

READING

You can help boost your child's language by reading together – even if your child cannot talk yet. You can also “read” books in which there is only pictures.

TIPS FOR BEFORE READING

- Make the reading feel secure and special
- Present the book to your child by talking about the cover and what you see



TIPS FOR DURING THE READING

- Listen to your child. Let the child make sounds, point and talk. Give your child time to contribute to the conversation
- Follow your child's curiosity and interests. Adjust the strategies from “The good conversation” to the age of your child and use them when you read together
- Be present and have fun together. You can sit with your child on your lab and enjoy reading together



TIPS FOR AFTER THE READING

- Talk with your child about the content – also after you have read the book
- Use the new words that the book contains. The more times your child hears the words, the more likely is it that your child will remember them

