



STORY OF THE DAY

BEAR WANTS MORE

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STORY EXTENSION IDEAS

- Make a bear cave with your child: You can use an old box and have them decorate it. Or use a brown/black sheet or blanket and make your own cave for children and their bears to use! They can pretend they are sleeping (hibernating) and when they wake "in the spring" they can go look for food! Maybe have a bear picnic!-
- Make some [Teddy Bear Crafts](#)
- Make Teddy Bear Toast: Make toast and add peanut butter, raisins, and banana!
- Try some [Bear Hunt Yoga](#) with Cosmic Kids

IDEA OF THE DAY

Abacus

Use art supplies to practice math and fine motor skills. You just need string, scissors, tape, paper and beads. Cut a piece of string, tape one end of the string onto the paper and begin stringing the beads. String 10 beads on and tape down the other end of the string. That makes one row. Your child can make as many rows as they like. Tip: Circle-shaped cereal (like Cheerios) or candies (like Lifesavers) can replace beads in a pinch. Keep the abacus for counting practice.