

Tips to Encourage Reading

Developing a love for reading and learning can make a huge difference in the life of a child. Here are some ways you can support & nurture this important growth potential.

Have good books handy at home & in the car.

Look up answers together in books.

Turn off the TV at reading time.

Let your child see you reading.

Read aloud together.

Provide a well lit comfy spot for reading.

Reading time can be special snack time.

When your children say they are bored - suggest reading, art books or activity books.

Have a variety of types of books available:

- Chapter books, adventure
- Information books about topics of interest - space, dogs, princesses, castles
- Funny & engaging books - Joke books, puzzle books
- Reference books - science, history, encyclopedias
- Project books - Things to make and do, cooking, art
- Fun & sturdy board books for younger children - touchy feely, flap books

Listen & show interest when your children tell you about their reading & projects.

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