Interactive rhymes

Share a variety of interactive rhymes and songs with your child. Encourage your child to request their favourite story/ rhyme.

Do they show an interest in a particular rhyme/ song?
Do they recognise a



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Suggested stories

The very busy spider
The summer fairy song
Tiny Tim Turtle
Were going on a Bear hunt
Walking through the
jungle
Who's on the farm?





Story massages

Sit with your child and do an on body story massage.
Encourage your child to request a specific story massage or action by verbalising or using symbols..Story massage is a way of engaging you child in stories through positive

Book skills / sensory stories

Share a wide range of stories with your child. These may include touchy feely, musical and pop-up books. Model labelling some simple pictures in the book. Encourage you child to hold a book the right way up. And turn the pages