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# Site Update

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# Raising Readers

## In Case You Missed It!

The Bangor Daily News recently featured an OpEd about **Maine ranking #1 in the nation** for the percentage of children who are read to the most often. [Check it out here!](#)

## Check Out the Raising Readers Website

The [Raising Readers website](#) is a great resource for parents and families. Here are a couple things they'll find when they visit:

- **A list of every title ever given by Raising Readers:**  
If a parent loves a book they received at a well-child visit, they can find similar titles on our website to check out at their local library or to purchase from their favorite bookseller. With the holidays just around the corner, the book list also makes a great resource for gift-giving recommendations.
- **Raising Readers Blog:** Each post shares early literacy tips, special events and articles that may be helpful to you and your patients' families. While they're there, they can subscribe to the blog to get updates delivered right to their inbox!



## Read More About It!



[A study published in Pediatrics](#) found that toddlers with parents who spend time listening and chatting with them are more likely to have better language skills and higher IQs a decade later than toddlers left hanging in silence.

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