Tips for Reading with your Children

Reading aloud to your child every day is important. Reading gives your baby the words, sounds and pictures that can help the brain grow.

- Use the pictures in the books to make up your own story!
- Keep books where children can reach them – in a basket on the floor or a low bookshelf.
- Share books with your child at bedtime.
- Talk about what’s happening in the story with your child.
- Act out what’s happening in the story.
- Use different voices for each character in the story.
- Take your child to the library for story hour. Pick out more books to read together while you’re there.

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