

Morning Work Binder Calendar, Weather, Days

SECTION 2 · WEATHER

MORNING WORK BINDER

BOARD

Weather Board and Cards (Color)

Look outside, then match the weather card. This is the color set; the same board and cards are on page 11 in the ink-saver set.

Today the weather is

Yesterday the weather was

LOOK OUTSIDE · MATCH THE SAME PICTURE, OR CIRCLE IT


sunny


cloudy


rainy


snowy


stormy


rainbow

THIS WEEK'S WEATHER · ONE CARD A DAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

CUT HERE · THE BOARD ABOVE STAYS WHOLE · THE CARDS BELOW CUT APART

WEATHER CARDS, SET 1 · 6


sunny


cloudy


rainy


snowy


stormy


rainbow

WEATHER CARDS, SET 2 · 6


sunny


cloudy


rainy


snowy


stormy


rainbow

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♦ BRIGHT PATH SPED

END DAYS OF THE WEEK

MORNING WORK BINDER

Grid and Week Strip

Look outside, then match the weather card. This is the color set; the same board and cards are on page 11 in the ink-saver set.

YEAR

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

4

Wednesday

5

Thursday

6

Friday

7

Saturday

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♦ BRIGHT PATH SPED

20 PAGES

52 CUT-APART CARDS

3 BOARDS

COLOR + INK-SAVER

♦ BRIGHT PATH SPED



What Is Inside, and Where

Three sections: the calendar and days board, the weather board, and the pages that track it, share it and send it home. Start on page 4.

Before you begin

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**Start Here —
Three Steps**
START HERE

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01 Calendar and Days of the Week

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**Calendar Grid and
Week Strip**
BOARD

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**What Day Is It?
Board and Cards
(Color)**
BOARD

7



**What Day Is It?
Board and Cards
(Ink-Saver)**
BOARD

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02 Weather

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**Weather Board
and Cards (Color)**
BOARD

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**Weather Board
and Cards (Ink-
Saver)**
BOARD

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03 Track, Share and Take Home

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**Weekly Morning
Work Tracker**
TRACKER

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**Binder Cover,
Spine and Tabs**
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**Morning Work at
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**Family Update and
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TWO SETS, ONE BINDER

The days board and the weather board each come twice: full color for a laminated binder, black-and-white line art for a photocopier or a copy that goes home. Same boards, same 22 picture cards and 30 word cards; only the picture set differs.

PRACTICE, NOT A TEST

Morning work with a tracker attached. It counts which boards were done and what help was given, and nothing else; what that means for a student is your team's call.



START HERE

Start Here — Three Steps

Ninety seconds of reading. The boards need scissors, page protectors and a strip of hook-and-loop dots.



1

Print and build the binder

Print the calendar (page 6) and the two boards from the color set (pages 7 and 10) on cardstock, or the ink-saver set (pages 8 and 11) on plain paper. Cut the card band off the bottom of each board page; the board stays whole.

Page protectors, hook-and-loop dots on the slots, and the cover, spine and tabs from page 14.



2

Run the boards every morning

Open to the calendar: find today, circle it on the week strip. Turn to the days board: Today is, Yesterday was, Tomorrow will be, the month, the season, where I am, then the morning-things match. Turn to the weather board: look outside, put up today's card.

Say the same short line each time (page 17). The answer key (page 19) lists every board and its cards.



3

Record, share, send home

One letter per job on the tracker (page 13) — N, P, S or a dash — the same morning.

Copy the week's counts onto the family update (page 16). Send the home page (page 15) home the week the binder is new.

WHAT THIS FILE IS

A fillable PDF with a type-in calendar, three matching boards with their cut-apart cards built in, and the tracking pages behind them. It works offline, with no account or subscription, and prints the same on every machine.

WHAT THIS FILE IS NOT

It is not an editable online slideshow or word-processor document, and it is not a test of anything. It carries no prompt hierarchy, fading schedule or mastery rule; it describes how to run the boards already printed and how to count what happened.

THE RULE EVERY PAGE IN THIS FILE FOLLOWS

Nothing here decides what a count means for a student, when a board is done with, or what a goal should say. Every one of those is a blank you fill from your own team's plan and your district's wording. No month or year is printed anywhere: the calendar is blank so the binder never expires.

IF SOMETHING DOES NOT WORK

A field will not hold my typing. Open the file in Adobe Acrobat Reader (free) or Preview, not a browser tab.

A picture reads as a different word to my student. Pull that card and its grid cell and run the board with the rest; the **Ask a Question** tab on the product page reaches me, and a fix is a free update.

CONFIDENTIALITY, AND WHERE THIS FILE LIVES

A filled-in tracker, family update or example-style note is a student record: initials only on anything that leaves your hands, first name only on the home page. The boards live in the binder; the tracker stays in the student's folder so the week's counts are the first thing anyone finds.

BOARD

Calendar Grid and Week Strip

Type the month and the year, then the date in each cell, and print. Or laminate it blank and write the month in with a dry-erase marker. The day cards for the strip and the boards are on page 7.

MONTH

YEAR

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday

THE WEEK IN ORDER · CIRCLE TODAY

1
Sunday
○

2
Monday
○

3
Tuesday
○

4
Wednesday
○

5
Thursday
○

6
Friday
○

7
Saturday
○

BOARD

What Day Is It? Board and Cards (Color)

Put each card where it matches. This is the color set; the same board and cards are on page 8 in the ink-saver set.

Yesterday was

Today is

Tomorrow will be

This month is

The season is

Today I am at

MORNING THINGS • MATCH THE PICTURE, OR CIRCLE IT



clock



bed



toothbrush



backpack



bus



shoe

CUT HERE • THE BOARD ABOVE STAYS WHOLE • THE CARDS BELOW CUT APART

DAY CARDS • 7

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

MONTH CARDS • 12

January

February

March

April

May

June

July

August

September

October

November

December

SEASON CARDS • 4

spring

summer

fall

winter

PLACE CARDS • 2



school



house

BOARD

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Today the weather is

Yesterday the weather was

LOOK OUTSIDE • MATCH THE SAME PICTURE, OR CIRCLE IT

 sunny	 cloudy	 rainy
 snowy	 stormy	 rainbow

THIS WEEK'S WEATHER • ONE CARD A DAY

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY

CUT HERE • THE BOARD ABOVE STAYS WHOLE • THE CARDS BELOW CUT APART

WEATHER CARDS, SET 1 • 6

 sunny	 cloudy	 rainy	 snowy	 stormy	 rainbow
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WEATHER CARDS, SET 2 • 6

 sunny	 cloudy	 rainy	 snowy	 stormy	 rainbow
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BOARD

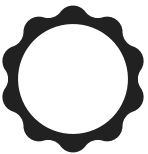
Weather Board and Cards (Ink-Saver)

Look outside, then match the weather card. This is the ink-saver set; the same board and cards are on page 10 in the color set.

Today the weather is

Yesterday the weather was

LOOK OUTSIDE • MATCH THE SAME PICTURE, OR CIRCLE IT

 sunny	 cloudy	 rainy
 snowy	 stormy	 rainbow

THIS WEEK'S WEATHER • ONE CARD A DAY

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WEATHER CARDS, SET 2 • 6

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TRACKER

Weekly Morning Work Tracker

One row per morning job, one letter per day. The twelve rows are the boards in this binder, in the order a morning runs.

STUDENT

WEEK OF

ADULT RUNNING THE BINDER

#	MORNING JOB	PAGE	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	NO HELP (OF DAYS RUN)
1	Calendar: find and mark today	6						
2	Week strip: circle today	6						
3	Today is	7						
4	Yesterday was	7						
5	Tomorrow will be	7						
6	This month is	7						
7	The season is	7						
8	Today I am at	7						
9	Morning things match	7						
10	Today the weather is	10						
11	Yesterday the weather was	10						
12	Weather grid: match or circle	10						

WEEK TOTAL: N CELLS

WEEK TOTAL: DAYS RUN

NEXT WEEK, START WITH

THE CODE, ONE LETTER PER CELL

N no help · **P** pointed once · **S** said the words · – not run today. Write what you actually did, the same letter for the same help every day. The last column counts the N cells in the row against the days that job was run — a job not run is not a miss.

READING A WEEK

Add the last column down for the week's total, and copy it onto the family update (page 16). The filled example (page 18) shows one week of this table with every total re-counted from its own row. This page counts help given; what a count means for a student is your team's call.



EXAMPLE

Filled Example

SAMPLE · INVENTED STUDENT

Every number in the read-out is re-counted straight from the table above.

Mia is invented, and so is every letter on this page. One week of the tracker (page 13), the week of a Monday in fall, filled in by the adult who ran the binder each morning.

#	MORNING JOB	PAGE	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	NO HELP (OF DAYS RUN)
1	Calendar: find and mark today	6	N	N	N	N	N	5 of 5
2	Week strip: circle today	6	P	N	N	N	N	4 of 5
3	Today is	7	S	S	P	P	N	1 of 5
4	Yesterday was	7	S	S	S	P	P	0 of 5
5	Tomorrow will be	7	–	–	S	S	S	0 of 3
6	This month is	7	N	N	N	N	N	5 of 5
7	The season is	7	P	P	N	N	N	3 of 5
8	Today I am at	7	N	N	N	N	N	5 of 5
9	Morning things match	7	P	N	N	N	N	4 of 5
10	Today the weather is	10	N	P	N	N	N	4 of 5
11	Yesterday the weather was	10	S	S	S	S	P	0 of 5
12	Weather grid: match or circle	10	N	N	N	–	N	4 of 4

READING THE NUMBERS

Week total: **35 N cells of 57 days run** (61 percent with no help), counted straight down the last column. 3 jobs ran all five days with no help: Calendar: find and mark today, This month is, Today I am at. 3 jobs never got an N this week: Yesterday was, Tomorrow will be, Yesterday the weather was. Help given was P on 10 cells and S on 12.

A LINE THIS SHEET COULD WRITE

“Week of a Monday in fall: Mia completed 35 of 57 morning jobs with no help. Jobs done without help every day: Calendar: find and mark today, This month is, Today I am at. Jobs still needing help every day: Yesterday was, Tomorrow will be, Yesterday the weather was. Not run: Tomorrow will be (2 days); Weather grid: match or circle (1 day).”

WHY THE LAST COLUMN SAYS “OF DAYS RUN”

Jobs run per day this week, Monday to Friday: 11, 11, 12, 11, 12. A dash is a job that was not run that morning — a short day, an absence, a board not printed yet — and it is never counted as a miss. Every job’s column reads N cells against its own days run.

WHAT THIS EXAMPLE IS NOT

One invented child’s five mornings. It does not say how quickly any real student moves from S to P to N and sets no typical week for this binder — it exists only to show how the tracker, the family update and the phrase bank read once real letters are on them.

THE LETTERS, FILLED IN

Every letter is what the adult did, in the same short code each morning — N, P, S — and a dash where a job was not run. None of them is a label for Mia. A row that reads N across all five days is what independent morning work looks like on paper; a row that reads S every day is the row the team would look at first, and the family update (page 16) is where those two lists get written down.