

Help Your Child Become a Reader

Adapted from a list published by West County Reads

1. Read out loud together at least 20 minutes every day.
2. Use board books for babies and younger children.
3. Read the same book over and over, to build vocabulary.
4. Ask your child questions as you read.
5. Take your child to reading events and activities.
6. Encourage your child to draw and to write.
7. Get a library card and use it often.
8. Ask your child's teacher or librarian for help selecting books.
9. Limit TV watching, or watch educational programs.
10. Let your child see you taking pleasure in reading.