

Early Literacy With Your Kids

A guide for parents for when you are tired of rereading the same book, but also want your kids to read.



1. Let your kids choose their library books

Yes, we know that your kids will either choose a book that they have already read, or one that makes you feel like pulling your hair out, but by letting them choose their own books, they will be interested in the books and will WANT to read them, instead of you forcing them. It may take more time, but this is an important step in raising a reader.

2. Reading Books over and over is good!

You may have to read a book for what feels like the 100th time, but the good news about this is that there is actually a reason for this! Children love routine. They love being able to make predictions about what will come next. They will also memorize words which will help to expand their vocabulary. All of this helps them learn to read.

3. Keep Going

Kids will eventually branch out and choose different books and then you can bask in the knowledge about how awesome you are as a parent, and that your kids are well on their way to being life long readers!