



Strong Start to reading™
"Making a difference in the life of a child"



What you need:

Any familiar book
Pencil and paper

Playing the Game:

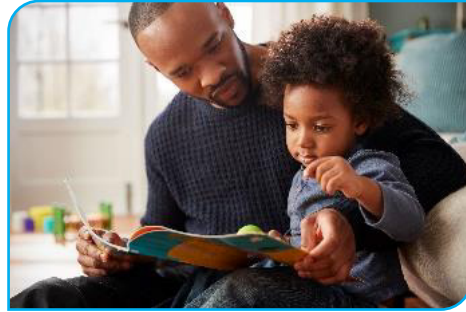


Learning Connections:

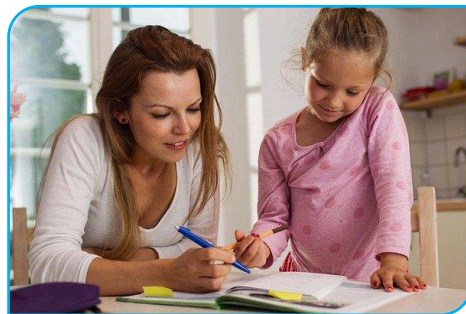
This activity provides opportunities to

- develop an interest in reading.
- develop the ability to take turns.
- develop a knowledge of the letters of the alphabet and the sounds they make.
- develop an awareness that words can rhyme and begin or end with the same sound.

I Spy in a Book



1. Read the book aloud or together.
2. Say, "I spy..." followed by a letter, sound or word.
3. Repeat the process with a new letter, sound or word.
4. Take turns being the one who guesses.
5. Some examples include:
 - "I spy a word with 4 letters"
 - "I spy a word that begins with the letter B"
 - "I spy a word that begins with the sound that the letter T makes"
 - "I spy a word that rhymes with sand"
6. Have paper and pencils available for your child to use for writing. Can your child write the letter, sound or word you spy in this game?



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