



## Literacy—Reading

### Home Learning

### Step 10 and Step 11

(18 - 30 months)

### Comprehension Skills

Share a variety of fiction stories with me and develop my attention. Help me to answer what and where questions by labelling images. Help me to join in with repeated phrases and begin to anticipate various words in various stories.

### Book Skills

Share a story with your child, encourage them to hold the book, turn the pages, point to favourite characters and begin to show pleasure when reading books independently.

### Suggested stories

- Noisy books
- Feely books
- Pop up stories
- Stories with rhymes-
- Bearhunt, Walking through the Jungle, Dear Zoo, That's not my ..... Range of stories



### Whole Word Skills

Give your child opportunities to look at and read symbols. This will introduce them to reading words with the aid of a symbol above the word. These can be animals, clothes, transport, food, body parts etc.

### Early Phonics

(ask your child's teacher if you are unsure whether child is using phonics in school)  
Introduce your child to environmental sounds—animals, transport, appliances, children's T.V themes etc can they identify the sounds?  
Explore instruments with your child—can they play loudly or quietly when asked?