










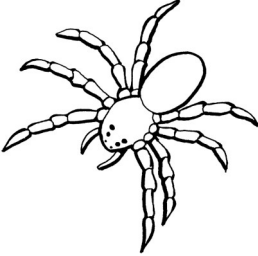
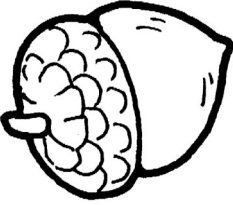





# CTOBER

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						<b>1 Homemade Cookies Day</b> Make your favorite kind and share with a neighbor or shut-in!
2 	<b>3 National Cookie Month!</b> Your student will love our <a href="#">If You Give a Mouse a Cookie lapbook</a> .	4 Go outside and make some <a href="#">fall funny faces!</a>	5 Copywork "October's Bright Blue Weather" by Helen Hunt Jackson	<b>6 Mad Hatter Day</b> Spend the next several days reading <i>Alice's Adventures in Wonderland</i> and <a href="#">creating a lapbook</a> .	<b>7 James Whitcomb Riley's Birthday!</b> Try <a href="#">this unit study</a> based on his poem.	8 
<b>9 National Fire Prevention Week</b> Plan to visit a fire station.	10 Learn about fire prevention with this fun unit from HSS: <a href="#">A Chair for My Mother</a>	11 Plan an escape route from each bedroom and plan a meeting place outside your home.	<b>12 National Fossil Day</b> Bake these fun <a href="#">fossil cookies!</a>	13 The cornerstone of the White House was laid by George Washington in 1792. Learn more about the <a href="#">White House</a> .	<b>14 World Egg Day</b> <i>Read Chickens Aren't the Only Ones</i> by Ruth Heller. <a href="#">Complete some eggs-periments</a> .	15 
16 	<b>17 National Chemistry Week</b> Try this <a href="#">unit study</a> for your older student.	18 Check out the <a href="#">Pumpkin Jack unit study</a> at Homeschool Share.	<b>19 Go outside for a nature study.</b> Complete the scavenger hunt on the next page!	20 	<b>21 National Pumpkin Cheesecake Day</b> <a href="#">Try one!</a>	<b>22 Make a Difference Day!</b> Find somewhere in your community to serve.
23 	<b>24 National Popcorn Popping Month</b> Pop a big bowl and snuggle up for some good books!	<b>25 Pablo Picasso's Birthday!</b> Try <a href="#">this fun art project</a> .	26 October usually brings peak color in trees. Read <i>I Can Name 50 Trees: All About Trees</i> to learn how to identify different species. Learn even more with <a href="#">Meeting Trees</a> .	27	28 The Statue of Liberty was dedicated on Bedloe's Island in 1886. Learn more with our <a href="#">Lady Liberty lapbook</a> .	29 The stock market crashed in 1929, and the Great Depression followed. Check out the <a href="#">Leah's Pony unit study</a> .
30	<b>31 Reformation Day!</b> Learn more about <a href="#">Martin Luther and the Reformation</a> .					

<p>red leaf</p> 	<p>a seed</p>	<p>animal tracks</p> 	<p>something older than You</p>
<p>a small mammal</p>	<p>a spider</p> 	<p>something smaller than Your thumb</p>	<p>a nut</p> 
<p>a noisy bird</p> 	<p>something smooth</p>	<p>something with six legs</p>	<p>green leaf</p> 
<p>something that makes You smile</p>	<p>conifer</p> 	<p>something yellow</p>	<p>an animal home</p>

Use the paper on the next page to copywork the poem. Older students can write or memorize [the entire poem](#).

# October's Bright Blue Weather

by Helen Hunt Jackson

O suns and skies and clouds of June,  
And flowers of June together,  
Ye cannot rival for one hour  
October's bright blue weather.



Handwriting practice lines consisting of ten sets of three horizontal lines: a solid top line, a dotted middle line, and a solid bottom line.

