 2019.

National Family Literacy Day is held every year on January 27th. It is a day to celebrate the ways that parents, children and other family members use literacy at home and in their communities.

This year our theme is "Celebrating Indigenous Languages", as 2019 has been declared the International Year of Indigenous Languages by the United Nations.

This year we've created a memory card game, and have sent out one game with English words as well as second game with a space to write the names of the objects in your local language

The NWT Literacy Council would like to encourage communities, schools, families and organizations to celebrate Family Literacy Day in their own unique ways.

You can download copies of resources for Family Literacy Day from our website at: www.nwtliteracy.ca. Look in the 'National Family Literacy Day' link under 'Events'.

If you are organizing a Family Literacy Day event in your community and would like book prizes, or if you require further information, please contact the NWT Literacy Council at (867) 873-9262, toll free at 1-866-599-6758, or email us at: nwtliteracy@nwtliteracy.ca.

Please drop us an email to tell us how you are planning to celebrate National Family Literacy Day in your community. We also love to have photos of special events.

With thanks,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "KBPaddock". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kathryn Barry Paddock
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