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Read and re-read stories with predictable text to help your child recognize repeated words and phrases. [#2000words](#)

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Think of words that rhyme with names or things around you. The sillier the better! For example: Mom-gum, chair-bear, John-gone. [#2000words](#)

Point to, touch & name familiar objects. Repeat words so that your child learns to connect the word with its meaning. [#2000Words](#) #Idnont

How many words can you think of that start with the letter “b”? For example: bear, bounce, banana... [#2000Words](#)

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